



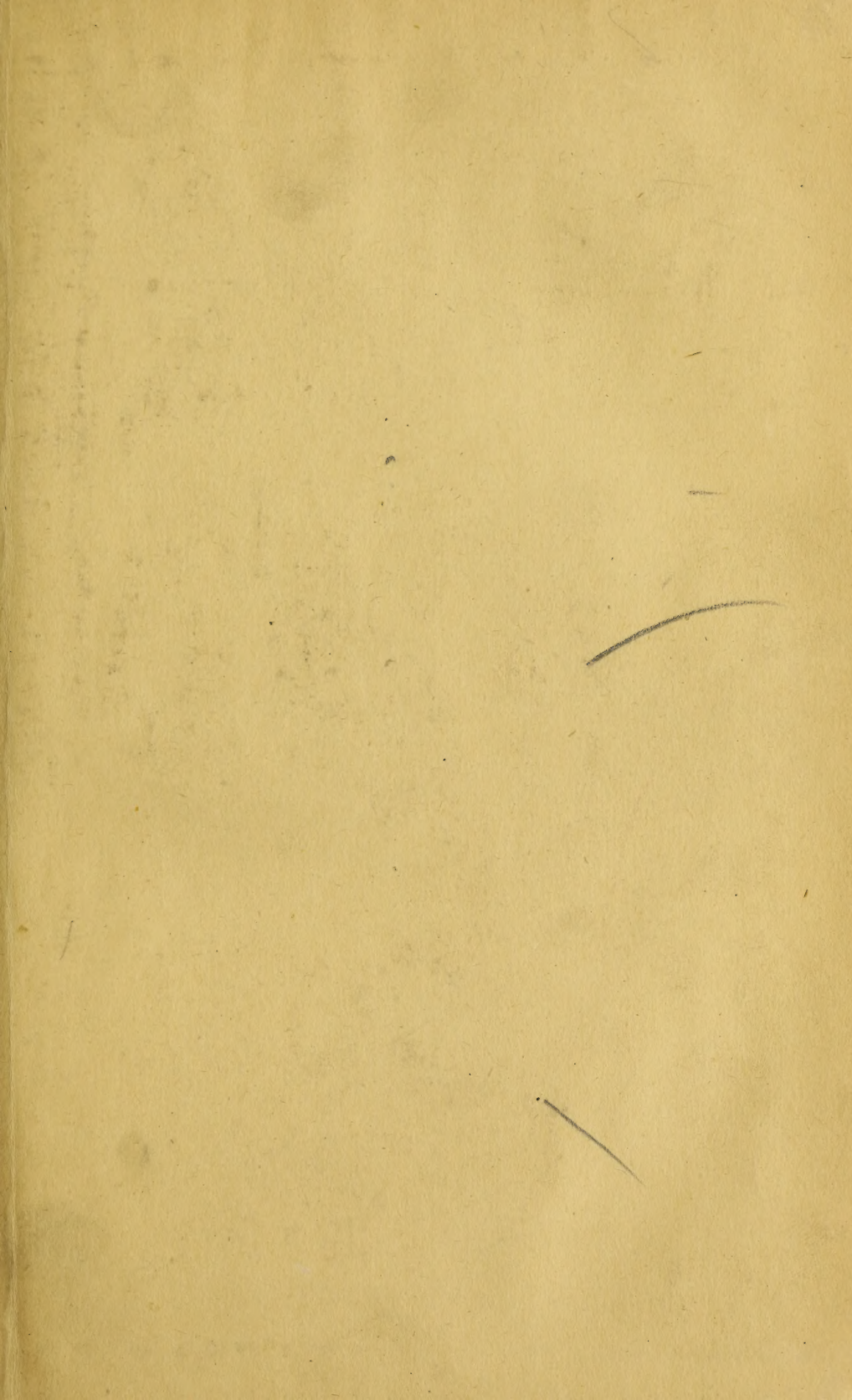


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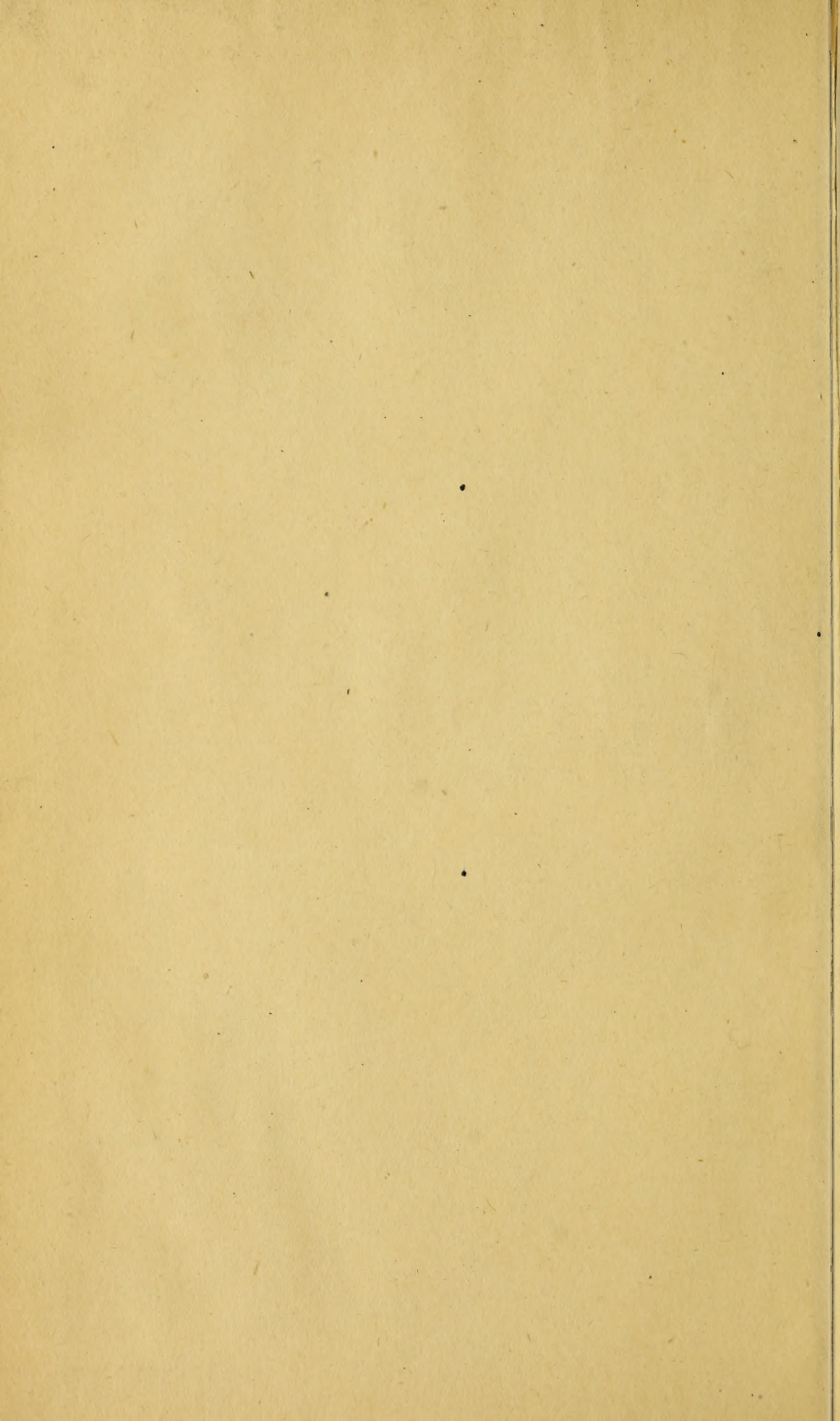
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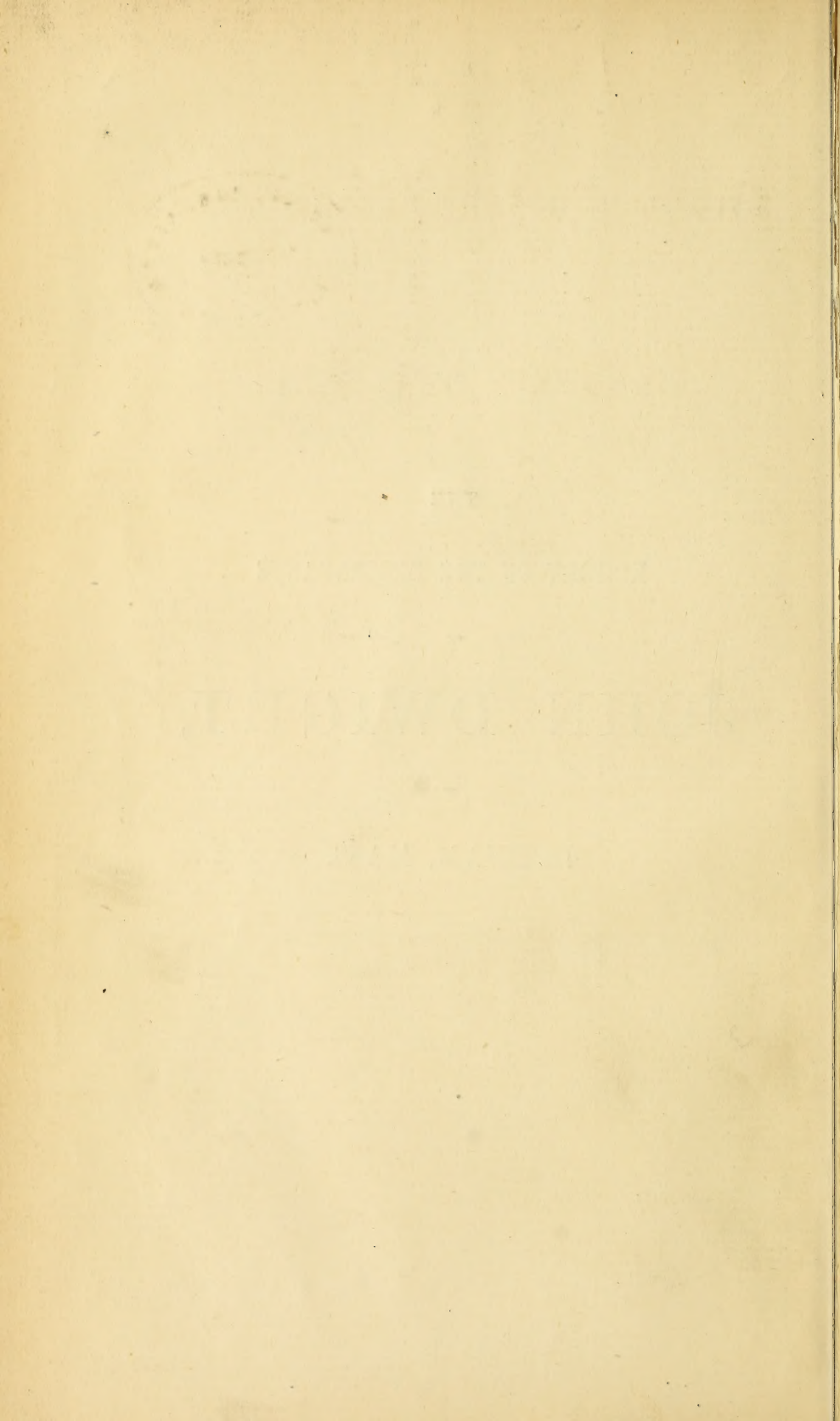




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[Fourth Generation.] See page 497.

2818. viii. Eunice Dwight (dau. of Rev. Josiah Dwight of Woodstock, Ct. and Mary Partridge), b. in 1708, m. Dec. 12, 1733, Dea. Aaron Lyman, b. April 1, 1705 (son of Lt. Benjamin Lyman of Northampton and Thankful Pomeroy). He was brother to Hannah Lyman, whom her cousin, Capt. Nathaniel Dwight of Belchertown, married (see page 446, No. 60. i.). He was one of the first settlers (in 1731) of "Cold Spring," now Belchertown, and was a deacon in the church from its first organization for nearly 50 years. He kept public-house for many years in the place. She d. March 28, 1760, aet. 52, and has been ever "revered and admired by her descendants as a lady of superior abilities." He m. in 1772, for 2d wife, widow Joanna Holton of Northfield. He d. June 12, 1780, aet. 75.

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

3230. i. Susanna Lyman, b. Nov. 16, 1734, m. Major Elihu Kent, d. Feb. 1, 1770, aet. 35.

3231. ii. Major Josiah Lyman, b. March 9, 1736, d. Nov. 18, 1822.

3232. iii. Anna Lyman, b. July 28, 1737, d. unmarried at Hadley, Mass. [In the Genealogy of the Lyman Family by Prof. Lyman Coleman—Albany, 1872, Joel Munsell—it is stated that she m. Capt. Granger of Suffield, Ct., and had children: *Fanny*, who m. Stephen Barnard, and d. in 1851; *Amelia*; and *Nancy*, who d. unmarried. This difference in the records as to her is discovered too late to allow of any further investigation by the author. Dr. Coleman's general account of this whole family of Lymans is exceedingly meagre at the best.]

3233. iv. Aaron Lyman, b. March 20, 1740, d. Feb. 23, 1758, crushed when on a loaded sled in motion against a tree.

3234. v. Major Elihu Lyman, b. Dec. 25, 1741, d. Sept. 12, 1824.



3235. vi. Eunice Lyman, b. May 29, 1744, m. Jonathan Arms of Deerfield, d. May 3, 1838.

3236. vii. Mary Lyman, b. Nov. 12, 1745, m. Capt. Elisha Hunt, and d. in 1819, aet. 74.

3237. viii. Dorothy Lyman, b. June 17, 1747, d. Aug. 16, 1749.

3238. ix. Caleb Lyman, b. Aug. 2, 1750, d. Aug. 19, 1822.

3239. x. Dorothy Lyman, b. Oct. 4, 1756, d. Sept. 14, 1787.

3230. i. Susanna Lyman, b. Nov. 16, 1734, m. as his 2d wife Major Elihu Kent, Nov. 9, 1763. He, b. June 1, 1733, was son of Elijah Kent of Suffield, Ct., and Rachel Kellogg. He was a farmer at Suffield. She d. Feb. 1, 1770, and he m. for 3d wife, Feb. 2, 1774, Sibyl Dwight, b. Oct. 4, 1744 (dau. of Col. Simeon Dwight of Western, Mass., and Sibyl Dwight, dau. of Capt. Samuel Dwight. See previous page, 272, No. 529. iii. and subsequent page, No. 6394. i.). She d. July 9, 1822, aet. 76. He d. Feb. 12, 1814, aet. 80.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

3240. i. Rebecca Kent, b. Dec. 15, 1764, m. Calvin Austin of Warren, O.

3241. ii. Gamaliel Kent, b. Aug. 9, 1766.

3242. iii. Susanna Kent, b. Sept. 20, 1768, m. Hezekiah Huntington of Suffield, Ct.

3240. i. Rebecca Kent, b. Dec. 15, 1764, m. about 1782 Calvin Austin, b. in Suffield, Ct., in 1753. He was an agent for eastern land-owners and judge for several years of the county court for Trumbull Co., O. He resided at Warren, O., where he d. Oct. 2, 1819, aet. 66. She d. Jan. 9, 1800, and he m. in 1805, for 2d wife, widow Martha Murdock, *née* Potter, b. in 1780 (dau. of Rev. Lyman Potter of Steubenville, O.). She d. in Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 2, 1850.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3243. i. Harriet Austin, b. May 20, 1783, m. Lyman Potter.

3244. ii. Israel Seymour Austin, b. April 21, 1785, d. at Fairport, O., in 1819, aet. 34.

3245. iii. Charles Augustus Austin, b. May 31, 1787, killed by the fall of a tree Sept. 20, 1815.

3246. iv. Frances Maria Austin, b. April 7, 1789, in Suffield, m. George Parsons.

3247. v. Mary Ann Austin, b. Jan. 20, 1791, d. Feb. 11, 1791.

3248. vi. Calvin Austin, b. March, 1, 1792.

3249. vii. Mary Ann Austin, b. Dec. 25, 1793, d. Feb. 2, 1794.

3250. viii. Rebecca Austin, b. Oct. 25, 1795, d. Dec. 4, 1795.

[By his 2d marriage he had a dau., Martha Maria Austin, who m. March 29, 1826, Andrew W. Loomis, b. June 27, 1797, a lawyer in

Steubenville, O. She d. in Pittsburgh, Pa. They had 3 sons: Austin, Thomas A., Orlando M., and a dau. Martha Maria.]

3243. i. Harriet Austin, b. at Suffield May 20, 1783, m. Jan. 12, 1806, Lyman Potter, b. in Norwich, Vt., June 26, 1778 (son of Rev. Lyman Potter and Abigail Paine), a farmer at Bristol, O. He d. at Natchez, Miss., in 1830. She d. Oct. 24, 1827, at Bristol, O.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3251. i. Seymour Austin Potter, b. April 20, 1807.

3252. ii. Lyman Potter, b. Sept. 25, 1808, d. at N. Orleans, July 23, 1853.

3253. iii. Calvin Potter, b. Dec. 28, 1809.

3254. iv. Lorenzo Potter, b. Nov. 28, 1811.

3255. v. Rebecca K. Potter, b. Dec. 13, 1814, m. Dec. 24, 1833, Liberty Raymond of Warren, O., a carpenter. She d. March 11, 1834.

3256. vi. Harriet Potter, b. Sept. 15, 1816, d. at Kinsman, O., Sept. 16, 1842.

3257. vii. Abigail Potter, b. April 7, 1820, m. Nov. 1, 1860, Philo Sigler, a farmer.

3258. viii. Charles Potter, b. Nov. 16, 1821, m. Jan. 6, 1869, Sarah Jane Dukeheart of Baltimore, Md.: a merchant.

3259. ix. Martha Potter, b. April 4, 1823, m. July 8, 1844, Junius Dana of Warren, O., a surveyor. Two children:

1. Wm. Henry Dana, b. June 10, 1846.

2. Alice Dana, b. June 9, 1863, d. Aug. 15, 1866.

3251. i. Seymour Austin Potter, b. April 20, 1807, m. May 18, 1837, at Warren, O., Amelia Austin. He is a merchant.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3260. i. Austin Potter, b. Feb. 18, 1843.

3261. ii. Olive A. Potter, b. Aug. 25, 1849.

[Eighth Generation.]

3252. ii. Lyman Potter, b. Sept. 25, 1808, a lawyer at Natchez, Miss., m. there in 1840 Henrietta E. Evans. He d. at New Orleans, July 23, 1853.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3262. i. William G. Potter, b. July 1841, at Natchez.

3263. ii. Julia K. Potter, b. there in 1843.

3264. iii. Harry Potter, b. about 1844.

3265. iv. Spencer Lyman Potter, b. at Vicksburgh, Miss., in 1846.

[Eighth Generation.]

3254. iv. Lorenzo Potter, b. Nov. 28, 1811, m. Dec. 24, 1833, at Warren, O., Lydia Brooks. He is a tanner at Warren. Four children:





1. Richard, b. at Pittsburgh, Pa. 2. Lyman, b. at Warren. 3. Rebecca. 4. John Cassius.

[Seventh Generation.]

3246. iv. Frances Maria Austin (dau. of Calvin Austin and Rebecca Kent), b. April 7, 1789, m. Dec. 10, 1807, George Parsons, b. April 10, 1781 (son of Hezekiah Parsons of Enfield, Ct., and Margaret Kibbe), county-court clerk at Warren, O. She d. June 19, 1850: he died Aug. 2, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3266. i. Maria Parsons, b. Nov. 9, 1808, m. Heman R. Harman.

3267. ii. George Parsons, b. Sept. 3, 1810.

3266. i. Maria Parsons, b. Nov. 9, 1808, m. Feb. 21, 1827, Heman Rising Harman (son of Reuben and Ruth Harman of Vt.), a merchant at Warren, O. He d. Dec. 1, 1859.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3268. i. George Harman, b. May 15, 1829, d. Dec. 16, 1830.

3269. ii. Maria Harman, b. Nov. 3, 1830, d. Dec. 18, 1830.

3270. iii. George Harman, 2d b. Aug. 23, 1832, d. Dec. 15, 1850.

3271. iv. Maria Austin Harman, b. June 2, 1834.

3272. v. Calvin Austin Harman, b. July 31, 1837.

3273. vi. Margaret Kibbe Harman, b. Nov. 18, 1839.

3274. vii. Heman Rising Harman, b. Jan. 31, 1842.

3275. viii. Frances Parsons Harman, b. April 9, 1844.

3276. ix. Martha Loomis Harman, b. April 6, 1846.

3277. x. Clara Harman, b. July 10, 1848.

3272. v. Calvin Austin Harman, b. July 31, 1837, m. Oct. 2, 1861, Annie Eva Barnhisel of Girard, O. (dau. of Henry and Susan Barnhisel): a manufacturer of pails, spokes, fruit-boxes, etc.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

3278. i. George Parsons Harman, b. July 25, 1862.

3279. ii. Blanche Barnhisel Harman, b. Jan. 27, 1864.

3280. iii. Clara Harman, b. Aug. 1, 1867.

[Ninth Generation.]

3273. vi. Margaret Kibbe Harman, b. Nov. 18, 1839, m. Sept. 25, 1860, John Stark Edwards, b. Nov. 28, 1833 (son of Jonathan Edwards of Youngstown, O., and Lucy Woodbridge), a banker in Youngstown.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

3281. i. Lucy Maria Edwards, b. Sept. 14, 1861.

3282. ii. Elizabeth Taylor Edwards, b. May 14, 1863.

3283. iii. Calvin Harman Edwards, b. June 14, 1864.

3284. iv. Heman Edwards, b. Dec. 28, 1865.

3285. v. Timothy Dwight Edwards, b. July 24, 1867.

[Ninth Generation.]

3274. vii. Heman Rising Harman, b. Jan. 31, 1842, m. June 19, 1866, Mary Cornelia Fuller, b. Feb. 7, 1842 (dau. of Ira Lucius Fuller of Warren, O., and Mary Benjamin): a merchant. One child:

3286. 1. Lucius Percival Harman, b. in Warren, April 30, 1867, d. in Fremont, Nebraska, Aug. 20, 1868.

3275. viii. Frances Parsons Harman, b. April 9, 1844, m. March 23, 1864, Capt. Oscar Orlando Miller, b. in Liberty, O., March 8, 1838 (son of Reuben and Eveline Miller of Warren). He was a Capt. and Asst. Adj. Genl. in the late war for the Union, and was killed near Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 2, 1864. She m. for 2d husband, Nov. 20, 1867, Edgar John Foster, b. Jan. 31, 1839 (son of Riley and Sarah Jane Foster of Indianapolis, Ind.), a carpet dealer in Indianapolis.

[Eighth Generation.]

3267. ii. George Parsons, Jr. (son of George Parsons of Warren and Frances Maria Austin), b. Sept. 3, 1810, m. June 28, 1838, Adeline Baldwin (dau. of Jacob Hicks Baldwin of Champion, O., and Florinda —). She d. June 26, 1861, and he m. for 2d wife, April 26, 1865, Harriet Melissa Lee (dau. of Roswell and Sally Lee of Farmington, O.). He is a farmer at Champion, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

3287. i. George Parsons, b. Nov. 9, 1839. He was a private in the 19th Regt. of Ohio Vols. He d. at Glascon, Ky., March 10, 1862.

3288. ii. Adeline Parsons, b. Dec. 16, 1842.

3289. iii. Charles Hicks Parsons, b. Dec. 13, 1846.

3290. iv. Wm. Baldwin Parsons, b. May 31, 1849.

3291. v. Jacob Hicks Parsons, b. June 14, 1852.

Thanks are due to David Leicester King, Esq., of Akron, O., for the account here given of the descendants of Calvin Austin.

[Sixth Generation.]

3241. ii. Gamaliel Kent (son of Major Elihu Kent and Susanna Lyman), b. Aug. 9, 1766, m. Nov. 26, 1792, widow Deborah Woodward, *née* Huntington, b. Nov. 21, 1762 (dau. of John Huntington of Tolland, Ct., and Mehitable Steele). He was a farmer at Suffield, Ct., until 1806, when he removed to Ohio—going thither with a wagon and four horses in 37 days, a journey which could be made now by rail, in as many hours. He lived in Aurora, O., for 5 years (1807–12), and in Bainbridge, O., for 19 years (1812–31), on a farm of 600 acres. He



was a Baptist, and became, after removing to Ohio, a Campbellite. He d. April 30, 1831, aet. 64. She d. July 17, 1843, aet. 80.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3292. i. Elihu Lyman Kent, b. Sept. 3, 1793, m. Feb. 18, 1818, Clarissa Blish (dau. of Benjamin and Phebe Blish of Mentor, O.). He was a farmer in Bainbridge, O. He d. Sept. 14, 1827. No issue. His widow resides in Euclid, O.

3293. ii. Delia Kent, b. April 30, 1795, m. Russell G. McCartney.

3294. iii. Laura Kent, b. March 23, 1797, m. Harvey Baldwin, and for 2d husband Edmund Mott.

3295. iv. Gamaliel Huntington Kent, b. Jan. 21, 1799. The account of his descendants was promised, but never furnished.

3296. v. Alexander Edson Kent, b. April 20, 1802.

3293. ii. Delia Kent, b. April 30, 1795, m. March 23, 1820, Russell Gates McCartney (son of Lankford McCartney of Colchester, Ct.), a large farmer in Bainbridge, O., until 1852, and afterwards at Dover, O. (1852-9), where he d. July 6, 1859. His widow resides in Bainbridge.

[Eighth Generation.]

3297. i. Henry Huntington McCartney, b. Sept. 30, 1822, grad. at Union Coll., N. Y., in 1847, d. in Bainbridge Dec. 13, 1847. He was preparing for the ministry in the "Church of the Disciples."

3298. ii. Deborah McCartney, b. Aug. 20, 1824, d. June 2, 1825.

3299. iii. Deborah Isabella McCartney, b. Feb. 13, 1826, grad. at Oberlin in 1844, d. March 6, 1845.

3300. iv. Delia Eleanor McCartney, b. July 7, 1828, resides in Cleveland, O.

3301. v. Salmon Bentley McCartney, b. Feb. 2, 1833, d. April 19, 1852.

3302. vi. Minerva Cornelia McCartney, b. June 11, 1835, d. March 13, 1858.

3303. vii. Edson Kent McCartney, b. June 4, 1839, resides in Chicago, Ill.

[Seventh Generation.]

3294. -iii. Laura Kent, b. March 23, 1797, m. Oct. 10, 1818, Harvey Baldwin of Aurora, O., from whom she was divorced in 1828. She m. in 1865 Edmund Mott of Collamer, O.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3304. i. Laura Ann Baldwin, b. Nov. 23, 1819, d. in Bainbridge, O., Sept 20, 1824.

3305. ii. Harvey Baldwin, b. April 14, 1823.

3306. iii. Philander Baldwin, b. Dec. 8, 1824, d. Sept. 12, 1829.

3307. iv. Oscar Owen Baldwin, b. Dec. 28, 1828, grad. at Oberlin in 1854, m. Aug. 23, 1854, Harriet Newell Parker, b. Sept. 27, 1830 (dau. of Herrick Parker of Elyria, O., and Mary —): a lawyer in Rochester, Minn. No children.

3305. ii. Harvey Baldwin, b. April 14, 1823, m. Dec. 23, 1847, Emily Carver, b. Nov. 8, 1823 (dau. of Chester and Anna Carver of Aurora, O.): a farmer in Aurora, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3308. i. Ella Florence Baldwin, b. Sept. 11, 1848, a teacher of music at Sulphur Springs, O.

3309. ii. Alice Matilda Baldwin, b. Nov. 10, 1850.

3310. iii. Carrie Estelle Baldwin, b. June 11, 1855.

3311. iv. Harriet Eulalia Baldwin, b. Aug. 24, 1858.

3312. v. Anna Laura Baldwin, b. July 23, 1860.

3313. vi. Minnie Carver Baldwin, b. Dec. 17, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

3296. v. Alexander Edson Kent (son of Gamaliel Kent and Deborah Huntington), b. April 20, 1802, m. Nov. 8, 1826, Lucy Matilda Bull, b. Dec. 29, 1806 (dau. of Benjamin S. and Rebecca Bull of New Lebanon, N. Y.). She d. Sept. 14, 1841, and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 20, 1842, Hannah Morford, b. April 17, 1811 (dau. of William and Betsy C. Morford of Solon, O.). He is a farmer in Bainbridge.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

3314. i. Lyman Edson Kent, b. Aug. 23, 1827, m. Oct. 9, 1856, Emily Eggleston, b. Oct. 9, 1832 (dau. of Chauncey and Eunice Eggleston of Aurora, Ill.). She d. July 12, 1858, and he m. for 2d wife, April 4, 1860, Sarah Ann Leonard, b. Feb. 2, 1833. He was a farmer in Bainbridge. He d. May 16, 1862. By his first marriage he had one child:

3315. 1. Earnest Wilbert Kent, b. July 20, 1857, d. June 25, 1858.

3316. ii. Rebecca Matilda Kent, b. April 24, 1829, m. Dec. 20, 1848, Thomas William Briggs, b. May 10, 1827 (son of Alanson and Mary Briggs), a farmer in Watertown, Mich. She d. at Bainbridge, O., Aug. 7, 1860, leaving one child.

3317. 1. Henry Lyman Briggs, b. Nov. 10, 1850.

3318. iii. Elizabeth B. Kent, b. Feb. 9, 1831, a teacher for some years in Cleveland, O. To her is to be credited the account here kindly given of the descendants of her grandfather, Gamaliel Kent.

3319. iv. Delia Edith Kent, b. March 23, 1833, m. Henry C. Ely.

3320. v. Laura Ann Kent, b. March 5, 1835, m. Austin Z. Mason.

3321. vi. Lucy Clemenza Kent, b. June 15, 1837, resides unmarried at Bainbridge, O.



3322. vii. Hampton Huntington Kent, b. March 13, 1840, a farmer at Bainbridge. He enlisted as a volunteer soldier in the late Union war, Nov. 17, 1863, and was discharged on account of sickness, Aug. 1864.

*By second wife:*

3323. viii. Abiah Arabella Kent, b. Sept. 27, 1843, d. June 23, 1853.

3324. ix. Alexander Gamaliel Kent, b. April 13, 1845, a merchant in Bainbridge.

3325 x. Alice Cassandra Kent, b. Nov. 27, 1846, m. June 7, 1866, Lucas Hurd (son of William Hurd of Bainbridge and Eliza Egglestone), a farmer at Auburn, O. One child:

3326. 1. Walter Hurd, b. Dec. 31, 1867.

3327. xi. Henry Martyn Kent, b. Sept. 8, 1848.

Says my lady informant concerning the Kents of Ohio: "It would be difficult to find another family as large as the Kent family of Bainbridge, O., where there was such a similarity of outward circumstances and personal characteristics among so many composing it, and such unity of feeling throughout its different branches."

3319. iv. Delia Edith Kent, b. March 23, 1833, m. Dec. 6, 1854, Henry Cornelius Ely, b. May 9, 1823 (son of Asaph Ely of Boston, Mass., and Deborah Nye), a farmer in Richfield, O., where she d. Sept. 24, 1862, act. 29.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3328. i. Asaph Edson Ely, b. June 8, 1857.

3329. ii. Libby Marian Ely, b. Oct. 16, 1859.

3330. iii. Walter Cornelius Ely, b. Sept. 23, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.]

3320. v. Laura Ann Kent, b. March 5, 1835, m. Nov. 25, 1858, Austin Zaccheus Mason, b. Aug. 8, 1835 (son of Ira Mason of Courtland Co., N. Y., and Sophronia Smith), a carpenter at Appleton, Wis., and since 1865 at Adrian, Mich. She d. April 12, 1865.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3331. i. Earnest Kent Mason, b. Sept. 24, 1859.

3332. ii. Francis Mason, b. July 6, 1861, d. Aug. 18, 1863.

3333. iii. Lucy Elizabeth Mason, b. May 8, 1863.

[Sixth Generation.]

3242. iii. Susanna Kent (dau. of Major Elihu Kent and Susanna Lyman), b. Sept. 20, 1768, m. May 5, 1789, Hon. Hezekiah Huntington, b. Dec. 30, 1759 (son of John Huntington of Tolland, Ct., and Mehitable Steele), brother to Deborah Huntington, wife of her brother Gamaliel Kent. He was a lawyer for 23 years (1790-1813) at Suffield, Ct., and for 29 years (1813-1842) at Hartford, Ct. He was several times a member of the legislature (1802-5). He was also U. S.

Dist. Attorney for Conn. for 23 years (1806-29), appointed by Jefferson. He d. at Middletown, Ct., May 27, 1842. She d. Dec. 31, 1839.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3334. i. Henry William Huntington, b. Aug. 16, 1789, d. Oct. 12, 1854.

3335. ii. Julia Ann Huntington, b. Dec. 10, 1790, m. Leicester King of Warren, O., and d. Jan. 24, 1849.

3336. iii. Horace Augustus Huntington, b. May 9, 1792, m. in 1817 Maria Evans. No issue. He was a merchant in Natchez, Miss., where he d. of yellow fever, Dec. 9, 1819.

3337. iv. Hon. Samuel Howard Huntington, b. Dec. 14, 1793.

3338. v. Hezekiah Huntington, b. Oct. 28, 1795.

3339. vi. Susan Lyman Huntington, b. Jan. 14, 1798, m. Oct. 21, 1833, Rev. John B. Cooke, a Baptist clergyman, formerly at Binghamton, N. Y. He resided for some years at Poultney, Vt., and more recently has lived at Cambridge, Mass. They have had one child :

3340. 1. Susan Kent Cooke, b. Dec. 26, 1837, a teacher at Cambridge, Mass.

3341. vii. Francis Junius Huntington, b. Dec. 3, 1802.

3334. i. Henry William Huntington, b. Aug. 16, 1789, grad. at Yale in 1811, studied law, but became a planter in Catahoula, La., where he d. Oct. 12, 1854. He m. April 24, 1817, Helen, dau. of William Dunbar of Natchez, Miss.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3342. i. Julia Huntington, b. Aug. 8, 1818, m. about 1840 Henry D. Mandeville, a lawyer and planter in Louisiana. She d. July 8, 1851, leaving three children.

3343. ii. Henry Huntington, b. July 25, 1820, a soldier in the Confederate Army in the late war, and killed.

3344. iii. Archibald Huntington, b. Sept. 5, 1822, d. April 2, 1841.

3345. iv. Mary Huntington, b. Nov. 14, 1824, m. Dr. W. Haug, a physician at Catahoula, La.

3346. v. Florence Huntington, b. Dec. 12, 1826, m. May 16, 1850, H. H. Emerson, M.D., of Louisiana. She d. Feb. 12, 1853, leaving one son.

3347. vi. Samuel Huntington, b. Feb. 25, 1829.

3348. vii. A daughter, unnamed, b. Oct. 31, 1832, d. Nov. 14, 1832.

3349. viii. Horace Huntington, b. Jan. 31, 1834, d. Jan. 25, 1838.

3350. ix. Helen Dunbar Huntington, b. Aug. 6, 1836, m. (whom not ascertained), and lives in Mobile, Ala.

3351. x. Edith Huntington, b. June 7, 1838, d. ere long.

[Seventh Generation.]

3335. ii. Julia Ann Huntington (dau. of Hezekiah Huntington and



Susanna Kent), b. Dec. 10, 1790, m. Oct. 12, 1814, Hon. Leicester King of Warren, O., b. May 1, 1789 (son of David King of Suffield, Ct., b. April 16, 1758, and d. May 4, 1832, and Hannah Holly, b. June 4, 1758, and d. July 14, 1831, who were m. Jan. 27, 1780). He was a merchant for several years at Warren (1817-33). He was chiefly instrumental in the construction of the Pa. & O. Canal, connecting the Ohio river at Beaver, Pa., with the Ohio canal at Akron, O. He was for two terms State Senator (1835-9). He was a decided abolitionist, and at each session he proposed the passage of an act to remove the infamous "Black Laws" from the statute books of the State. He was President of the Liberty Party Convention at Buffalo, in 1844, which nominated James G. Birney as U. S. President, and Thomas Morris as V. Prest. In 1842 he was the nominee of that party for the Governorship of Ohio, and in 1847, for the Vice-Presidency of the U. S., with John P. Hale as President, who both declined in favor of John Van Buren and Charles Francis Adams, the nominees of the Free Soil party. He d. at Bloomfield, O., Sept. 19, 1856, aet. 77. She d. at Warren, O., Jan. 24, 1849, aet. 58. He left a large estate in Akron, of which city he was, with two others (Genl. Simon Perkins and Dr. E. Crosby), an original proprietor.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3352. i. Hon. Henry William King, b. in Westfield, Mass., Sept. 24, 1815, d. Nov. 20, 1857, aet. 42.

3353. ii. Julia Ann King, b. in Warren, Nov. 7, 1817, m. Feb. 14, 1842, Charles Brown, b. in Westmoreland, N. H., Aug. 9, 1814 (son of Ephraim Brown and Mary Buckingham Huntington), a wholesale dry goods merchant at Pittsburgh, Pa., for several years (1832-48), and afterwards a large farmer at Bloomfield, O. (1848-59). He has resided for some years past (since 1859) at Akron. No children.

3354. iii. Susan Huntington King, b. July 6, 1820, d. unmarried June 17, 1839.

3355. iv. Leicester King, Jr., b. July 26, 1823, in Warren, O.

3356. v. David Leicester King, b. Dec. 24, 1825, in Warren, O.

3357. vi. Helen Dunbar King, b. in Warren, Nov. 19, 1827, m. James Atkins of Savannah, Ga., U. S. Custom House Collector.

3358. vii. Hezekiah Huntington King, b. in Warren, Aug. 3, 1829, resides unmarried at Kansas City, Mo., owning a large property there.

3359. viii. Catharine Brinley King, b. at Warren, July 8, 1832, m. Rev. William K. Pendleton.

3352. i. Hon. Henry William King, b. Sept. 24, 1815, m. at Akron, O., Oct. 20, 1842, Mary Crosby, b. in Middlebury, O., April 16, 1823 (dau. of Dr. Eliakim Crosby and Marcia Bemer). He was grad. at

Trinity College, Ct., in 1836, and was a lawyer at Akron, O. He died Nov. 21, 1857, in Wisconsin. In 1850 he was elected Sec. of State in Ohio, and was as such State Superintendent of Common Schools.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3360. i. Henry Crosby King, b. Sept. 17, 1843. He enlisted as an Union soldier in the late war, in place of a friend, "by special favor"—so anxious was he to serve in such a way his country and his God. None of the military examiners would pass him as physically qualified, on account of defective vision. He joined Co. F of the 164th O. Regt., and was a brave and earnest Christian soldier. He d. in the Military Hospital at Arlington Heights, Va., Aug. 11, 1864.

3361. ii. Julia Huntington King, b. June 4, 1848, m. about 1868, Homer Dewey Fisher, b. Jan 23, 1846, a lumber merchant in Chicago, (Calkins & Fisher). Two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Calista King Fisher, b. Oct. 5, 1870, d. Aug. 30, 1872.

\*\*\*\* 2. Louisa Dewey Fisher, b. June 7, 1872.

[Eighth generation.]

3355. iv. Leicester King, Jr., b. July 26, 1823, m. Dec. 10, 1844, Eliza Purinton, b. May 27, 1825 (dau. of Rev. Nathan Breed Purinton of Warren, O., and Jerusha Stowell). He was educated at Western Reserve, Coll., O., and at Bethany Coll., Va. He is a farmer at Bloomfield, O., but was formerly a merchant for some years at Warren, O., and Rock Island, Ill. He enlisted in 1861, as an Union soldier, in the 7th O. Regt., in which he became Sergeant-major, Second Lieut. and First Lieut., and saw much hard service beyond any of the other Ohio regiments for three years.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3362. i. Julia Eliza King, b. at Warren, Aug. 21, 1845.

3363. ii. Leicester Purinton King, b. Feb. 11, 1847, at Warren.

3364. iii. Israel Holly King, b. at Akron, O., July 26, 1852.

3365. iv. George Willie King, b. at Akron, March 24, 1854.

3366. v. Charlotte Purinton King, b. at Akron, Oct. 20, 1856.

3367. vi. Lizzie King, b. at Bloomfield, O., Oct. 26, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

3356. v. David Leicester King (son of Hon. Leicester King and Julia Ann Huntington), b. Dec. 24, 1825, m. at Charleston, Va., May 1, 1849, Betty Washington Steele, b. Dec. 10, 1826 (dau. of Robert McAmey Steele and Ellen Jael Lewis). He was grad. at Bethany College, W. Va., in 1843, and pursued his law studies at Harvard, Mass. He was a lawyer at Akron, O., for many years, but in 1867 engaged actively in the manufacture of "vitrified-clay sewer-pipe," and is now Sec. and Treas. of "The Akron Sewer Pipe Co." He is also



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much occupied in building "The Valley Railway," from Cleveland to Wheeling, and is Vice-Pres. of the road. From him was procured the account here given of his father's descendants.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3368. i. Ellen Lewis King, b. at Akron, June 13, 1850, m. David R. Paige.

3369. ii. Betty Steele King, b. at Cleveland, O., Dec. 22, 1851.

3370. iii. Howell Steele King, b. there May 3, 1853.

3371. iv. Susan Huntington King, b. there Jan. 16, 1855.

3372. v. Martha King, b. in Akron, April 6, 1863.

3368. i. Ellen Lewis King, b. June 13, 1850, m. Jan. 19, 1870, David Raymond Paige, b. April 8, 1844 (son of Judge David R. Paige of Painesville, O., and Nancy ——), a hardware merchant in Akron. He was grad. at Union Coll., N. Y., in 1865. Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Charles Cutler Paige, b. Nov. 25, 1870.

\*\*\*\* 2. David King Paige, b. May 20, 1872.

[Ellen Jael Lewis, b. Jan. 28, 1802, was dau. of Howell Lewis and Ellen Hackley Pollard of Richmond, Va., b. Dec. 7, 1776 (dau. of Robert Pollard, b. July 3, 1756, and Jael Underwood, b. Sept. 23, 1759, whom he m. July 10, 1774, and who was dau. of William Underwood and Ellen Hackley). Howell Lewis and wife were m. Sept. 26, 1795. He was a son of Col. Fielding Lewis and Betty Washington, his 2d wife. She was b. June 20, 1733, and dau. of Augustine Washington and Mary Ball, his 2d wife, whom he m. March 6, 1730, by whom he had five sons and one daughter. He d. April 12, 1743, aet. 49. She d. Aug. 25, 1789, aet. 82. Their six children were: 1. Pres. George Washington, b. Feb. 22, 1732. 2. Betty Washington (Mrs. Fielding Lewis), b. June 20, 1733. 3. Samuel Washington, b. Nov. 16, 1734. 4. John Augustine Washington, b. Jan. 13, 1735. 5. Charles Washington, b. May 1, 1738. 6. Mildred Washington, b. June 21, 1739, d. Oct. 28, 1740. Augustine Washington, father of the above six children, had by his first wife, Jane Butler (dau. of Caleb Butler of Westmoreland, Va.), whom he m. April 20, 1715, and who d. Nov. 24, 1728, three sons, Butler, who d. young, Lawrence and Augustine, Jr., and also one dau., Jane. The parents of Augustine Washington (the father of Genl. George Washington and his 9 brothers and sisters), were Lawrence Washington, Jr., and Mildred Warner of Gloucester, Va. The father of Lawrence Washington, 2d, was Col. John Washington, who, with a brother, Lawrence, came from England about 1657, and settled at Bridge Creek, Va., on the Potomac. He m. Ann Pope, and had 2 sons, Lawrence 2d, and John, and a dau., Anne.

Robert McAmey Steele, who m. Jan. 21, 1819, Ellen Jael Lewis, whose pedigree is given above, was the son of Richard Steele and Martha McAmey of Kentucky. He lived in Charleston, Kanawha Co., Va. He d. Feb. 27, 1826. She m. Nov. 28, 1843, Dr. Spicer Patrick. She d. Oct. 4, 1850.

Howell Lewis, the father of Ellen Jael Lewis, was a favorite nephew of Genl. Washington, and inherited from him some 1,300 acres of land upon the Kanawha river, in Western Virginia, in Mason Co., near the mouth of the Big Buffalo Creek. Of this he took possession in 1812 (having previously lived in Woodlawn, Culpepper Co., Va.), with twelve male slaves and six female, and their children, under the care of "Old Jack," a trusty old leader among them. Here Mr. Lewis d. Dec. 26, 1822. Mrs. Lewis remained at this new homestead until 1834, but spent her later years at Marietta, O. (1834-59), where she d. at the house of her dau., Mrs. Lovell, in 1859. She (Betty Washington Lewis) b. Oct. 1796, m. Feb. 19, 1818, Joseph Lovell, then of Charleston, Va.

The first wife of Col. Fielding Lewis was Catharine Washington, dau. of John Washington 3d (son of Lawrence Washington of Bridge Creek, Va., and Mildred Warner of Gloucester, Va.) and John Washington 3d, the father of Catharine and Augustine Washington, b. in 1694, the father of Betty (the two wives of Col. Lewis), were brothers. Lawrence Washington, their father, d. in 1697. Beside them he had one dau., Mildred. The children of Col. Lewis by the two marriages were :

*By the first marriage:*

- I. John Lewis. II. Francis Lewis, who d. without issue.

*By the second marriage:*

III. Lawrence Lewis, who m. Eleanor Park Custis, dau. of Mrs. Genl. Washington.

IV. Major George Fielding Lewis, who m. Catharine Dangerfield, and had 3 children, Samuel, Dangerfield and Polly.

V. Robert Lewis, who m. Judith Brown, and had 2 daughters, Judy and Betsey.

VI. Howell Lewis, who m. Ellen Hackley Pollard.

VII. Betty Lewis, who m. a Mr. Carter.

The successive steps, accordingly, in the Washington Lineage of David L. King's children are as follows:

1. John Washington, the settler (about 1657), who m. Anne Pope.
2. Lawrence Washington, 2d, of Bridge Creek, Vt., who m. Mildred Warner.
3. Augustine, father of Genl. Washington, who m. Mary Ball.
4. Col. Fielding Lewis, who m. Betty Washington.



5. Howell Lewis, who m. Ellen Hackley Pollard.
6. Robert M. Steele, who m. Ellen Jael Lewis.
7. Betty Washington Steele, who m. David L. King. ]

[Eighth Generation.]

3357. vi. Helen Dunbar King (dau. of Leicester King and Julia A. Huntington), b. Nov. 19, 1827, m. May 1, 1862 James Atkins of Georgia (son of Joseph Atkins, b. Aug. 19, 1804, and Margaret Adams, b. June 19, 1805), grad. at Bethany Coll., Va., a lawyer. At the breaking out of the war he came North, and remained here until its close. He was a few years ago U. S. Collector of internal revenue at Atlanta, Ga., for the 4th Dist. of Georgia, but is now (1873) U. S. Collector of Customs at Savannah, Ga.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3373. i. Joseph Leicester Atkins, b. in Akron, O., March 20, 1863.
3374. ii. Julia Huntington Atkins, b. in Akron, July 8, 1865.
3375. iii. Henry King Atkins, b. at Atlanta, Ga., July 29, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

3359. viii. Catharine Brinley King, b. July 8, 1832, m. at Bloomfield, O., Sept. 19, 1855, Rev. William Kimbrough Pendleton, LL.D., b. Sept. 8, 1817 (son of Edmund Pendleton of Louisa Co., Va., and Unity Yancey), grad. at the University of Va. in the classics, and in law in 1839, Prest. of Bethany College, W. Virginia (since 1866), and Prof. of Sacred History and Philosophy and Belles Lettres there, as the successor of Rev. Alexander Campbell, the founder (in 1841) and first President of the institution. He has been from the first connected with this College, having been professor in it (1841-66), previously to his presidency, of Natural Philosophy. He was in 1872 a member of the Constitutional Convention which framed the present constitution of W. Virginia. He also filled for a short time, at the request of the Governor of W. Va., a vacancy in the office of State Superintendent of public schools, for the special purpose of preparing the annual report. Bethany College, the chief college of the denomination called "The Disciples," is located at Bethany, W. Virginia, and is quite flourishing, having three special courses of higher study—the classical, scientific and theological.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3378. i. Clarinda Huntington Pendleton, b. at Bethany, W. Va., Aug. 25, 1856.
3379. ii. Huntington King Pendleton, b. there Sept. 7, 1861.
3380. iii. Philip Yancey Pendleton, b. there Oct. 12, 1863.
- \*\*\*\* iv. Winston Kent Pendleton, b. Oct. 25, 1869.
- \*\*\*\* v. Dwight Lyman Pendleton, b. Oct. 14, 1871.

[Seventh Generation.]

3337. iv. Hon. Samuel Howard Huntington (son of Hezekiah Huntington and Susanna Kent), b. Dec. 14, 1793, grad. at Yale in 1818, a lawyer in Hartford, Ct.; clerk in 1829 of the State Senate; judge three times of the Court of Common Pleas for Hartford Co., Ct. (1842-4, 1846-7 and 1850-1), and Chief Clerk of the Court of Claims in Washington, D.C., since 1855, the time of its organization. He m. Oct. 25, 1825, Catharine Hutchinson Brinley, b. Feb. 21, 1806 (dau. of George Brinley of Boston, Mass.), who d. July 21, 1832, aet. 26. He m. for 2d wife, Oct. 19, 1835, Sarah Blair Watkinson, b. Oct. 28, 1813 (dau. of Robert Watkinson and Maria Champion, dau. of Genl. Henry Champion of Colchester, Ct.). No children by the first marriage.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3382. i. Catharine Brinley Huntington, b. Jan. 1, 1837, resides unmarried at Hartford, Ct.

3383. ii. Maria Champion Huntington resides unmarried at Hartford, and was b. there Dec. 27, 1838.

3384. iii. Capt. Robert Watkinson Huntington, b. Dec. 3, 1840.

3385. iv. Samuel Huntington, b. Dec. 17, 1842, grad. at Yale in 1863, and at Columbia Law School, N. Y. in 1865, where he took the first prize of \$200. He is a lawyer in New York.

3386. v. Henry Kent Huntington, b. March 27, 1844, grad. at Trinity Coll., Hartford, in 1867, tutor (1868) in Racine Coll. Wis.

3387. vi. Sarah Blair Huntington, b. Nov. 30, 1847, resides unmarried at Hartford.

3388. vii. Elizabeth Adams Huntington (twin with Sarah), b. Nov. 30, 1847, resides unmarried at Hartford.

3384. iii. Capt. Robert Watkinson Huntington, b. Dec. 3, 1840, m. Nov. 2, 1865, Jane Lathrop Trumbull, b. Sep. 9, 1842, at Norwich, Ct. (dau. of Daniel Lathrop Trumbull—a descendant of Gov. Jonathan Trumbull of Conn., and Alexandrine Navarre Wilson).

He was an Union soldier in the late war. The battalion to which he belonged acted as guard to Rickett's battery in the first battle at Bull Run, Va., and that it did its duty is manifest from the fact that its losses were greater than those of any other corps of equal numbers.

He was afterwards one of Admiral Dupont's expedition to Hilton Head, S. C. The transport in which his battalion sailed, under command of Col. J. G. Reynolds, foundered. After enduring great hardships in the water for 48 hours, they were rescued by the frigate Sabine, commanded by Commodore Ringold.

He was entrusted with confidential duties of importance, as com-

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mander of a marine guard during the rebellion, and is (since 1868) a Captain in the U. S. Marine Corps.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3389. i. Robert Watkinson Huntington, b. Nov. 9, 1866.

3390. ii. Trumbull Huntington, b. Aug. 4, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

3338. v. Hezekiah Huntington, Jr. (son of Hezekiah Huntington and Susanna Kent), b. Oct. 28, 1795, m. June 26, 1825, Sarah Morgan (dau. of William Morgan). She d. April 16, 1847, and he m. for 2d wife, Sept. 25, 1856, Catharine B. Sumner (dau. of George Sumner, M.D. of Hartford, Ct.). He was Prest. of the Hartford Fire Ins. Co. He d. Feb. 20, 1865. No issue by his first wife.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3392. i. Elizabeth Sumner Huntington, b. March 3 and d. May 12, 1858.

3393. ii. Catharine Sumner Huntington, b. April 19, 1859.

3394. iii. George Sumner Huntington, b. March 20, 1861, d. in Europe 1866-7.

[Seventh Generation.]

3341. vii. Francis Junius Huntington, b. Dec. 3, 1802, m. Sept. 1, 1833, Stella Bradley Bull, b. Feb. 13, 1810 (dau. of Michael Bull, a merchant in New York. He was son of Caleb Bull, b. in Hartford, Ct., March 4, 1763, and Ann Whetten, b. Feb. 8, 1773, whom he m. Dec. 15, 1795, and who was dau. of Capt. William Whetten of Devonshire, Eng., and Margaret his wife—the “Mrs. Margaret Whetten portrayed in Mrs. Ellet’s ‘Women of the Revolution’”). He is a publisher and bookseller in New York, having a summer home at W. Hartford, Ct. (since 1841).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3395. i. Helen Huntington, b. Jan. 3, 1836, d. Feb. 18, 1839.

3396. ii. Francis Huntington, b. Nov. 2, 1837, d. Sept. 3, 1838.

3397. iii. Francis Huntington, 2d, b. Sept. 1, 1839, d. April 28, 1842.

3398. iv. William Whetten Huntington, b. Dec. 9, 1841, in partnership with his father in New York as publisher, etc.

3399. v. Edward Bouverie Huntington, b. Feb. 5, 1844, a farmer in San Juan, Cal., unmarried.

3400. vi. Margaret Kent Huntington, b. Jan. 5, 1846.

3401. vii. Archibald Dunbar Huntington, b. Nov. 26, 1851.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 541.

3231. ii. Major Josiah Lyman (son of Dea. Aaron Lyman of Belchertown and Eunice Dwight), b. March 9, 1736, a farmer in Belcher-



town, Mass., and after about 1802, at Goshen, Mass., where he d. Nov. 18, 1822, aet. 86. He m. Jan. 9, 1759, Sarah Worthington, b. Nov. 27, 1734 (dau. of Daniel Worthington of Colchester, Ct., b. May 18, 1698, and Elizabeth Loomis, b. Nov. 13, 1702. See Goodwin's Geneal. Notes, pp. 264-7). She d. Feb. 19, 1799. He m. for a 2d wife, at Goshen, widow Brown (Coleman says *Stone*). He was a Major in the revolutionary war, and was one of those who, at the beginning of it, marched to Canada and suffered severely. He was a deacon in the church at Goshen.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3402. i. Dea. Aaron Lyman, 2d, b. Oct. 1, 1760, d. Dec. 17, 1845.

3403. ii. Sophia Lyman, b. Jan. 1, 1763, m. Rev. Amasa Smith, and d. April 4, 1853.

3404. iii. Giles Lyman, b. May 2, 1765, d. May 4, 1848.

3405. iv. Dea. Jonathan Lyman, b. March 20, 1767, d. Sept. 27, 1846.

3406. v. Augustus Lyman, b. May 26, 1769, d. Oct. 17, 1829.

3402. i. Dea. Aaron Lyman, Jr. (son of Major Josiah Lyman), b. Oct. 1, 1760, m. Jan. 17, 1788, Electa Graves, b. Jan. 9, 1768, dau. of Lieut. Joseph Graves, Jr., of Belchertown, and Eunice Dwight, dau. of Capt. Nathaniel Dwight of that place, and Hannah Lyman. (See page 466, No. 2577, iv.). He was a farmer at Charlemont, Mass., after 1803, and previously at Belchertown, and "a man of humble, earnest piety, and of superior talents, and very useful as a church officer." He was an interesting talker on religious themes, and practised what he preached, and had very great influence in the town for good. He d. Dec. 17, 1845, aet. 85. She d. July 5, 1856, aet. 88. They had 13 children.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3407. i. Dea. Josiah Lyman, b. Dec. 12, 1788. He m. May 26, 1819, Zerviah Look, b. Nov. 19, 1795 (adopted dau. of Lucius Allis of Conway, Mass., and dau. of Noah Look and Esther C. Cottle). He was a clothier at first, and afterwards a farmer at Charlemont, Mass., and was deacon of the church for 20 years. He d. March 11, 1848. No children. His widow is still (1872) living at Charlemont. Many of the dates here given were furnished to the writer by her.

3408. ii. Eunice Lyman, b. Oct. 21, 1790, d. unmarried Nov. 25, 1826.

3409. iii. Sophia Lyman, b. Oct. 27, 1792, d. unmarried in Shelburne, Mass., April 16, 1811, aet. 28.

3410. iv. Almira Lyman, b. Sept. 30, 1794, d. May 4, 1823, in Charlemont, aet. 28.

3411. v. Susanna Lyman, b. Sept. 15, 1796, m. Thomas Carter of Pitcher, N. Y.

3412. vi. Emily Lyman, b. Oct. 14, 1798, d. unmarried, April 19, 1822, aet. 23, at Hadley, Mass.

3413. vii. Margaret ("Peggy") Lyman, b. Nov. 22, 1800, m. Josiah Ballard, and d. May 1844, aet. 43.

3414. viii. Abigail Lyman, b. Feb. 25, 1803, m. Gurdon Swan.

3415. ix. Electa Lyman, b. May 28, 1805, m. James Miller Claghorn.

3416. x. Myron Lyman, b. May 5, 1807, d. Oct. 5, 1808.

3417. xi. Frederic Augustus Lyman, b. June 25, 1809, d. July 8, 1809.

3418. xii. Lyndon Graves Lyman, b. June 14, 1810.

3419. xiii. Augustus Le Baron Lyman, b. Jan. 20, 1815, d. March 8, 1815. While the parents of this large family of children were both remarkable for their longevity, their children were about as notably shortlived.

3411. v. Susanna Lyman, b. Sept. 15, 1796, m. March 6, 1827, Hon. Thomas Carter of Pitcher, N. Y., b. in Buckland, Mass., June 4, 1804 (son of John Carter and Parnee Nichols), a blacksmith, and in 1860 a member of the N. Y. legislature. He d. Jan. 15, 1867, aet. 62.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3420. i. Aaron Lyman Carter, b. Nov. 14, 1829, m. Jan. 21, 1853, Elsie Jane Vincent of De Ruyter, N. Y., b. March 31, 1833 (dau. of Cornelius Vincent of Cuyler, N. Y., and Harriet Smith). He entered the Union Army, in the late war, as 2d Sergt. in Co. B, 76th N. Y. Regt., Sept. 1861, and was made 2d Lieut. Oct. 9, 1862. He took part in the battles of Sulphur Springs, Rappahannock Station, Gainesville, second Bull Run, second Fredericksburgh and Gettysburgh. At this last place he was wounded in the foot and ankle, and after much suffering for nearly two years had to submit to the amputation of his leg below the knee. He was mustered out of service Nov. 15, 1863. He is postmaster at Pitcher, N. Y., and clerk in a clothing store. No children.

3421. ii. Parnee Sophia Carter, b. March 6, 1834, m. Feb. 17, 1852, Dana Beebe Rockwell of Taylor, N. Y. (son of Hiram Rockwell and Polly Beebe) : a farmer in Lena, Ill. They have one daughter.

3422. 1. Mary Olivia Rockwell, b. at Winslow, Ill., Sept. 29, 1858.

[Seventh Generation.]

3413. vii. Margaret Lyman, b. Nov. 22, 1800 (dau. of Dea. Aaron Lyman, Jr., and Electa Graves), m. April 19, 1827, Josiah Ballard of Charlemont. She d. May 1844 : he d. in 1860.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3423. i. Charles Henry Ballard, b. Jan. 1, 1832, an engineer, living at Saratoga, N. Y.

3424. ii. Frederic Ballard, b. March 1, 1837, a merchant at Circleville, O.

[Seventh Generation.]

3414. viii. Abigail Lyman (dau. of Dea. Aaron Lyman, 2d, and Electa Graves), b. Feb. 25, 1803, m. April 10, 1832, Gurdon Swan, b. May 9, 1804 (son of Wheeler Swan and Lucy Palmer), a farmer in Pitcher, N. Y. He died May 19, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3425. i. Electa Lyman Swan, b. Dec. 31, 1832, m. Enos L. Champlin.

3426. ii. Angeline Swan, b. July 10, 1835, m. Asa Alexander.

3427. iii. Margaret Swan, b. June 23, 1839, m. Calvin P. Warner.

3428. iv. Palmer Swan, b. Aug. 17, 1842. He enlisted Sept. 21, 1861, in Co. B of the 76th N. Y. Regt., and became Sergeant in it, but d. of dysentery Aug. 23, 1863. He took part in the battles of Gainesville, Bull Run No. 2, those of Pope's Retreat in 1862, South Mountain, Antietam and Fredericksburgh 1st and 2d.

3429. v. Wheeler Swan, b. July 20, 1846, a farmer in Kaneville, Ill.

3425. i. Electa Lyman Swan, b. Dec. 31, 1832, m. Feb. 13, 1855, Enos Lewis Champlin (son of Henry Champlin and Polly Warner), a farmer in Kaneville, Kane Co., Ill.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3430. i. Lewis Warner Champlin, b. Aug. 15, 1860.

3431. ii. Palmer Swan Champlin, b. July 2, 1864.

3432. iii. Nina Champlin, b. May 2, 1866.

[Eighth Generation.]

3426. ii. Angeline Swan, b. July 10, 1835, m. Jan. 31, 1855, Asa Alexander (son of John Alexander and Anna Coan), a farmer in Pitcher, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3433. i. Abby Alexander, b. Nov. 13, 1855.

3434. ii. Delia Alexander, b. Sept. 15, 1857.

3435. iii. Sarah Alexander, b. Sept. 18, 1859.

3436. iv. Frank Alexander, b. Sept. 7, 1861.

3437. v. Isadine Alexander, b. Nov. 7, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

3427. iii. Margaret Swan, b. June 23, 1839, m. Jan. 20, 1864, Calvin Perry Warner, b. Aug. 6, 1837 (son of Roswell Warner of Otselic, N. Y., and Polly West), a farmer in Taylor, N. Y. One child :

3438. 1. Minnie Warner b. Sept. 29, 1865.



[Seventh Generation.]

3415. ix. Electa Lyman (dau. of Dea. Aaron Lyman, 2d, and Electa Graves), b. May 28, 1805, m. Oct. 25, 1831, James Miller Claghorn, b. in 1801 (son of James Claghorn of Cummington, Mass., and Asenath Strong, his 3d wife, he being her 2d husband. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. pp. 860-4), a carpenter and bridge-builder at North Evans, Erie Co., N. Y., and deacon in the Presb. Ch.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3439. i. Josiah Lyman Claghorn, b. in 1832, m. Jenny Lake.

3440. ii. James Augustus Claghorn, b. in 1835, m. Susan Bibbins, resides in Waseca, Minn.

3441. iii. Ellen Elmina Claghorn, b. in 1837, m. Cyrenius Wood of Eden, N. Y.

3442. iv. Ada Claghorn, b. in 1838-9.

3443. v. Henry Dwight Claghorn, b. in 1840, enlisted in the Union Army in the late war, while a student at Oberlin, O., and d. in a military hospital at Rochester, N. Y.

3444. vi. Emily Sophia Claghorn, b. in 1842, m. Aug. 18, 1868 Lewis J. Bailey of Elmira, N. Y.

3445. vii. Eliza Adelaide Claghorn, b. in 1843.

3446. viii. Lucia Maria Claghorn, b. in 1846, m. James Frost of Eden, N. Y.

3447. ix. Sarah Josephine Claghorn, b. in 1849, m. Aug. 18, 1868, James F. Ryther of Eden, N. Y., a farmer in North Evans, N. Y.

Dea. James M. Claghorn made no reply to several letters of inquiry addressed to him for facts desired.

[Seventh Generation.]

3418. xii. Lyndon Graves Lyman (son of Dea. Aaron Lyman, 2d, and Electa Graves), b. June 14, 1810, m. July 28, 1844, Mary Welch Castner (dau. of Rev. Jacob Randolph Castner of Washington, N. J., and Sarah Shafer). She d. Oct. 16, 1847, and he m. for 2d wife, Jan. 12, 1853, Jane Robb (dau. of John Robb of Newark, N. J., and Elizabeth Simonton). He is a dentist at Newark, N. J., where he has resided since 1835.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

3448. i. Emma Castner Lyman, b. Dec. 8, 1845.

3449. ii. Mary Castner Lyman, b. Oct. 5, 1847, m. Dec. 24, 1867, Joseph Heath Menagh of Hackettstown, N. J., a merchant.

*By second wife :*

3450. iii. Elizabeth Ballard Lyman, b. April 12, 1854.

3451. iv. Anna Nichols Lyman, b. Oct. 17, 1855, d. Sept. 20, 1856.

3452. v. William Lyndon Lyman, b. April 21, 1858.

3453. vi. Jenny Robb Lyman, b. Feb. 26, 1860.

3454. vii. Julia Simonton Lyman, b. Jan. 12, 1866.

[Sixth Generation.]

3403. ii. Sophia Lyman (dau. of Major Josiah Lyman and Sarah Worthington), b. Jan. 1, 1763, m. March 29, 1787, Rev. Amasa Smith, b. at Northampton, Mass., March 6, 1756 (son of Dea. Joseph Smith of Belchertown, b. in Hatfield in 1720, and Eunice Bascom). He was a farmer at Belchertown, deacon in the church there and Major of Militia until 1802 (aet. 46), when he became a minister, was settled afterwards (1804——) at North Yarmouth, Me. (now called Cumberland), where he d. March 9, 1847, aet. 91. It was his joy during all his long life to labor for the good of others. She d. April 4, 1853, aet. 90. A remarkable couple indeed!

[Seventh Generation]. Children:

3455. i. Dorothy Smith, b. Jan. 16, 1788, m. William Carey, d. Aug. 18, 1818.

3456. ii. Hon. Joseph Smith, b. Nov. 10, 1789.

3457. iii. Lyman Smith, b. Oct. 31, 1791, d. Oct. 3, 1811, in the West Indies.

3458. iv. Sarah Smith, b. Oct. 17, 1793, m. Simeon Sweetser.

3459. v. Gilman Smith, b. Feb. 3, 1795, d. Feb. 8, 1803.

3460. vi. Edwin Smith, b. Feb. 24, 1797, m. Rachel Grace of Bath, Me.

3461. vii. Elam Smith, b. Aug. 20, 1800, d. Aug. 10, 1801.

3462. viii. Sidney Smith, b. Sept. 30, 1802, m. Susan Chute of Windham, Me. He lived and died at Blanchard, Me.

3463. ix. Gilman Smith, 2d, b. May 31, 1805, m. Joanna Stephens of Portland, Me. He removed to Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, where he d.

3455. i. Dorothy Smith, b. Jan. 16, 1788, m. March 3, 1808, William Carey, a farmer in Turner, Me., b. in 1783, who was still living in 1868, aet. 85. She d. Aug. 18, 1818.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3464. i. Abby Carey, b. April 23, 1809, m. Nov. 1828, Jonathan Bass Barrell of Turner, Me. She d. Aug. 21, 1858, leaving two sons and three daughters.

3465. ii. Alma Carey, b. Nov. 10, 1810, a teacher for some 20 years in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. She resides unmarried in Turner, Me.

3466. iii. Susan Carey, b. April 14, 1813, m. Waldo A. Blossom, then of Turner, but of late years in the employment of the U. S. Gov. They have two sons and one daughter.

3467. iv. Sophia Lyman Carey, b. Oct. 29, 1814. She was, with her sister Alma, a teacher in Pennsylvania, and d. at Darby, Pa., unmarried, July 9, 1864.

3468. v. Lucinda Carey, b. July 2, 1816, d. Oct. 23, 1817.

3469. vi. Dorothy Smith Carey, b. Aug. 18, 1818, m. in 1850, Rev. Josiah T. Hawes, settled at Bridgeton, Me. (1857-67), and since 1867 at Litchfield, Me. They have had 3 children.

Said Joseph Smith in 1868, then 78 himself, of his sister Dorothy Smith, that "she and all her children were very much respected and eminently pious."

[Seventh Generation.]

3456. ii. Hon. Joseph Smith (son of Rev. Amasa Smith and Sophia Lyman), b. Nov. 10, 1789, m. June 15, 1815, Lucretia Blanchard, b. June 5, 1793 (dau. of Nicholas Blanchard of Cumberland, Me., and Sabra Gray): a carpenter at Cumberland, Me. He was for 3 years a member of the Maine legislature, and twice sheriff of the county. In 1842 he was appointed by the U. S. Court one of the general assignees in bankruptcy for the county of Cumberland. He was afterwards for 4 years in the Custom House in Portland, Me., in the double capacity of inspector and assistant surveyor. He has held many other civil offices.

[Eighth Generation.]

3470. i. Joseph Lyman Smith, b. May 7, 1816, d. Dec. 21, 1834.

3471. ii. Lucretia Smith, b. June 29, 1818, d. Nov. 12, 1824.

3472. iii. Dorothy Carey Smith, b. Sept. 3, 1820, d. July 28, 1847.

3473. iv. Henry Horatio Smith, b. Oct. 21, 1822, d. Sept. 17, 1831.

3474. v. Giles Smith, b. Nov. 30, 1824, d. Dec. 3, 1824.

3475. vi. Lucretia Blanchard Smith, b. Jan. 14, 1826, m. Oct. 17, 1847, Charles Augustus Ludlow Blanchard of Cumberland, Me., who settled in New York. He d. Aug. 1866. His widow resides in Brooklyn. They had 2 children.

3476. vii. Harriet Electa Smith, b. Oct. 22, 1828, m. Amos J. Osgood.

3477. viii. Phebe Ann Smith, b. May 29, 1831, d. June 30, 1848.

3478. ix. Horatio Gray Smith, b. March 27, 1833.

3479. x. Mary Lyman Smith, b. Oct. 15, 1836, m. Charles E. Her-  
rick.

3476. vii. Harriet Electa Smith, b. Oct. 22, 1828, m. Sept. 21, 1854, Amos Johnson Osgood, a merchant in Cumberland.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3480. i. Mary Eliza Osgood, b. Nov. 31, 1855.

3481. ii. Charles Edwin Osgood, b. Feb. 20, 1857, d. Aug. 20, 1859.

3482. iii. Joseph Amos Osgood, b. Dec. 3, 1858, d. May 22, 1861.

3483. iv. Edward Bartlett Osgood, b. June 18, 1860.

3484. v. Ida Stanwood Osgood, b. April 4, 1866.



[Eighth Generation.]

3478. ix. Horatio Gray Smith, b. March 27, 1833, m. Nov. 21, 1855, Lucia Abbot Soule. He was a carpenter for many years at Cumberland, Me., but has been more recently a publisher of photographs at Boston. His family resides at Chelsea, Mass. Two children:

3485. 1. Alice L. Smith, b. Oct. 1858.

3486. 2. Edith G. Smith, b. May 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

3479. x. Mary Lyman Smith, b. Oct. 15, 1836, m. May 3, 1857, Charles Edwin Herrick, a farmer in Cumberland.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3487. i. Ellen Gray Herrick, b. April 27, 1861, d. Aug. 5, 1861.

3488. ii. Horatio Henry Herrick, b. April 12, 1863.

3489. iii. Laura Lyman Herrick, b. Oct. 21, 1867.

[Sixth Generation.]

3458. iv. Sarah Smith (dau. of Rev. Amasa Smith and Sophia Lyman), b. Oct. 17, 1793, m. Jan. 1815, Sineon Sweetser of Cumberland. He d. some years since. She resides in Portland, Me. They had 4 children.

3490. i. Lydia Ann Sweetser, who m. James Richardson, of Pelham, N. H.

3491. ii. Samuel Sweetser, (of whom anything further than his name was not discovered).

3492. iii. Sophia Sweetser, who m. Adam Fuller of Portland, Me.

3493. iv. Elizabeth Sweetser, who m. Horace Band of Portland, Me.

[Sixth Generation.]

3404. iii. Giles Lyman (son of Major Josiah Lyman and Sarah Worthington), b. May 2, 1765, m. Nov. 11, 1795, Mary Hubbard, b. Aug. 20, 1768 (dau. of Nehemiah Hubbard of Middletown, Ct., and Sarah Sill). He was a farmer successively at Belchertown (1765-1802), at Goshen, Mass. (1802-9), at Shelburne, Mass. (1809-33), and at Fowlerville, N. Y. (1833-48). He was a very resolute and industrious man, and fresh to the last. He d. at Fowlerville, N. Y., May 4, 1848, aet. 83. She d. at Middletown, Ct., March 5, 1855, aet. 86.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3494. i. Mary Lyman, b. July 30, 1796, d. July 31, 1796.

3495. ii. Lucy Lyman, b. Aug. 1, 1797, m. in 1846 Ebenezer Guernsey Hubbard, b. Jan. 10, 1796 (son of Micah Hubbard of Middletown and Content Guernsey). He lives at Middletown. No issue.

3496. iii. Maria Augusta Lyman, b. Nov. 11, 1798, d. Sept. 4, 1801.

3497. iv. Elihu Hubbard Lyman, b. Aug. 19, 1800, m. Martha Col-

lins of Fowlerville, N. Y. He is a farmer at Lyons, Mich., and was previously at Muir, Mich., and Fowlerville, N. Y. They have had 2 children: 1, William Collins Lyman; 2, Frank Hubbard Lyman.

3498. v. Rev. Giles Lyman, b. March 16, 1802.

3499. vi. Frederic Lyman, b. June 30, 1804, d. Aug. 28, 1808.

3500. vii. Henry Lyman, b. March 30, 1806, d. Aug. 12, 1806.

3501. viii. Mary Lyman, 2d, b. Nov. 17, 1809, d. unmarried March 1850.

3502. ix. Sophia Augusta Lyman, b. Dec. 25, 1811, m. Dr. William Fullerton.

3498. v. Rev. Giles Lyman, b. March 16, 1802, m. Dec. 14, 1835, Louisa Whitney of Winchendon, Mass., b. May 30, 1812 (dau. of Phineas Whitney and Bethiah Barrett). No issue.

He was grad. at Amherst in 1827, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1831. He was pastor of the Cong. Church at Jaffray, N. H., for 5 years (1832-7). From 1840 to 1869 he was settled at Marlborough, N. H. Between these two settlements he preached as his health, which was poor, would allow him; at Fowlerville, N. Y. (1837-8); Ashburnham, Mass. (1838-9); and Gardner, Mass. (1839-40). He has recently (1873) died.

3502. ix. Sophia Augusta Lyman, b. at Shelburne, Mass., Dec. 25, 1811, m. May 15, 1834, William Fullerton, M.D., b. Nov. 28, 1802, in Franklin Co., Pa. (son of Humphrey Fullerton and Catharine Dixon). He was grad. in 1822 at Ohio University, in Athens, O., and at Transylvania, Med. Coll., in Lexington, Ky., in 1825. He has been since 1825 a physician at Chillicothe, O.

[Eighth Generation.]

3503. i. Lyman Fullerton, b. April 1, 1835, grad. at Marietta Coll. in 1854, and at Harvard Law School in 1857, is a lawyer in Kansas City, Mo. (since 1865).

3504. ii. Humphrey Fullerton, b. Aug. 29, 1836, enlisted Sept. 18, 1861, in the 33d Ohio Regt. He was in "the army of the Ohio," under Genl. O. M. Mitchell, in the capture of Bowling Green, Ky., and the march through northern Alabama, and at the battle of Fort McCook, Tenn., and that of Perryville, Ky. He was honorably discharged on account of general physical disability, Nov. 21, 1862. He d. at home, Dec. 23, 1863, of "nervous prostration."

3505. iii. William Fullerton, b. June 19, 1838, d. Aug. 9, 1838.

3506. iv. Mary Hubbard Fullerton, b. Sept. 16, 1839, d. Feb. 5, 1840.

3507. v. Martha Catharine Fullerton, b. Dec. 28, 1840, d. May 29, 1842.

3508. vi. Sophia Lyman Fullerton, b. Dec. 18, 1843, d. March 11, 1868.

3509. vii. Margaret Fullerton, b. Nov. 11, 1845.

3510. viii. William Dixon Fullerton, b. Nov. 25, 1847, a farmer in Kingston, O.

3511. ix. Frank Fullerton, b. Sept. 27, 1850, d. Feb. 10, 1851.

\*\*\* x. Lucy Hubbard Fullerton, b. April 14, 1853.

[Sixth Generation.]

3405. iv. Dea. Jonathan Lyman (son of Major Josiah Lyman and Sarah Worthington), b. March 20, 1767, m. Electa Bardwell (dau. of Joseph Bardwell, Jr., "a man of high religious character," who d. at S. Hadley, Mass., in 1838, aet. 88, and Sibyl Smith). She was b. in 1773, and d. at Goshen in March 1824, aet. 47. He m. for 2d wife, Dec. 5, 1826, Lydia Towne, b. Jan. 5, 1789 (dau. of Amasa Towne and Margaret Smith, dau. of Joseph Smith of Belchertown). He was deacon of the church in Goshen, where he was a farmer. He afterwards removed to Granby, Mass., where he d. Sept. 27, 1846, aet. 79. No children by either marriage. She was living in S. Hadley in 1867.

3406. v. Augustus Lyman (son of Major Josiah Lyman), b. May 26, 1769, m. Nov. 6, 1795, his cousin, Eunice Arms of Deerfield, Mass., b. Sept. 10, 1775 (dau. of Dea. Jonathan Arms and Eunice Lyman). He was a blacksmith at Deerfield, Mass., and held various offices of trust in the town. He d. Oct. 17, 1829: she d. April 14, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3512. i. Harriet Lyman, b. Nov. 18, 1796, has lived unmarried.

3513. ii. Miriam Arms Lyman, b. April 8, 1798, m. Jonathan Winship, d. Nov. 15, 1836.

3514. iii. Frederic Augustus Lyman, b. Aug. 21, 1801, d. Oct. 5, 1802.

3515. iv. Dorothy Arms Lyman, b. Sept. 6, 1803, m. Joseph Anderson, d. Sept. 2, 1834.

3516. v. Sarah Worthington Lyman, b. April 8, 1807, m. Francis Winship.

3517. vi. Amelia Lyman, b. July 9, 1811, d. at Brighton, Mass., Sept. 9, 1826.

3513. ii. Miriam Arms Lyman, b. April 8, 1798, m. Jan. 20, 1825, Jonathan Winship, b. July 11, 1780 (son of Jonathan Winship and Sarah Richardson). He d. Aug. 6, 1847. She d. Nov. 15, 1836. He m. for a 2d wife, March 8, 1838, Mary Knight Prince, b. April 20, 1810 (dau. of Richd. Prince and Sarah Sweet of Marblehead, Mass.).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3518. i. Francis Lyman Winship, b. Jan. 25, 1827.

3519. ii. Amelia Miriam Winship, b. Dec. 14, 1829, m. Dwight B. Hooper.



3520. iii. John Perkins Cushing Winship, b. May 16, 1832, a notary in Boston, Mass., m. Sept. 4, 1856, Kate Agnes Allen, b. April 24, 1831 (dau. of Washington O. Allen of Brighton, Mass., and Catharine B. Howe). They had one child:

3521. 1. Allen Winship, b. June 17, 1857, d. June 29, 1858.

3522. iv. Joseph Bradlee Winship, b. July 24, 1836, d. soon.

3519. ii. Amelia Miriam Winship, b. Dec. 14, 1829, m. Sept. 3, 1856, Dwight Boyden Hooper, b. in Boston, Nov. 25, 1830 (son of John Hooper from London, Eng., and Charlotte Sewall White of Dorchester, Mass.), a stationer in Boston.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3523. i. Mabel Hooper, b. Feb. 26, 1857.

3524. ii. Lyman Winship Hooper, b. May 30, 1859.

3525. iii. Raymond Hooper, b. Dec. 21, 1860.

3526. iv. Lilian Hooper, b. May 1, 1862.

3527. v. Blanche Hooper, b. Dec. 1, 1864.

3528. vi. Leslie Hooper, b. Aug. 10, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

3515. iv. Dorothy Arms Lyman (dau. of Augustus Lyman and Eunice Arms), b. Sept. 6, 1803, m. May 23, 1830, Joseph Anderson of New Salem, Mass., b. Dec. 8, 1798 (son of James Anderson of Shelburne, Mass., and Mary Stebbins), grad. at Williams in 1827. She d. Sept. 2, 1834. [He m. for a 2d wife, Dec. 1840, Mrs. Alpheus Anderson, by whom he has had 3 children: Martha Ann, Susan Emily and Mary Amelia.] He is a farmer at Shelburne, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.]

3529. i. Mary Lyman Anderson, b. June 3, 1831, d. Aug. 1, 1831.

3530. ii. Frederic Augustus Anderson, b. in 1832, d. soon.

[Seventh Generation.]

3516. v. Sarah Worthington Lyman, b. April 8, 1807, m. Nov. 3, 1833, Hon. Francis Winship, b. April 17, 1785 (son of Jonathan Winship and Sarah Richardson). He kept a large nursery at Brighton, Mass. He represented the town of Brighton in the Mass. Legislature for 20 years; was a member of the State Constitutional Convention in 1820, and a member at one time of the State Senate. He was a man of mark in both mind and character. He d. March 9, 1850, aet. 65.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3531. i. Franklin Winship, b. April 5, 1835, a clerk in New Orleans.

3532. ii. Herman Winship, b. Nov. 6, 1841, m. Feb. 7, 1863, Margaret Susan O'Donnell, b. in Charlestown, Mass., June 3, 1844 (dau. of William O'Donnell of Ireland, and Madeline Lallas of Spain): a florist in Auburndale, Mass. One child:

3533. 1. Sarah Lyman Winship, b. Sept. 5, 1866.

3534. iii. George Lyman Winship, b. Feb. 18, 1843, d. Sept. 7, 1847.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 541.

3234. v. Major Elihu Lyman (son of Dea. Aaron Lyman and Eunice Dwight), b. Dec. 25, 1741, was a farmer at Greenfield, Mass. Like his brother Josiah, he was a major in the revolutionary war. He was of a very fine presence and of courteous manners. He m. in 1770 Esther King of Westfield, Mass., b. in 1743. She d. Aug. 1772, aet. 29, and he m. for 2d wife, in 1781, Sarah Stebbins, b. in 1748 (dau. of Joseph Stebbins of Deerfield, Mass., and Mary Stratton). She d. May 23, 1813, aet. 65. He d. Sept. 12, 1824, aet. 82. He was a captain in the expedition under Benedict Arnold for the invasion of Canada, whose sufferings were very great.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

3535. i. Sarah Lyman, b. Sept. 12, 1771, at Northfield, Mass., m. in Guilford, Vt., in 1816, Ephraim Wells, b. in 1771 (son of Joel and Abigail Wells) : a farmer in Greenfield, Mass, where he was drowned Oct. 16, 1818, aet. 47. She d. March 30, 1860, aet. 88. No children.

*By second wife :*

3536. ii. Hon. Elihu Lyman, b. at Northfield, Sept. 25, 1782, d. Feb. 11, 1826.

3537. iii. Hon. Joseph Stebbins Lyman, b. Feb. 14, 1785, grad. at Dartmouth in 1805, was a lawyer at Cooperstown, N. Y., where he d. unmarried March 21, 1821, aet. 36. He was a member of Congress (1819-21).

3537. iv. Henry Lyman, b. June 30, 1787, d. March 13, 1811, aet. 23.

3538. v. Col. Theodore Dwight Lyman, b. in 1789, d. March 6, 1844.

3536. ii. Hon. Elihu Lyman, b. Sept. 25, 1782, grad. at Dartmouth Coll. in 1803, practised law at Greenfield, Mass. (1807-10), and at Greenwich, Mass. (1810-26). He was high sheriff of Franklin Co., Mass. (1811-15), and State Senator (1824-6). He d. at Boston, Feb. 11, 1826, aet. 43, while the legislature was in session. He was a man of fine personal appearance and courtly manners. He m. May 19, 1812, widow Mary Upham *née* Field (widow of Joshua N. Upham and dau. of Robert Field of Greenwich, Mass., and Rachel Pomeroy). [Robert Field of Greenwich was a man of wealth and great public spirit. Enfield, afterwards set off from Greenwich, was named in honor of him. Joshua N. Upham, b. in 1796 (son of Joshua Upham and Elizabeth Murray), d. in 1805, aet. 27. He was grad. at Harvard, and was a lawyer at Greenfield. ]

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3539. i. Eliza Jones Lyman, b. in 1813, d. June 19, 1830, aet. 17.

3540. ii. Mary Field Lyman, b. about 1815. She has been for many years principal, with her sister Catharine, of a Young Ladies' Seminary at Philadelphia, Pa.

3541. iii. Catharine Dwight Lyman, b. about 1817, principal of Seminary as above, with her sister.

3542. iv. Annie Jean Lyman, b. about 1819, m. Prof. Charles Short.

3543. v. Elihu Lyman, b. in 1820, d. July 1, 1823.

3544. vi. Charlotte Augusta Lyman, b. about 1822.

3545. vii. Elihu Lyman, 2d, b. about 1824, d. Jan. 24, 1825.

3542. iv. Annie Jean Lyman, b. about 1819, m. Oct. 9, 1849, Prof. Charles Short, b. at Haverhill, Mass., May 28, 1821 (son of Charles Short of Newburyport, Mass., and Rebecca George), grad. at Harvard in 1846. He was master of the Roxbury, Mass., Grammar School (1847-53); teacher of a classical school of his own in Philadelphia (1853-63); Prest. of Kenyon Coll., Gambier, O., and Prof. of Mental and Moral Philosophy there (1863-7), and Prof. of Latin in Columbia Coll., N. Y., since 1868.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3546. i. Charles Lancaster Short, b. at Roxbury, Sept. 4, 1850.

3547. ii. Mary Lyman Short, b. July 11, 1852, at Roxbury.

3548. iii. Edward Lyman Short, b. at Philadelphia, Sept. 30, 1854, now in Columbia Coll. (1874) in class of 1875.

3549. iv. Henry Alfred Short, b. there Jan. 21, 1859.

[Sixth Generation.]

3538. iv. Col. Theodore Dwight Lyman, b. in 1789, was cashier of a bank in Belchertown, Mass., and afterwards a merchant in Matamoras, Mexico. He m. Dec. 30, 1817, Rebecca Butler Bull of Hartford, Ct., b. July 20, 1794 (dau. of Thomas Bull and Ruth Butler). She d. May 29, 1820, and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 11, 1827, Julia Diantha Dwight, b. June 26, 1809 (dau. of Jonathan Dwight of Belchertown and Amy Parsons. See page 459). He d. at Ann Arbor, Mich., March 6, 1844, aet. 55.

He had by the two marriages 5 children. Those by the second wife have been already given on page 459.

By his first wife he had one child only:

3550. 1. Abigail Hall Lyman, b. April 5, 1819, d. in 1824 at Ann Arbor, Mich., aet. 5.

[Fifth Generation.]

3235. vi. Eunice Lyman (dau. of Dea. Aaron Lyman and Eunice Dwight), b. May 29, 1744, m. as his 2d wife, about 1774, Dea. Jonathan Arms, b. in Deerfield, Mass., Jan. 28, 1735, a farmer in Deerfield and deacon in the Cong. Ch. for 22 years. She was a lady of superior



*Son of Timothy, Son of John, both of Dedham, Mass.* 569

natural abilities and of great bodily vigor, being able, when 80 years of age, to endure a long day's journey with but slight fatigue. He d. Feb. 13, 1819, aet. 84. She d. May 3, 1838, aet. 94.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

3551. i. Eunice Arms, b. Sept. 10, 1775, m. her cousin Augustus Lyman. See p. 565, No. 3406, v., for an account of her descendants. She d. April 14, 1859, aet. 83.

3552. ii. Pliny Arms, b. Feb. 17, 1778, d. Feb. 2, 1859, aet. 81.

3553. iii. Dorothy Arms, b. Aug. 14, 1779, d. soon.

3554. iv. George Arms, b. Aug. 16, 1781, m. Fanny Loring Cushing of Hingham, Mass., and had one son, George Arms, Jr., who d. unmarried June 3, 1842. He himself was a farmer and merchant, and d. Oct. 31, 1819, aet. 38.

3555. v. Dorothy Arms, 2d, b. June 9, 1783, m. Jacob Smith, a lawyer in Royalton, Vt. They had one child, Susan Smith, who m. George Chandler of Danville, Vt., and had 3 children.

3556. vi. Josiah Lyman Arms, b. May 25, 1788, d. Dec. 12, 1828, aet. 40.

3552. ii. Pliny Arms, b. Feb. 17, 1778, m. in 1810 Thankful Dickinson. He d. Feb. 2, 1859, aet. 81. His children were:

3557. 1. Frederic Arms, b. about 1812.

3558. 2. Jonathan Arms, b. about 1814, resides in Monmouth, Ill.

3559. 3. Martha Arms, b. about 1816, m. Henry Hitchcock of Galesburgh, Ill.

3560. 4. Theresa Arms, b. about 1818, m. George Herbert of Chicago, Ill.

[Sixth Generation.]

3556. vi. Josiah Lyman Arms (son of Dea. Jonathan Arms and Eunice Lyman), b. May 25, 1788, a farmer at Deerfield, Mass., and afterwards (1816-28) a merchant and lumber dealer at Glenn's Falls, N. Y., where he d. Dec. 12, 1828, and his widow still lives. He m. Oct. 15, 1812, Cynthia Geer Hunt, b. Oct. 15, 1792 (dau. of Asahel Hunt of Charlestown, N. H., and Anna Geer. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. ii., p. 1178).

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3561. i. Anna Hunt Arms, b. Nov. 19, 1813, d. at Charlestown, N. H., Nov. 6, 1818.

3562. ii. Isabella Arms, b. at Glenn's Falls, May 26, 1817, and d. there unmarried July 29, 1861.

3563. iii. Lewis Lyman Arms, b. Dec. 24, 1818, m. Sept. 10, 1844, Julia A. McDonald: no children: resides at Glenn's Falls.

3564. iv. Anna Hunt Arms, b. Feb. 19, 1821, m. April 10, 1838,

Albert N. Cheney: resides at Glenn's Falls, and is a merchant and farmer.

3565. v. Frederic Augustus Arms, b. May 19, 1823, d. at Cincinnati, O., Dec. 8, 1835.

3566. vi. George Arms, b. Dec. 31, 1827, m. Oct. 12, 1852, Fanny Anne Fassett, b. July 15, 1829 (dau. of John Vanderspiegel Fassett of Troy and Anna Maria Robinson). They have had 5 children:

3567. 1. Lyman Arms, b. at Glenn's Falls, Nov. 3, 1853.

3568. 2. John Fassett Arms, b. at Newaygo, Mich., Oct. 1, 1856, d. at Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 6, 1857.

3569. 3. Helen Hunt Arms, b. at Chicago, Ill., June 18, 1859.

3570. 4. Anna Cheney Arms, b. at Muskegon, Mich., May 7, 1863.

3571. 5. Frederic Fassett Arms, b. at Muskegon, Nov. 14, 1864.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 542.

3236. vii. Mary ("Polly") Lyman (dau. of Dea. Aaron Lyman and Eunice Dwight), b. Nov. 12, 1745, m. Oct. 24, 1771, Capt Elisha Hunt of Northfield, Mass., b. Dec. 1740 (son of Capt. Samuel Hunt, b. in 1704, and d. Feb. 28, 1770), a farmer. He d. Nov. 27, 1810, aet. 69. She d. in 1819, aet. 74.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

3572. i. Samuel Hunt, b. Aug. 23, 1772, d. Nov. 29, 1832.

3573. ii. Mary Hunt, b. Feb. 13, 1774, m. a Mr. Allen.

3574. iii. Ellsworth Hunt, b. Nov. 5, 1775, d. in 1823.

3575. iv. Martha Hunt, b. Oct. 26, 1777, d. June 26, 1796.

3576. v. Frederic Hunt, b. Oct. 10, 1779, grad. at Dartmouth in 1800, a lawyer, d. at Northfield, Mass., April 18, 1805, aet 25.

3577. vi. Elisha Hunt, b. Sept. 20, 1782, d. in 1820.

3578. vii. Sally Hunt, b. Aug. 29, 1784, d. Jan. 19, 1795.

3579. viii. Jonathan Hunt, b. June 4, 1786, d. in 1815.

3572. i. Samuel Hunt, b. Aug. 23, 1772, m. April 12, 1801, Philomela Watriss, b. Feb. 6, 1775, who d. June 5, 1817. He m. for 2d wife, Oct. 13, 1825, Submit Field. He d. and she m. for 2d husband Samuel C. Allen, Jr.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3580. i. Samuel Hunt, b. April 3, 1802, d. Dec. 1851.

3581. ii. John Hunt, b. Feb. 14, 1804, d. Aug. 1853.

3582. iii. Frederic Hunt, b. Dec. 10, 1806.

3583. iv. Martha Hunt, b. Sept. 30, 1808, d. July 4, 1813.

3584. v. Elisha Watriss Hunt, b. Sept. 15, 1810.

3585. vi. Charles Hunt, b. Aug. 10, 1812, d. Oct. 25, 1837.

3586. vii. Martha Philomela Hunt, b. July 23, 1815, d. Sept. 9, 1822.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 542.

3238. ix. Caleb Lyman (son of Dea. Aaron Lyman and Eunice Dwight), b. Aug. 2, 1750, m. Oct. 25, 1774, Catharine Swan, b. in 1753 (dau. of William Swan of Worcester, Mass., and Lavina Keyes). She d. Aug. 22, 1809, and he m. for 2d wife, April 4, 1816, Tirzah\* Philena Field, b. April 6, 1781 (dau. of Abner Field and Polly Mattoon of Northfield). He d. Aug. 19, 1822, aet. 72. He was by trade a hatter, at Northfield, Mass., and deputy sheriff of Franklin Co., Mass., for 40 years. Several of his children have arrived at a great age.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. William Swan Lyman, b. Sept. 5, 1775, m. in 1799, Fanny Pomeroy of Northfield (dau. of Dr. Medad Pomeroy—who was son of Seth and Mary Pomeroy of Northampton—b. in 1736, and d. Oct. 28, 1819, and ——— Hunt, dau. of Capt. Samuel Hunt). He was a hatter at Northfield, and d. Feb. 26, 1801, aet. 25. They had a son.

\*\*\*\* 1. William Swan Lyman, b. June 24, 1800, who d. of yellow fever at N. Orleans, La., aet. about 35.

3587. ii. Charles Lyman, b. May 4, 1778, a portrait painter in New York. He d. unmarried in New London, Ct., April 1, 1814, aet. 36.

3588. iii. Col. Josiah Dwight Lyman, b. Feb. 27, 1780, d. Jan. 6, 1869, aet. 89.

3589. iv. Francis Lyman, b. Oct. 6, 1782, d. Dec. 27, 1784.

3590. v. Francis Lyman, 2d, b. Feb. 15, 1785, resides unmarried (1874), aet. 88, in Northfield. "He was bred a merchant, but, after unsuccessful efforts to do business on his own account, spent his days as a clerk for others in stores and public offices." To him the author is indebted for much of the specific information here given.

3591. vi. Caleb Lyman, b. Oct. 14, 1787, d. unmarried Aug. 26, 1823, in S. Carolina, aet. 36. He was a clerk all his life.

3592. vii. Daniel Lyman, b. May 23, 1790, still (1874) living.

3593. viii. Myra Lyman, b. Feb. 23, 1793, m. Josiah Alexander.

3594. ix. Catharine Swan Lyman, b. March 19, 1797, m. Rev. Thomas Adams, d. Nov. 23, 1870, aet. 72.

3595. x. Edwin Lyman, b. July 30, 1800, d. unmarried Jan. 29, 1841. He was a printer in N. Orleans, La.

3588. iii. Col. Josiah Dwight Lyman, b. Feb. 27, 1780, m. Feb. 1, 1804, Betsey Whiting of Northfield, b. Aug. 12, 1784 (dau. of Jabez Whiting, b. in Dover, N. H., Jan. 11, 1758, and Rebecca Ellis, b. at

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\* The hyperthesis of the aspirate that occurs in several Christian names, from a previous to a subsequent syllable, is of interest to a philologist, as illustrative of similar facts in common words of etymological interest, as of Tirzah for Thirza, Hester for Esther, Orpah for Orpha.



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Dedham, Mass., Jan. 18, 1761). He was a hatter at Northfield. He was made captain of a company of State artillery in 1810, and afterwards Lt. Col. of the regiment. She d. Feb. 25, 1868, aet. 83: he d. Jan. 6, 1869, aet. 89.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3596. i. William Swan Lyman, b. Feb. 27, 1805, d. (early, as the author supposes).

3597. ii. Caleb Lyman, b. Feb. 11, 1807, d. Aug. 1854, unmarried, a hatter at Northfield.

3598. iii. Elizabeth Lyman, b. May 19, 1809, m. Hon. Cullen Sawtelle.

3599. iv. Josiah Dwight Lyman, b. July 16, 1811, d. Sept. 24, 1857.

3600. v. Catharine Frances Lyman, b. April 2, 1814, m. Dr. Cyrus Lee Hunter.

3601. vi. Charles Lyman, b. Dec. 25, 1815, d. Sept. 15, 1835.

3602. vii. Augustus Lyman, b. Sept. 26, 1818.

3603. viii. Jabez Whiting Lyman, b. Feb. 17, 1821, d. Nov. 19, 1862.

3604. ix. Ann Whiting Lyman, b. Oct. 12, 1823, m. Hon. Francis J. Parker.

3598. iii. Elizabeth Lyman (dau. of Col. Josiah D. Lyman and Betsey Whiting), b. May 19, 1809, m. Aug. 24, 1830, Hon. Cullen Sawtelle, b. Sept. 1805, in Norridgewock, Me. (son of Richard Sawtelle and Sarah Ware, dau. of Dr. Ware of Groton, Mass.), grad. at Bowdoin in 1825, a lawyer in New York for some years past. He was, when living in Maine, a Member of Congress for two terms (1845-7 and 1849-51).

[Eighth Generation.]

3605. i. Henrietta Lovell Sawtelle, b. May 30, 1832.

3606. ii. Brig. Genl. Charles Greene Sawtelle, b. May 10, 1834, a graduate of West Point, was active in the late war, and has been since appointed Brigadier General, and is stationed in New York.

3607. iii. Catharine Lyman Sawtelle, b. May 23, 1842.

[Seventh Generation.]

3600. v. Catharine Frances Lyman, b. April 2, 1814, m. May 20, 1851, Dr. Cyrus Lee Hunter of Lincoln Co., N. C., b. Dec. 13, 1807 (son of Rev. Humphrey Hunter, a Presb. clergyman in Lincoln and Mecklenburgh Counties, N. C., for more than 40 years, b. in Ireland, May, 1755, and d. Aug. 1827), a physician by education, but for many years past a farmer, on account of poor health. She d. April 29, 1864, aet. 50, a lady of thorough piety and great loveliness of character. He is an elder in the Presb. Church. They had one child:

3608. 1. Cyrus Lee Hunter, b. Sept. 22, 1852.

3603. viii. Jabez Whiting Lyman, b. Feb. 17, 1821, m. Nov. 17 1845, Mary Ainsworth Parker of Boston. She d. Nov. 19, 1862. He is a merchant in New York. They had one son :

3609. 1. Charles Parker Lyman, b. Sept. 1, 1846.

3604. ix. Ann Whitting Lyman (dau. of Col. Josiah D. Lyman), b. Oct. 12, 1823, m. April 28, 1846, Col. Francis Jewett Parker of Boston, b. March 3, 1825. He was a merchant in Boston, and in 1858 was a member of the State Senate.

He was active in the late war, passing through various offices from Major in 1861 to Col. in 1862, in the 32d Mass. Regt. He served under Genl. Pope in Virginia, at Antietam, Shepardstown and Leetown, and under McClellan and Burnside, up to the battle of Fredericksburgh. In 1864 he was appointed aid-de-camp on the staff of Maj. Genl. Franklin. He is now a broker at Boston.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3610. i. Francis Vose Parker, b. March 13, 1847.

3611. ii. Clara Virginia Parker, b. March 7, 1850.

3612. iii. Cullen Sawtelle Parker, b. Aug. 1857, d. Feb. 16, 1863.

3613. iv. Elizabeth Lyman Parker, b. Oct. 11, 1861.

[Sixth Generation.]

3592. vii. Daniel Lyman (son of Caleb Lyman of Northfield and Catharine Swan), b. May 23, 1790, m. Feb. 19, 1835, Sarah Alexander, b. Aug. 7, 1802 (dau. of Elisha Alexander of Northfield and Sally Doolittle, whom he m. Oct. 11, 1801). He was a merchant for 20 years in New York (1816-36). Since 1836 he has resided at Mendota, Ill., where he was a farmer until 1858, since which time he has not been engaged in active business. He is now (1874) hale and hearty at the age of 83, and has ever been a man of much energy and enterprise.

[Seventh Generation.]

3614. i. Martha Alexander Lyman, b. Jan. 26, 1836, d. Sept. 17, 1836.

3615. ii. Mary Lyman, b. Nov. 12, 1838, m. Fulton Gifford.

3616. iii. A daughter, unnamed, b. and d. Feb. 29, 1844.

3615. ii. Mary Lyman, b. Nov. 12, 1838, m. Nov. 10, 1858, Fulton Gifford, b. Aug. 14, 1833 (son of James T. Gifford of Elgin, Ill., and Laura Raymond, dau. of Newcomb Raymond of Sherburne, N. Y.), cashier of the First National Bank of Mendota, Ill. One child :

3617. 1. Daniel Lyman Gifford, b. Jan. 9, 1861.

[Sixth Generation.]

3593. viii. Myra Lyman (dau. of Caleb Lyman and Catharine Swan), b. Feb. 23, 1793, m. Dec. 11, 1816, Josiah Alexander, b. April 25, 1791 (son of Major Elisha Alexander of Northfield and Sophia

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Stebbins his first wife), a farmer at Northfield. He d. Dec. 22, 1862 : she is still (1873) living at Northfield.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3617. i. Catharine Swan Alexander, b. Feb. 26, 1818, m. Moses Field.

3618. ii. Francis Lyman Alexander, b. May 29, 1821, a merchant at St. Charles, Ill., where he m. Jan. 1, 1846, Mary Ann Walker.

3619. iii. Edward Alexander, b. March 30, 1823, d. Sept. 7, 1865:

3620. iv. Josiah Alexander, b. June 6, 1825.

3621. v. William Dwight Alexander, b. Feb. 27, 1827.

3622. vi. Emily Cordelia Alexander, b. June 18, 1829, d. Sept. 25, 1836.

3623. vii. Joseph Alexander, b. Jan. 28, 1831, d. Dec. 15, 1831.

3617. 1. Catharine Swan Alexander, b. Feb. 26, 1818, m. Nov. 13, 1839, Dea. Moses Field, b. Aug. 11, 1807 (son of Phinehas Field of Northfield and Eunice Lyman), a farmer at Northfield. He d. at Boston, March 21, 1868, aet. 60. She resides at Northfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3624. i. Lucius Field, b. Aug. 15, 1840, m. Aug. 13, 1862, Anna Sophia Harrington, b. April 26, 1840 (dau. of Isaac and Sarah Harrington of Weston, Mass.), a merchant at Clinton, Mass. One child :

3625. 1. Mary Althaea Field, b. May 28, 1866.

3626. ii. Myra Alexander Field, b. May 15, 1843, d. Dec. 27, 1845.

3627. iii. Francis Edward Field, b. Feb. 23, 1845.

3628. iv. Catharine Swan Field, b. June 5, 1847.

3629. v. Christiana Cordelia Field, b. Feb. 12, 1853.

3630. vi. Josiah Alexander Field, b. Oct. 21, 1860.

[Seventh Generation.]

3620. iv. Josiah Alexander, b. June 6, 1825, m. Sept. 13, 1848, in Northboro, Mass., Lucy Crawford Valentine : a merchant in Boston, residing in Clinton, Mass., where all his children were born but the first.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3631. i. Mary Emily Alexander, b. at Northfield, April 21, 1850.

3632. ii. Fanny Elizabeth Alexander, b. May 26, 1852, d. Aug. 19, 1854.

3633. iii. Edward Lyman Alexander, b. Sept. 5, 1854.

3634. iv. Carrie Crawford Alexander, b. June 1, 1857.

3635. v. William Valentine Alexander, b. Oct. 18, 1859.

3636. vi. Charles Elmer Alexander, b. March 21, 1861.

3637. vii. Josiah Francis Alexander, b. April 2, 1862, d. Sept. 15, 1866.



3638. viii. Myra Lyman Alexander, b. April 18, 1863, d. Sept. 19, 1863.

[Seventh Generation.]

3621. v. William Dwight Alexander, b. Feb. 27, 1827, m. Feb. 10, 1864, Elizabeth Hubbard Severance, b. July 10, 1838 (dau. of Nelson Severance of Northfield and Emmeline Field): a farmer at Northfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3639. i. Myra Emmeline Alexander, b. Nov. 22, 1864.

3640. ii. Lucy Valentine Alexander, b. April 9, 1866.

3641. iii. Nelson Dwight Alexander, b. Jan. 13, 1868.

[Sixth Generation.]

3594. ix. Catharine Swan Lyman (dau. of Caleb Lyman and Catharine Swan), b. March 19, 1797, m. as his 3d wife, Aug. 16, 1827, Rev. Thomas Adams, b. in Brookfield, Mass., Feb. 7, 1792 (son of Dea. Benjn. Adams of N. Brookfield, Mass., and Eunice Hale). He was grad. at Dartmouth in 1814, and was a Cong. pastor at Vassalboro, Me., for 16 years (1818-34), and Waterville, Me. (1836-8), edited the Maine Temp. Gazette at Augusta and Portland, Me. (1838-43), and was agent of the Am. Tract Soc. (1843-6), and stated supply at Thompson, O. (1847-56), and agent of the Cong. Board of Publication (1856-63), residing at Hamden, O. Since 1864 he has resided at Vassalboro, Me. His 1st wife was Sarah Barnard of Leicester, Mass., whom he m. June 13, 1819, and his 2d, Lavinia Swan, whom he m. Sept. 3, 1822, and who was dau. of William Swan of Winslow, Me.

She was the author of "Parlor Lectures on Scripture History, 3 vols.," pub. at Augusta, Me.; and also of "Lectures on Ecclesiastical History, 3 vols.;" and of two smaller books pub. by the Am. Sunday School Union, and "Daily Duties," pub. in Boston. She was for several years an inmate of The Lunatic Asylum at Augusta, Me.—insanity being hereditary in the Keyes family, that of her grandfather on the Swan side of the house. She d. at Augusta, Me., Nov. 23, 1870.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3642. i. William Swan Adams, b. Oct. 24, 1828, m. Nov. 1867, Mary A. Hunt of Cincinnati, O. (dau. of Frederic Hunt). He was for some time publisher of The Sunday Dispatch, in Cincinnati, but has of late become a journalist in New York.

3643. ii. Edward Francis Adams, b. Dec. 30, 1839, m. Jan. 26, 1860, Ruah Elmira Shattuck of Hamden, O., b. Dec. 25, 1839 (dau. of Almon and Emily Shattuck): a farmer in Hamden (1860-5); but of late an agent of a book concern in Cleveland, O. His wife d. in Kidder, Mo., of typhoid fever, Jan. 5, 1866.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3644. i. Edward Thomas Adams, b. in Hamden, Dec. 4, 1860.

3645. ii. Sarah Elizabeth Adams, b. in Hamden, Nov. 1863, d. of congestion of the brain, in Kidder, Mo., Oct. 20, 1865.

[William Swan of Worcester, Mass., a goldsmith, was the son of Capt. Ebenezer Swan, captain of a ship in the London trade, and — Foster of Dorchester, Mass. Capt. Ebenezer Swan was the son of Dr. Thomas Swan, who was grad. at Harvard in 1689. William Swan d. aet. 58, leaving a large family, viz. : 1, Benjamin Swan, State Treasurer of Vermont for many years. 2, William Swan, a farmer in Maine and justice of the peace. 3, Thomas Swan, a tory in the Revolution, who drew a pension from the British Government for property sacrificed during the war on account of his political principles, and fled the country for a time, but afterwards returned and became a merchant in Boston, where he d., leaving a son who entered the U. S. Army, as Lieut., about 1800, and left the service at the close of the war of 1812, with the rank of Col. 4, Timothy Swan, a hatter at Suffield, Ct., where "he also engaged in merchandize, and in the making of psalm-tunes, neither of which ended profitably, though he obtained some credit for a few tunes that he composed, as China, Poland, etc., which have been favorably received by the public." 5, Catharine Swan, who m. Caleb Lyman. 6, Lavinia, who m. Jonathan Hunt, Lieut. Gov. of Vermont. 7, Lucretia Swan, who m. a Mr. Webster of Huntsburgh, Vt. 8, Betsey Swan, who m. a Mr. Hubbard of Huntsburgh, Vt., a member of the Vt. Legislature several times].

[Fourth Generation.]

2819. ix. Mary Dwight (dau. of Rev. Josiah Dwight of Woodstock, Ct., and Mary Partridge), b. in 1709, m. July 22, 1731, Rev. Marston Cabot, b. Feb. 20, 1705-6 (son of George Cabot and Abigail Marston, who d. at Boston, Oct. 9, 1709, dau. of Hon. Benjamin Marston of Salem, Mass., grad. at Harvard in 1689, and Patience Rogers). Rev. Marston Cabot, A.M. and V.D.M. (or, Verbi Dei Magister), "an excellent divine and godly man," settled in 1729 (Dec. 4) at Thompson, Ct., then called, and for 55 years afterwards (1785), the North Society of Killingly. His answer to the call, which was made to him Oct. 1729, and which is quaint in itself, is so good a memorial of "the hard times" of those early days, as to deserve at least the partial presentation here given to it.

"Gentlemen," he says, "I doubt not but you are sensible the price of such things as are necessary for the support and comfort of life is daily rising, and there is the prospect of dearer living still. Persuading myself, therefore, and depending on this, that as your outward circumstances increase and grow better, you will proportionably and cheerfully contribute to the bettering the condition and circumstances

of him that labors among you in word and doctrine, I accept your call and invitation to settle among you in the great work of the ministry, provided you fulfil the three following articles:

I. That you answer the 200 pounds' settlement that you have offered me, to Mr. Cooper and his wife, who have engaged to let me have their place for the consideration of 300 pounds.

II. That you always keep up the credit of the salary you have proposed in your call.

III. That you bring me a sufficiency of cord-wood for my own use in the season of it.

Yours for Jesus' sake,

MARSTON CABOT."

He was pastor of this church for 26 years and more, until his sudden death in the pulpit, April 8, 1756, aet. 52. ✕ Said Dr. Daniel Dow, his successor, of him: "Mr. Cabot, I have reason to believe, from the testimony of those who knew him, as well as also from some of his sermons which were published, was a man of God, sound in the faith and a good preacher, though he was said to have been ignorant of the most common things which did not relate to his particular calling." During his ministry 302 members were received into the church. "About the time of his settlement began that new epoch in the American Zion described distinguishingly as "The Great Awakening" and "The Surprising Conversions." This whole period, so wonderful in its character, so blessed in its fruits, and so memorable in the history of the American Church, and so glorious in the displays of heavenly grace, was embraced within the ministry of Mr. Cabot.

Mrs. Mary (Dwight) Cabot m. for a 2d husband, Nov. 29, 1769, Ebenezer Kingsbury of Dedham. He d. Feb. 23, 1777. She d. Sept. 3, 1775, aet. 66.

[George Cabot, the father of Rev. Marston Cabot of Thompson, Ct., was the son of François Cabot and Susanne Gruchy of St. Heliers, Jersey, Eng. He was bapt. Feb. 10, 1677, and left the island about 1700, having given, June 14, 1700, a power of attorney to his mother to sell his real estate and rents there. He was rated in the Salem Tax Book for the year 1700. He removed to Boston before 1704, and owned a house in King St. in 1713, which he mortgaged the same year. John Cabot of Salem, ~~shopkeeper~~, petitioned (as administrator of the estate of his brother George Cabot, late of Boston, joiner) to sell the house, that he might obtain more than the mortgage—the personal interest, together with his interest in house and land, being insufficient to pay his just debts.

John Cabot of Salem, his uncle, educated Rev. Marston Cabot at Harvard, with his own son John, and they were graduated there together in the same class.



Col. Henry Lee of Boston, a descendant of John Cabot, senior, of Salem Mass., visited, in 1855, the isle of Jersey, Eng., in order to obtain a clue to his ancestry there. From him the information given in this note was obtained. He gives the Cabot coat of arms as this:

Cabot ou Chabot  
D'or aux trois chabots  
Hauriant de gueules.

This translated means:

Cabot or Chabot (the chub-fish),  
(Giving the probable origin of the name).  
Gold before three chub-fish  
Drinking with their mouths.

Col. Lee "has no doubt that Jersey was the birth-place of Sebastian Cabot, the elder of the two navigators, and father to John, and that he was adopted as a Venetian. Whether he was an ancestor of John and George Cabot here spoken of, he does not know."]

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

3646. i. Abigail Cabot, b. April 24, 1732, d. Nov. 22, 1740.

3647. ii. George Cabot, b. Jan. 10, 1733, d. Nov. 17, 1740.

3648. iii. Mary Cabot, b. July 31, 1735, d. Sept. 26, 1766. She m. David Hosmer.

3649. iv. Sebastian Cabot, b. May 26, 1737, d. June 30, 1797.

3650. v. Susanna Cabot, b. May 10, 1739, d. Nov. 11, 1740. Thus three of these children, Abigail, George and Susanna, all died within 11 days' time, and probably of some contagious disease like scarlet fever.

3651. vi. Abigail Cabot, 2d, b. July 13, 1741, d. June 26, 1777. She m. Capt. John Corbin of Albany, N. Y.

3652. vii. Susanna Cabot, 2d, bapt. March, 6, 1743, m. Lt. John Holbrook.

3653. viii. George Cabot, 2d, b. March 28 (and bapt. March 31), 1745, d. March 12, 1776.

3654. ix. Marston Cabot, b. April 8, 1747, d. April 12, 1814, aet. 67.

3655. x. Francis Dwight Cabot, b. Oct. 14, 1748, d. April 25, 1750.

3656. xi. Anna Cabot, b. Oct. 17, 1750, m. Capt. Peter Barrett.

3657. xii. Francis Cabot, 2d, b. Nov. 10, 1754, m. a Miss Hodgman of Hartland, Vt., where he was a farmer and where he d. No further facts were found concerning him.

3658. xiii. Sophia Cabot, b. July 21 (and bapt. Aug. 15), 1756. [In the records of Capt. Nathaniel Dwight of Belchertown her name occurs as Zeviah which the author supposes to be a corruption for

Sophia. Zerviah, a frequent female name in old records, is probably a harder form of Zeruiah.] She m. Major Lyman Hitchcock.

In the distribution of the estate of Rev. Marston Cabot, made May 3, 1763, nine children are mentioned as its intended recipients: Sebastian, Marston, Francis, Abigail, Susanna, Anne, Sophia, George and Mary, who were of course all living then.

3648. iii. Mary Cabot, b. July 31, 1735, m. Feb. 17, 1754, Capt. David Hosmer of Norwich, Ct. She d. Sept. 26, 1766. All inquiries into the details of his history ended in naught.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

3659. i. Mary Hosmer, b. about 1758, m. Abial Hyde.

3660. ii. Capt. Joseph Hosmer, b. June 23, 1764, d. July 23, 1803, aet. 39.

3661. iii. David Hosmer, b. about 1766, lived near Norwich, and had a dau. Abigail, who m. a Mr. Culver.

3659. i. Mary Hosmer, b. about 1758, m. Sept. 16, 1779, Abial Hyde of Norwich, Ct., b. Oct. 16, 1757 (son of James Hyde of Norwich and Sarah Marshall). She d. Nov. 3, 1791, aet. 30, and he m. for 2d wife Mary Leffingwell of Norwich. He d. March 2, 1808.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3662. i. Cabot Hosmer Hyde, b. Jan. 7, 1782.

3663. ii. Joseph Hyde, b. Oct. 1, 1788, d. at Norwich, Feb. 23, 1811.

3664. iii. Abial Hyde, b. Jan. 1, 1791, d. Aug. 26, 1791.

3665. iv. Anna Hyde, b. March 11, 1784, d. at Norwich, Aug. 16, 1808.

3666. v. Abigail Hyde, b. Nov. 12, 1786.

3662. i. Cabot Hosmer Hyde, b. Jan. 7, 1782, m. Anna Miller (dau. of Judge Solomon Miller of Williston, Vt.). He was a merchant at Williston, where he d. Nov. 19, 1815. She resides at Hudson, O.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

Beside several who died in early childhood.

3667. i. Henry Hyde, who m. Miss Morton.

3668. ii. Susan Hyde, who m. Rev. Samuel Lee, who was grad. at Vermont University in 1831, and settled at Mantua, O. (1841-60). He d., and his widow has resided since his death at Hudson, O.

[Seventh Generation.]

3666. v. Abigail Hyde, b. Nov. 12, 1786, m. March 20, 1806, Erastus Huntington, b. Dec. 7, 1769, at Norwich (son of Rev. Simon Huntington and Zipporah Lathrop, his 2d wife, dau. of Capt. Ebenezer Lathrop). He was grad. at Yale in 1791, and practised law at Bean Hill, in Norwichtown, but became afterwards a merchant and manu-

facturer there. She d. July 1, 1811. He m. for a 2d wife Sarah, dau. of Genl. Joseph Williams. He d. Feb. 10, 1846.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3669. i. George Cabot Huntington, b. July 20, 1807.

3670. ii. Charles Lyman Huntington, b. Aug. 25, 1809, d. unmarried Feb. 3, 1832.

3671. iii. Joseph Hyde Huntington, b. June 19, 1811.

3669. i. George Cabot Huntington, b. July 20, 1807, m. Oct. 6, 1833, at Cleveland, O., Angeline Porter, dau. of Asahel Porter of Waterbury, Ct. She d. in 1836, and he m. for 2d wife, Nov. 9, 1837, Emmeline Kelley (dau. of Datus Kelley of Kelley's Island, O.). He is a grape-grower and vintner at Kelley's Island, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

3672. i. George Huntington, b. Aug. 12, 1834, d. Aug. 29, 1834.

3673. ii. Sarah W. Huntington, b. June 19, and d. June 30, 1836.

*By second wife :*

3674. iii. Erastus Huntington, b. Aug. 15, 1838.

3675. iv. Simon Huntington, b. Dec. 15, 1839.

3676. v. Daniel Kelley Huntington, b. March 28, 1845.

3677. vi. Joseph Alfred Huntington, b. Feb. 10, 1850.

[Eighth Generation.]

3671. iii. Joseph Hyde Huntington (son of Erastus Huntington and Abigail Hyde), b. at Norwich, Ct., June 19, 1811, m. Eleanor Foster (dau. of Jonathan Foster of West Boxford, Mass.) : a crockery merchant at Norwich, Ct. : resided in former years at Brunswick, O., and W. Boxford, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3678. i. Sarah Williams Huntington, b. at Brunswick, O., June 27, 1837.

3679. ii. George Frederic Huntington, b. there Feb. 27, 1839, and d. in 1855.

3680. iii. Charles Lyman Foster Huntington, b. at W. Boxford, Jan. 3, 1841, a soldier in the Union Army (1862——).

[Sixth Generation.]

3660. ii. Capt. Joseph Hosmer (son of Capt. David Hosmer and Mary Cabot), b. June 23, 1764, was a shipmaster at Salem, Mass., but removed afterwards to Norwich, Ct., where he d. July 23, 1803, aet. 39. He m. Aug. 23, 1789, Hannah Webb, b. April 28, 1769 (dau. of Capt. Samuel Webb, "one of the old Salem shipmasters," and Hannah Ward). The family returned again after his death to Salem. She d. Dec. 12, 1853.



[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3681. i. Joseph Hosmer, b. June 24, 1791, a mariner, d. unmarried at Philadelphia, April 3, 1833, aet. 42.

3682. ii. Hannah Hosmer, b. Feb. 5, 1793, d. Nov. 26, 1795.

3683. iii. Mary Hosmer, b. July 25, 1794, d. Dec. 1, 1795.

3684. iv. Hannah Hosmer, 2d, b. April 17, 1796.

3685. v. Mary Hosmer, 2d, b. Oct. 19, 1797, m. James B. Briggs.

3686. vi. George Cabot Hosmer, b. Aug. 21, 1799, d. Sept. 3, 1799.

3687. vii. Samuel Webb Hosmer, b. Nov. 24, 1800, d. in Salem, Mass., April 26, 1844, a mariner.

3688. viii. William Brown Hosmer, b. Aug. 31, 1802, d. Dec. 28, 1802.

3685. v. Mary Hosmer, b. Oct. 19, 1797, m. May 31, 1821, James B. Briggs, b. Oct. 22, 1790 (son of Elijah Briggs and Hannah Buffington). He was for many years a captain and supercargo in the East India trade and Prest. of The Essex Insurance Co. of Salem, Mass. He d. Dec. 3, 1857. His widow resides at Salem.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3689. i. James Cabot Briggs, b. March 25, 1822, a merchant in Salem, Mass., unmarried. He was for 13 years (1836-49) in "The Naumkeag Bank" at Salem, and resided in California for 2 years (1849-51). Since 1851 he has lived, as at first, in Salem.

3690. ii. William Stoel Briggs, b. Nov. 20, 1823, d. at sea Dec. 29, 1842.

3691. iii. Mary Ellen Briggs, b. June 23, 1825.

[Fifth Generation.]

3649. iv. Sebastian Cabot (son of Rev. Marston Cabot and Mary Dwight), b. May 26, 1737, a farmer at Hartland, Vt., and previously at Thompson, Ct. He m. Alice Corbin about 1767. He d. at Hartland June 30, 1797, aet. 60. He had two sons, Sebastian and Justin.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3692. i. Sebastian Cabot, b. at Thompson, Ct., June 1, 1769, grad. at Dartmouth in 1797, taught for 2 years (1798-1800) at Moor's Indian Charity School at Hanover, studied divinity with Rev. Dr. John Smith, Prof. of Latin, Greek and Hebrew at Dartmouth, and settled as a Cong. pastor at Pelham, Mass. (now Prescott). He soon resigned his charge on account of ill health, and devoted himself to teaching for life. The last 15 years he spent at Enfield, Mass., where he d. July 15, 1853, aet. 84.

He m. Oct. 10, 1809, Electa Osborne of Greenwich, Mass. (dau. of Zebedee Osborne). He has a son, Elbridge Cabot, now living in Enfield, Mass., to whom letters of inquiry for further facts were sent in vain.

3693. ii. Justin Cabot, who resided in Chelsea, Mass. Nothing more has been ascertained of him.

[Fifth Generation.]

3651. vi. Abigail Cabot, b. June 13, 1741, m. Feb. 9, 1761, Capt. John Corbin, b. in 1729. He lived at Killingly, Ct., whence he removed to Kinderhook, N. Y., and afterwards to Albany, where he engaged in trade and owned a sloop which he sailed up and down the Hudson River. He was a captain in the Revolutionary Army, and was at the battle at Bemis' Heights, under Genl. Gates, and at the surrender of Burgoyne. "He invested his means in continental money" (it is not stated in what way), "and lost his property by his faith in the Government." He removed in the end to Champlain, N. Y., where he d. Feb. 14, 1803.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3694. i. Charity Corbin, b. June 25, 1762, m. Judge Samuel Hicks of Bennington, Vt., and d. in 1802.

3695. ii. Martha Corbin, b. Aug. 24, 1764, m. Judge Pliny Moore of Bennington, Vt., and d. May 2, 1825.

3696. iii. Hon. Royal Corbin, b. at Killingly, Ct., June 12, 1766, d. July 4, 1851, aet. 85.

3694. i. Charity Corbin, b. June 25, 1762, m. about 1786, at Bennington, Vt., Judge Samuel Hicks, b. in 1761 (son of John Hicks of Cambridge, Mass., and Elizabeth Nutting.). He was a Captain of Dragoons in the Revolutionary War, and quartermaster, and was engaged in the battle at Plattsburgh, N. Y. He resided at Bennington, Vt., in early life, and after 1798 (aet. 37), at Champlain, N. Y. Here he kept public-house for a time, which he discontinued in 1810. After this period he filled the various offices of postmaster, justice of the peace, judge and custom-house officer. In the war of 1812 he was commissary, and operated so actively against the British that they offered a reward for his head. He was one of seven to form the first Congregational Church in Champlain.

She d. in 1802, and he m. for a 2d wife widow Polly Woodward, by whom he had 6 children. He d. July 26, 1825, aet. 64. Charity Corbin was teaching school at Bennington previously to her marriage.

[He was descended in the 5th generation from Zechariah Hicks, one of the first settlers of Cambridge, Mass., and Elizabeth Sill, who were married Oct. 28, 1632. "The Hicks family has been strongly marked as consisting of temperate, long-lived, energetic, brave, generous men, and full of decision of character." Three of them have been graduates of Harvard and three of Yale.

His father, John Hicks, b. May 1725, was a strong Whig. He in-

vited, April 19, 1775, his neighbor, Moses Richardson of Cambridge, Mass., to join him, and they both mounted their horses and stationed themselves where they might shoot at the British on their return from Concord, and were themselves both shot on the same day by them. They were buried the same night, without shroud or ceremony, in the harness of war, in the graveyard of old Cambridge. His wife, Elizabeth Nutting of Rehoboth, Mass., b. July 1727, d. Dec. 1826, aet. 99.]

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3697. i. John Hicks, b. in 1787, d. March 1811, aet. 24.

3698. ii. Harriet Hicks, b. Oct. 9, 1788, d. unmarried May 8, 1853, aet. 64. "She was unselfish, lived to do good, and died rejoicing in the Saviour."

3699. iii. William Hicks, b. March 11, 1790, d. Aug. 15, 1864.

3700. iv. Samuel Hicks, b. about 1791, d. in 1828.

3701. v. Mary Hicks, b. Dec. 7, 1799, m. Aurelius Beaumont.

3702. vi. Royal Corbin Hicks, b. in Champlain, March 12, 1800, removed in 1822 to Canada. He m. Aug. 19, 1826, Sarah Hover of Adolphustown, b. in 1802 (dau. of Henry Hover and Jane Huff). No issue. He is a farmer at Allisonville, C. W. and a dealer in potash, and postmaster. He is a Wesleyan Methodist.

3699. iii. William Hicks, b. March 11, 1790, m. June 30, 1824, in New York, widow Maria Myers, *née* Quick (widow of John Jacob Myers and dau. of a Mr. Quick of N. Y., whose wife was a Miss Springer), b. in 1796. He was a house and sign painter, and resided successively in Syracuse, N. Y., New York City, Canal, Fulton Co., O., and twice in California (1849-51 and 1852-63), and at last in Peru, Ill., where he d. Aug. 15, 1864, aet. 74. He invented several patents. He was a freemason. She d. in Canal, O., Dec. 18, 1846.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3703. i. Harriet Hicks, b. in Syracuse, Nov. 9, 1825, m. Joseph Koons.

3704. ii. Mary Hicks, b. there Jan. 15, 1827, m. John Fitzsimmons.

3705. iii. John Hicks, b. at New York, Feb. 3, 1829.

3706. iv. William Hicks, b. at New York, March 24, 1831.

3707. v. Charles Hicks, b. in 1839 in Canal, O., a steamboat engineer, d. at Peru, Ill., Nov. 5, 1868.

3708. vi. Samuel Hicks, b. about 1842, in Canal, O., a painter in Mendota, Ill.

3709. vii. Henry Harrison Hicks, b. in 1844, in Canal, O., a machinist and steamboat engineer.

3703. i. Harriet Hicks, b. Nov. 9, 1825, m. Jan. 19, 1851, Joseph Koons, b. Oct. 30, 1824, in New Lisbon, O. (son of Peter Koons and Mary Cannon) : a jeweller at Peru, Ill.



[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3710. i. Jerome Koons, b. March 10, 1854.

3711. ii. Carrie Koons, b. July 19, 1856.

3712. iii. Edward Koons, b. Aug. 8, 1859.

[Eighth Generation.]

3704. ii. Mary Hicks, b. Jan. 15, 1827, m. Jan. 19, 1851, John Fitzsimmons, b. in Troy, N. Y., Nov. 13, 1826 (son of Patrick Fitzsimmons and Mary Denver), engaged in the ice-trade at Peru, Ill.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3713. Frances Fitzsimmons, b. at Peru, Ill., May 6, 1852.

3714. Henry Denver Fitzsimmons, b. there July 30, 1854.

3715. Mary Norma Fitzsimmons, b. there April 25, 1858.

[Eighth Generation.]

3705. iii. John Hicks, b. Feb. 3, 1829, was a house and sign painter. He had spent seven years in California, and was on his return thither at the breaking out of the late war in 1861, when, having reached Texas, he joined the rebel cavalry, designing to go with them towards Mexico, and then leave them and go on to California. But on his being thrown from his horse, his carbine went off and he was wounded in the knee, so that amputation became necessary, which resulted shortly afterwards in his death. He was unmarried.

3706. iv. William Hicks, b. March 24, 1831, a sign and ornamental painter, m. Anna Parks of Pike Co., Ill. (dau. of Robert Parks and Mary A. Little). He was in Texas, on his way to California, at the beginning of the late slaveholders' war, and was pressed into the Confederate service, from which he escaped, by a forged pass, into Mexico. Here his family joined him, after suffering many and very great hardships, but lost all that they had by their trials. He has lived for several years past in Mendota, Ill.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3716. i. Charlotte Virginia Hicks, b. in St. Louis, Mo., in 1859.

3717. ii. Adela Lavinia Hicks, b. in San Antonio, Texas, in 1861.

3718. iii. Mary Jane Hicks, b. in Mendota, Ill., in 1866.

3719. iv. Harriet Josephine Hicks, b. in Mendota, March 9, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.]

3709. vii. Henry Harrison Hicks, b. in 1844, m. about 1867, Frances Maria Wellington, b. in Galena, Ill., Nov. 16, 1848 (dau. of Elijah Wellington and Frances Golden, both born in Worcester, Mass.). One child :

3720. 1. William Wellington Hicks, b. July 5, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

3700. iv. Samuel Hicks, b. about 1791, m. about 1811, Aurora

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Pember (dau. of Eli Pember of Oberlin, O., a revolutionary soldier, and Betsey Lewis). He d. at New York in 1828.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3721. i. Orville John Hicks, b. Aug. 29, 1812, a painter.

3722. ii. Susan Ann Hicks, b. July 7, 1814, m. a Mr. Leonard of Yorktown, Indiana.

3723. iii. William Hicks, b. Oct. 11, 1816.

3724. iv. Belden Melancthon Hicks, b. Jan. 10, 1819.

3725. v. Edson Hicks, b. Aug. 5, 1821.

3726. vi. Ann Eliza Hicks, b. May 16, 1823.

[Seventh Generation.]

3701. v. Mary Hicks (dau. of Judge Samuel Hicks and Charity Corbin), b. Dec. 7, 1799, in Bennington, Vt., m. Jan. 26, 1818, Aurelius Beaumont, b. Feb. 26, 1793 (son of Dan Beaumont of Champlain, N. Y., and previously of Kinderhook, N. Y., and Lois Murdock of Lebanon, Ct.), a millwright at Champlain, and in his later years a farmer there, where he d. Feb. 24, 1856. She resides in Minneapolis, Minn. (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3727. i. Mary Charity Beaumont, b. May 7, 1819, d. Aug. 15, 1820.

3728. ii. Amelia Charity Beaumont, b. Jan. 11, 1821, m. June 2, 1840, Norman Seaver Frost of Montreal, C. E. (son of Samuel Frost and Lucinda Seaver), a merchant at Montreal, and an elder in the Presb. Ch. She d. Sept. 12, 1842, a devoted Christian from her early youth. He d. aet. 39, April 5, 1854, at Montreal. They had a daughter :

3729. 1. Amelia Beaumont Frost, b. April 3, 1842, who m. Nov. 26, 1863, Cornelius Finlay, b. in Alfred, N. Y., Sept. 9, 1828 (son of George Finlay, b. near Edinburgh, Scotland, Jan. 1, 1787, who d. in Volinia, Mich., Sept. 4, 1873, and Rachel Cole, b. in Schoharie Co., N. Y., June 1797, whom he m. at Kortright, N. Y., Sept. 10, 1814), City tax-collector in Virginia City, Nevada : removed in 1869 to Gilroy, Cal., and in 1872 to San José, Cal : is County Clerk of Santa Clara Co., Cal. (1871-5). They have two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Norman Cornelius Finlay, b. Aug. 29, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Herbert Cole Finlay, b. Sept. 3, 1867.

3730. iii. Eliza Beaumont, b. June 26, 1824, m. in 1843 Daniel Donald Tompkins Moore, a merchant at Champlain (son of Daniel and Elizabeth Moore). They have had 9 children : 1. George Daniel. 2. Charles Beaumont. 3. Mary Elizabeth. 4. Edward. 5. John Irwin. 6. Thomas Aurelius. 7. Charlotte Amelia. 8. Wilbur. 9. Jenny

3731. iv. Sarah Beaumont, b. Sept. 24, 1826, m. Sept. 28, 1846 Freeman Blodgett Smith of La Colle, Canada. Since 1851 he has re-

sided in California, and more lately in Virginia City, and San José, Cal. He has been connected with the Revenue Department. No children.

3732. v. Mary Hicks Beaumont, b. Nov. 16, 1828, m. Edward D. Delamater.

3733. vi. Samuel Beaumont, b. April 10, 1831, d. July 23, 1831.

3734. vii. James Hicks Beaumont, b. July 16, 1832, d. July 14, 1836,

3735. viii. Harriet Beaumont, b. Aug. 30, 1834, m. Jan. 16, 1856, at Chicago, Ill. Orrin Hubbard, b. April 5, 1835 (son of Shubal Hubbard of Waterville, N. Y., and Caroline Walker), engaged in railroad business at McGregor, Iowa, but has resided since Feb. 1872 at Minneapolis, Minn. He enlisted in Janesville, Wis., in Aug. 1862, in the 12th Wis. Battery, and was with Sherman in his "march to the sea." He became sergeant of artillery. He was mustered out of service May 1865, after Johnson's surrender. Have had 3 children :

3736. 1. Mary Caroline Hubbard, b. Oct. 12, 1866.

\*\*\*\* 2. Nelly Beaumont Hubbard, b. Feb. 10, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 3. Sarah Kate Hubbard, b. Sept. 22, 1871, d. Nov. 1, 1872.

3737. ix. Frances Beaumont, b. April 15, 1839, m. Arthur B. Havens.

3738. x. Catharine Beaumont, b. Nov. 6, 1840, m. July 27, 1865, Charles H. Fish, then of Virginia City, Nevada (son of Rev. Mr. Fish, Bapt., of Catskill, N. Y.), and city recorder there. Since 1871 he has lived in Sacramento, Cal. She d. Sept. 12, 1865. They had a son, unnamed, b. July 27, 1865, that d. soon.

3739. xi. James Aurelius Beaumont, b. April 24, 1843. He enlisted, Feb. 22, 1862, in Scott's Cavalry, U. S. A., and was detailed from his company as orderly when in Washington, under Capt. Smith. He d. Oct. 8, 1862, of typhoid fever, at Union Hospital, and his remains were placed in "The Soldiers' Home" at Washington.

3732. v. Mary Hicks Beaumont, b. Nov. 16, 1828, m. Jan. 10, 1855, Edward Dorr Delamater, an oil refiner in Cleveland, O., b. March 8, 1819, in Manlius, N. Y. (son of Edward Delamater, b. in Duanesburgh, N. Y., March 20, 1789, and d. June 30, 1847, and Sarah Hale, b. April, 1789, in Florida, N. Y.).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3740. i. Edward Beaumont Delamater, b. at Cleveland, Jan. 2, 1856.

3741. ii. Helen Frances Delamater, b. there March 1, 1857.

3742. iii. Mary Gertrude Delamater, b. at Janesville, Wis., May 30, 1862, d. at Amsterdam, N. Y., Sept. 5, 1863.

3743. iv. Addison Hale Delamater, b. there Aug. 8, 1865, d. March 15, 1872.



3744. v. John Aurelius Delamater, b. at Cleveland, O., Sept. 7, 1868.

3745. vi. Grace Delamater, b. Nov. 24, 1871.

[Eighth Generation.]

3737. ix. Frances Beaumont, b. April 15, 1839, m. May 21, 1860, Arthur Bostwick Havens, b. April 15, 1832 (son of Cevalos Don Pedro Havens of Ephratah, N. Y., and Eleanor Frey), a real estate broker at Leavenworth, Kansas.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3746. i. Arthur Havens, b. Feb. 19, 1861, d. March 25, 1862.

3747. ii. Frederic Beaumont Havens, b. April 22, 1863.

3748. iii. Grace Havens, b. Oct. 11, 1865.

3749. iv. Mary Havens, b. Dec. 14, 1867.

\*\*\*\* v. Paul Aurelius Havens, b. April 15, 1871.

\*\*\*\* vi. Ernest Frey Havens, b. Oct. 15, 1872.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 582.

3695. ii. Martha Corbin (dau. of Capt. John Corbin and Abigail Cabot), b. at Killingly, Ct., Aug. 24, 1764, m. Jan. 22, 1787, Judge Pliny Moore of Bennington, Vt., b. April 14, 1759 (son of Noadiah Moore and Anna Loomis). He died in Champlain, N. Y., Aug. 18, 1822, where she also died May 2, 1825. He was a large landholder and an intelligent, enterprising, wealthy man.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3750. i. Noadiah Moore, b. at Kinderhook, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1788, d. Feb. 9, 1859.

3751. ii. Anna Moore, b. at Champlain April 9, 1790, m. Julius C. Hubbell, d. May 14, 1861.

3752. iii. Sophia Moore, b. Sept. 12, 1792, m. Thomas J. White-side, d. April 10, 1831.

3753. iv. Royal Moore, b. May 20, 1794, d. May 25, 1794.

3754. v. Royal Corbin Moore, b. June 16, 1795.

3755. vi. Olive Moore, b. Feb. 24, and d. May 7, 1797.

3756. vii. Pliny Moore, b. Jan. 25, 1799, m. Aug. 10, 1831, Pamela Savage: no issue.

3757. viii. Amasa Corbin Moore, b. April 3, 1801, d. Jan. 20, 1865.

3758. ix. Lucretia Matilda Moore, b. Dec. 3, 1802, m. Jan. 14, 1824, Abraham D. Brinkerhoff, and for 2d husband Loren Hubbell of Champlain. No children.

3759. x. Henry Moore, b. Jan. 31, 1806, d. March 20, 1810.

3750. i. Noadiah Moore, b. Feb. 14, 1788, m. Jan. 30, 1814, Maria Caroline Mattocks of Middlebury, Vt. He was a manufacturer of ploughs in Champlain, N. Y., and had a sawmill there. He d. Feb. 9, 1859. She resides now in Syracuse, N. Y. (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 3760. i. Eliza Maria Moore, b. May 28, 1815, m. Rev. Ovid Miner.
- 3761. ii. Matilda Moore, b. about 1820, m. Bartlett Nye.
- 3762. iii. William Moore, b. about 1822, d. young.
- 3763. iv. Laura Moore, b. March 17, 1825, m. as his 2d wife Bartlett Nye, previously husband of her sister Matilda. For his children by her, see under account of her sister.

3764. v. Pliny Moore, b. about 1827, m. Sarah Kelsey of Danville, N. Y.

3765. vi. Samuel Mattocks Moore, b. about 1829.

3766. vii. Caroline Moore, b. about 1831.

3760. i. Eliza Maria Moore, b. May 28, 1815, m. Rev. Ovid Miner, for several years a Cong. minister settled at Poultney, Vt., but now (1874) at Syracuse, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3767. i. Brinkerhoff Noadiah Miner, m. Ella Bates of Syracuse.

3768. ii. Harriet Miner, m. David Van Bethysen of Hoyletown.

3769. iii. Caroline Miner, who lives unmarried at home.

[Eighth Generation.]

3761. ii. Matilda Moore, b. about 1820, m. about 1839 Bartlett Nye, a merchant in Champlain, N. Y. She d. about 1841, and he m., about 1843, for 2d wife, her sister Laura, b. March 17, 1825.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

3770. i. Elizabeth Matilda Nye, b. Nov. 8, 1840.

*By second wife:*

3771. ii. Caroline Maria Nye, b. about 1844.

3772. iii. Margaret Barnes Nye, b. Jan. 1, 1846.

3773. iv. Ellen Rose Nye, b. Nov. 9, 1847.

3774. v. Charles Freeman Nye, b. Oct. 3, 1849.

3775. vi. Grace Cornelia Nye, b. Nov. 21, 1851.

3776. vii. Mary Laura Nye, b. March 16, 1854.

3777. viii. Bartlett Nye, b. March 21, 1856.

[Eighth Generation.]

3765. vi. Samuel Mattocks Moore, b. about 1829, m. Angelina Bigelow of Champlain. He is a hardware merchant in Champlain, and has had 3 children, Nos. 3778-80: William, John and Caroline.

[Seventh Generation.]

3751. ii. Anna Moore (dau. of Judge Pliny Moore and Martha Corbin), b. April 9, 1790, m. Jan. 27, 1812, Julius Caesar Hubbell, b. 1788 (son of Wolcott Hubbell of Lanesboro, Mass., and Mary Curtis, dau. of Thaddeus Curtis), a lawyer in Chazy, N. Y., since 1808. He

still (1874) resides there, aet. 85, in good health, which he "ascribes to his abstinence all his life-time from liquor and tobacco."

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3781. i. Pliny Hubbell, who d. early (dates not given).

3782. ii. Martha A. Hubbell, b. about 1815, m. Frederic Mygatt of New York, who d. some years since. He pub. a Genealogy of the Mygatt Family, which the author sought to find in vain. She resides (1874) in Chazy, but gave no reply to inquiries made. She has had 3 children, Nos. 3783-5 : Anna Hubbell, Isabella Carrington and Lemuel Carrington.

3786. iii. Susan Hubbell, b. about 1817, m. Henry E. Seymour, a merchant in St. Albans, Vt. She has had 3 children (Nos. 3787-9) : Julius Hubbell, Henry and William.

3790. iv. John Wolcott Hubbell, b. about 1820, a farmer in Chazy.

[Eighth Generation.]

3784. iv. John Wolcott Hubbell, b. about 1819, m. Margaret L. Beckwith of Plattsburgh, N. Y. He is a farmer in Chazy, N. Y., and has had 5 children, Nos. 3791-5 : Anna Moore, Elizabeth, Mary Caroline, Julius Caesar (b. June 18, 1863) and George Beckwith.

[Seventh Generation.]

3752. iii. Sophia Moore (dau. of Judge Pliny Moore and Martha Corbin), b. Sept. 12, 1792, m. Feb. 2, 1815, Thomas J. Whiteside of Champlain, a merchant and a man of superior knowledge and character. She d. April 10, 1831. He d. some years since. He had 4 children.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3796. i. John Henry Whiteside, b. Feb. 17, 1816. He is a manufacturer of twine and linen yarns at Champlain. He m. Catharine Wetmore of Fishkill, N. Y., and has had 6 children, Nos. 3797-3802 : Sarah Wetmore, Thomas, William, Frank, Mary and John.

3803. ii. Martha Corbin Whiteside, b. about 1818, m. Rev. L. Rae.

3804. iii. Margaret Robertson Whiteside, b. about 1820, m. Samuel Wilbur, a merchant in Chatham, N. Y., and has had 4 children, Nos. 3805-8 : Sophia, Thomas, Margaret and Grace.

3809. iv. Alexander Whiteside, b. about 1822, lives unmarried at Champlain.

[Eighth Generation.]

3797. ii. Martha Corbin Whiteside, b. about 1818, m. Rev. Luzerne Rae, Prof. in Asylum for Deaf and Dumb at Hartford, Ct. They both d. some years since.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3810. i. Thomas Whiteside Rae. He is now 2d Asst. Engineer, U. S. N., in Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md.



3811. ii. Helen Margaret Rae. She m. Oct. 1872, a Dr. Dubois of New York.

3812. iii. Charles Whiteside Rae. He is 3d Asst. Engineer, U. S. N., at Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md.

[Seventh Generation.]

3754. v. Royal Corbin Moore (son of Judge Pliny Moore and Martha Corbin), b. June 16, 1795, m. Jan. 13, 1825, Laura Whiteside of Cambridge, N. Y.: a lumber merchant at Champlain, N. Y. He d. (time when could not be ascertained).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3813. i. Sophia Moore, b. about 1825, m. about 1843 Timothy Hoyle, a farmer and miller at Champlain, N. Y. Children:

3814. 1. Henry Hoyle, b. about 1844.

3815. 2. Laura Catharine Hoyle, b. Dec. 5, 1845.

3816. ii. Alexander Moore, b. about 1827, m. Josephine Plumier. He resides in Champlain and has had 2 children, Nos. 3817-8: Edith and Royal.

3819. iii. Helen Moore, b. abt. 1830, m. George V. Hoyle, brother to Timothy Hoyle, No. 3813. He was a large farmer in Champlain. He d. in 1872.

3820. iv. Julius Hubbell Moore, he was a merchant in Champlain. He m. Sophia Doolittle. He d. Aug. 1873.

3821. v. Charlotte Moore, b. abt. 1833, d. early.

3822. vi. Caroline M. Moore, b. about 1835, m. Edward Coit of Philadelphia, a hardware merchant (son of Rev. Dr. William Coit of Plattsburgh, N. Y.). Two children, Nos. 3823-4, Griffith and Howland.

3825. vii. Alice Moore, b. about 1837, resides unmarried at Champlain.

3826. viii. Matilda Brinkerhoff Moore, b. about 1839, m. Dr. William Coit, formerly of Plattsburgh.

[Accurate information was sought at Champlain and Chazy, from different members of the Moore, Nye, Whiteside and Hubbell families, and at different times, earnestly, and the facts here stated are all that could be secured.]

[Seventh Generation.]

3757. viii. Amasa Corbin Moore (son of Judge Pliny Moore and Martha Corbin), b. April 3, 1801, m. Jan. 18, 1826, Charlotte Elizabeth Mooers, b. March 16, 1806 (dau. of Major Genl. Benjamin Mooers and Hannah Platt): a lawyer in Plattsburgh, N. Y. He d. Jan. 20, 1865. He was grad. at Middlebury in 1821, and spent one year at Andover. Theol. Sem. (1824).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3827. i. Thomas Whiteside Moore, b. March 1, 1827.

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3828. ii. Julia Matilda Moore, b. Nov. 22, 1828, d. Aug. 6, 1829.  
3829. iii. Benjamin Mooers Moore, b. May 31, 1830, d. in Plattsburgh, Sept. 6, 1851.

3830. iv. John White Moore, b. May 24, 1832.

3831. v. Pliny Moore, b. Aug. 15, 1834, m. June, 1870, Alice Chapman of Lockport, N. Y.

3832. vi. Amasa Richard Moore, b. May 20, 1837, m. Oct. 18, 1865, Elizabeth W. Peck of Troy, N. Y. : a teller in The Manufacturers' Bank at Troy, N. Y. Children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Lucy Moore, b. 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. Fanny Moore, b. June, 1873.

3833. vii. Charlotte Maria Moore, b. Dec. 16, 1840. She m. Dec. 20, 1870, Christopher F. Norton of Plattsburgh. One child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Robert Norton, b. May 25, 1873.

3834. viii. Charles Frederic Moore, b. Aug. 31, 1843, a clerk in an Insurance Office at Troy, N. Y.

3835. ix. Sarah Wool Moore, b. May 3, 1846, resides in Plattsburgh.

3836. x. Arthur Moore, b. Jan. 1, 1850, d. Dec. 3, 1856.

3827. i. Thomas Whiteside Moore, b. March 1, 1827, m. June 5, 1850, Fanny Nichols of Plattsburgh, N. Y. : a merchant in New York, since 1861, and previously in Plattsburgh.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3837. i. Elric Lynde Moore, b. June 14, 1851, in Plattsburgh.

3838. ii. Frederic Mygatt Moore, b. May 5, 1855.

3839. iii. Henry Philip Moore, b. July 25, 1859.

3840. iv. John Nichols Moore, b. June 25, 1861, in Plattsburgh.

3841. v. George Nichols Moore, b. in New York, July 12, 1864.

3842. vi. Thomas William Moore, b. May 1866.

[Eighth Generation.]

3830. iv. John White Moore, b. May 24, 1832, m. Nov. 19, 1863, Emilie Sawyer (dau. of Capt. H. B. Sawyer of the U. S. Navy). He was at the time chief engineer in the U. S. N., in the Boston Navy Yard. To him is largely due the account here given of the Moore family. He is now (1873) Fleet Engineer on the U. S. Flagship Hartford, Yokahama, Japan.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3843. i. Emily Louisa Sawyer Moore, b. in Brookline, Mass., Sept. 19, 1864.

3844. ii. Clarence Sawyer Moore, b. in Herkimer, N. Y., Aug. 4, 1866.

\*\*\*\* iii. Minnie Moore, b. Feb. 1869.

\*\*\*\* iv. Elsie Moore, b. March 1871.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 582.

3696. iii. Hon. Royal Corbin (son of Capt. John Corbin and Abigail Cabot), b. June 12, 1766, was at first a merchant in Alburgh, Vt., but after 1797 a farmer at Craftsbury, Vt. He m. July 2, 1797, Lucretia Matilda Crafts, b. June 14, 1771 (dau. of Col. Ebenezer Crafts of Craftsbury and Mehitable Chandler). She d. April 12, 1848, aet. 77. He was for many years a justice of the peace, a member of the State legislature for several years successively, and judge of probate for the county of Orleans. He d. at Troy, N. Y., of paralysis, while on a visit to his son, July 4, 1851, aet. 85, a member of the Cong. Ch.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3845. i. Pliny Moore Corbin, b. Dec. 8, 1801.

3846. ii. William Crafts Corbin, b. Nov. 15, 1803.

3847. iii. Laura Matilda Corbin, b. April 1, 1807, m. Dr. Daniel Dustan, d. Aug. 21, 1850.

3848. iv. Charles Chandler Corbin, b. Dec. 10, 1809, d. July 1, 1810.

3845. i. Pliny Moore Corbin, b. Dec. 8, 1801, grad. at the University of Vermont in 1822, m. Aug. 26, 1824, Fanny Follett Griswold, b. Dec. 16, 1803 (dau. of Hon. William A. Griswold of Burlington, Vt. and Mary Follett). He was teller of The Bank of Burlington, Vt., (1828-30), and of The Branch Bank of the U. S. there (1830-4). He has been since cashier successively of The Farmers' Bank of Orwell, Vt. (1834-40), of The Bank of Lansingburgh (1840-51), and since 1851 of The Union Bank of Troy, N. Y., where he still resides, and is an elder in the Presb. Ch.

Mrs. Fanny G. Corbin d. of consumption Oct. 24, 1845, and he m. May 14, 1847, Ethelinda Jane Blatchford, b. Nov. 23, 1805 (dau. of Rev. Samuel Blatchford, D.D., of Lansingburgh, N. Y., and Alicia Windeatt. See for other relatives of this family, the Hist. of The Strong Family, vol. i. p. 162).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

3849. i. Mary Maria Corbin, b. Dec. 14, 1826, m. Rev. Henry Noble Strong, D.D., d. July 3, 1853, of consumption.

3850. ii. William Griswold Corbin, b. Oct. 4, 1828, d. Feb. 11, 1831.

3851. iii. Laura Matilda Corbin, b. May 29, 1832, educated at Mt. Holyoke Fem. Sem. by Mary Lyon, d. at Lansingburgh, May 23, 1849, of consumption.

3852. iv. Royal Albert Corbin, b. Dec. 11, 1836, d. Dec. 7, 1854 of consumption.

3853. v. Catharine Augusta Corbin, b. Jan. 20, 1841.

*By second wife:*

3854. vi. Alicia Blatchford Corbin, b. Sept. 27, 1848.



3849. i. Mary Maria Corbin, b. Dec. 14, 1826, m. May 1, 1849, Rev. Henry Noble Strong, D.D., b. June 10, 1825 (son of Timothy Clapp Strong of Albion, N. Y. and Aurelia Goodsell—see Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. pp. 1242-5), grad. at Union Coll., N. Y. in 1849, an Episcopal clergyman, settled successively at Marshall, Mich.; Adrian, Mich.; Quincy, Ill.; and at Baton Rouge, La. She d. July 3, 1853, in Marshall, Mich.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3855. i. Edward Young Strong, b. March 14, 1850.

3856. ii. William Corbin Strong, b. Sept. 17, 1851, d. Sept. 21, 1853.

3857. iii. Arthur Wells Strong, b. May 19, 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

3846. ii. William Crafts Corbin (son of Royal Corbin and Lucretia M. Crafts), b. Nov. 15, 1803, m. Dec. 31, 1826, Mary Strong, b. March 12, 1807 (dau. of Asahel Strong of Bennington, Vt., and Susan Follett): a farmer in Craftsbury, and, for a year previous to his death, in Maumee, Mich. Aug. 16, 1831. She m. for a 2d husband Jan. 18, 1837, Sewall Kenney of Burlington, Vt. She d. at Ottumwa, Iowa, Sept. 20, 1843. By her 2d marriage she had two children. See Hist. of Strong Family, vol. ii. pp. 1274-6. They had one child:

3858. 1. Susan F. Corbin, b. March 28, 1828, m. a Mr. Barton in 1848. They live in Starr, Vernon Co., Wis.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

3859. i. Mary Francella Barton, b. Sept. 14, 1849.

3860. ii. Frederic Albert Barton, b. June 11, 1852.

3861. iii. Laura Matilda Barton, b. May 9, 1854.

3862. iv. Jenny Corbin Barton, b. in 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

3847. iii. Laura Matilda Corbin (dau. of Royal Corbin and Lucretia M. Crafts), b. April 1, 1807, m. in 1824, Dr. Daniel Dustan of Craftsbury, Vt.

She d. Aug. 21, 1850.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3863. i. Martha Matilda Dustan, b. July 10, 1825, m. Oct. 5, 1847, Dr. Henry Huntington, b. June 3, 1818, at Greensboro, Vt. (son of Henry Huntington and Elizabeth Parmelee), grad. at Albany Med. Coll. in 1846, practised medicine for 5 years, and after 1851 became a dentist at Albany, Ga., but during the late war left the south, and resides now at Des Moines, Iowa. Children:

3864. 1. Charles Dustan Huntington, b. Aug. 9, 1848, d. Aug. 16, 1849.

3865. 2. Henry D. Huntington, b. July 16, 1850.

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\*\*\*\* 3. Laura Corbin Huntington, b. April 9, 1853, d. July 12, 1857.

\*\*\*\* 4. Frederic Walter Huntington, b. Nov. 27, 1858.

3866. ii. Frederic Dustan, b. about 1827, m. Helen Burnham. He is a farmer in Bristol, Wis. Children :

3867. 1. Laura Dustan, b. in 1852.

3868. 2. Royal Dustan, b. in 1855.

3869. 3. Fanny Dustan, b. in 1857.

3870. 4. Frederic Dustan, b. in 1859.

3871. iii. Mary Dustan, b. about 1829, m. Augustus Paddock, a merchant in Craftsbury, Vt.

3872. iv. Charles Wesley Dustan, resides at Craftsbury, Vt.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 578.

3652. vii. Susanna Cabot (dau. of Rev. Marston Cabot and Mary Dwight), bapt. March 6, 1743, m. June 20, 1771, Lieut. John Holbrook, b. Nov. 1, 1738 (son of Capt. John Holbrook of Roxbury, Mass. and afterwards of Woodstock, Ct., and Mary Palmer, dau. of Rev. Thomas and Elizabeth Palmer of Middleborough, Mass., a farmer in Thompson, Ct.)—"owning one of the best farms in the extreme northwestern part of the town." He d. March 18, 1832, aet. 93. She d. June 18, 1788, aet. 45.

[Capt. John Holbrook of Woodstock, b. in 1692, removed to Woodstock, about 1747, and d. there Nov. 22, 1774. His wife, Mary Palmer, d. Sept. 9, 1768. His parents were John Holbrook of Roxbury, b. in 1671, who d. there Feb. 26, 1735, and Mary Cheney. The father of John Holbrook of Roxbury, was also John of the same place, who d. there Dec. 25, 1678.]

Lt. John Holbrook had two children, John and Susanna.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3873. i. John Holbrook, who removed to New York, and had sons Cabot and Marston.

3874. ii. Susanna Holbrook, b. Aug. 16, 1772. She m. about 1787 Capt. Amos Goodell, b. in Danvers, Mass., in 1762, a farmer in Thompson, Ct.—owning the Holbrook homestead after the death of his father-in-law. He d. March 31, 1831 : she d. Oct. 2, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3875. i. Polly Goodell, b. April 26, 1790, m. Nathan A. Chamberlain.

3876. ii. Susanna Cabot Goodell, b. about 1793, m. William Lamson, b. Aug. 20, 1767, in Charlton, Mass., a farmer in New Boston (Thompson), Ct. He d. July 27, 1824. She m. for a 2d husband Reuben Morton, a farmer in Charlton, Mass. She d. in 1862-3.

They had two sons, Thomas and Marcus Morton.

3877. iii. Sophia Goodell, b. about 1795, m. George Sumner, d. Nov. 17, 1860.

3878. iv. George Goodell, b. Feb. 22, 1797, d. Nov. 30, 1866.

3879. v. Amos Goodell, b. about 1799, a farmer at Putnam, Ct., m. Mary Barnes of Killingly, Ct.

3880. vi. Horace Goodell, b. Dec. 11, 1802, a farmer at Chandler-ville, Cass Co., Ill., m. Lucy Reccard.

3881. vii. Harriet Goodell (twin), b. Dec. 11, 1802, m. William Steere.

3882. viii. Olive Goodell, b. about 1804, m. Ebenezer De Rich of Oxford, Mass. They have a daughter.

3883. 1. Alma O. De Rich, who m. a Mr. Long of Oxford.

3875. i. Polly Goodell, b. April 26, 1790, m. May 9, 1810, Nathan Ainsworth Chamberlain, b. in Woodstock, July 28, 1773, a shoemaker in Thompson, where he d. Oct. 9, 1839, aet. 66. "He was a very devoted Christian"—than which nothing better can be said of any one whatever may be his circumstances in life. She d. in Webster, Mass., March 21, 1866.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3884. i. Emily Chamberlain, b. in Thompson, Feb. 11, 1811.

3885. ii. Nathan Chamberlain, b. there June 5, 1815, resides in Newport, R. I., a superintendent of a steam-mill.

3886. iii. Amos Chamberlain, b. Oct. 7, 1817, d. Sept. 9, 1836.

3887. iv. Mary Chamberlain, b. Oct. 30, 1821, m. Ebenezer De Rich of Oxford Plains, Mass.

3888. v. Olive Chamberlain, b. Oct. 2, 1825.

3889. vi. Sylvia Chamberlain, b. Oct. 18, 1828.

3890. vii. John Chamberlain, b. April 2, 1831.

[Seventh Generation.]

3877. iii. Sophia Goodell, b. about 1795, m. March 23, 1820, George Sumner of Woodstock (son of Daniel Sumner and Prudence Haven), a stone-mason at Thompson, Ct. She d. Nov. 17, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3891. i. Susan Adelia Sumner, b. Sept. 14, 1820, m. Jonathan Clough.

3892. ii. Maria Antoinette Sumner, b. Aug. 9, 1822, m. J. M. Day.

3893. iii. George Sumner, b. May 6, 1825, a shoemaker and farmer at Plaistow, Mass. He m. Mary Bartlett.

3894. iv. Harriet Melvina Sumner, b. Nov. 27, 1828, m. D. Nichols.

3895. v. Caroline Sumner, b. Nov. 7, 1831, d. Jan. 23, 1846.

3891. i. Susan Adelia Sumner, b. Sept. 14, 1820, m. Sept. 5, 1841,



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Jonathan Clough, a carpenter in California (son of Aaron Clough and Pamela Converse).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3896. i. Heinrich Aaron Clough, b. Nov. 5, 1842, a trader in Utah. He was an union soldier in the late war, in the 3d Mass. Vol. Regt. Cavalry.

3897. ii. Caroline Estelle Clough, b. Sept. 1, 1850, d. of diphtheria July 18, 1861.

3898. iii. Marston Cabot Clough, b. Oct. 9, 1853, d. of diphtheria, June 20, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.]

3892. ii. Maria Antoinette Sumner, b. Aug. 9, 1822, m. Nov. 2, 1842, James Monroe Day, b. April 20, 1818 (son of James Day of Thompson, and Nancy Ballard), a shoemaker in Reading, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3899. i. James Albert Day, b. June 13, 1850.

3900. ii. Alma Jane Day, b. April 10, 1853.

3901. iii. Frank Day, b. June 7, 1855.

[Eighth Generation.]

3894. iv. Harriet Melvina Sumner, b. Nov. 27, 1828, m. Oct. 5, 1847, David Nichols, a merchant in Thompson, Ct. (son of David Nichols and Rachel Jewett).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3902. i. Fanny Knapp Nichols, b. Dec. 13, 1850.

3903. ii. Isabel Francisca Nichols, b. July 8, 1854.

3904. iii. David Nichols, b. Aug. 13, 1865.

3905. iv. Harriet Gertude Nichols, b. Feb. 22, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

3878. iv. George Goodell (son of Capt. Amos Goodell and Susanna Holbrook), b. Feb. 22, 1797, m. April 24, 1828, Huldah Comstock. b. Jan. 14, 1801, a farmer at Thompson. He d. at Dudley, Mass., Nov. 30, 1866, aet. 69. She d. Dec. 11, 1851, aet. 50.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3906. i. Phebe Elizabeth Goodell, b. July 20, 1829, d. at Webster, Mass., May 17, 1862.

3907. ii. Marston Cabot Goodell, b. Sept. 16, 1830, d. at Worcester, Mass., Feb. 3, 1861.

3908. iii. Amasa Comstock Goodell, b. at Woodstock July 25, 1832, d. at Webster, Feb. 28, 1854, aet. 21.

3909. iv. Lydia Jane Goodell, b. at Thompson, July 15, 1835, d. at Webster, Aug. 3, 1849.

3910. v. Daniel Holbrook Goodell, b. May 3, 1834, was wrecked,

but not drowned, when on a fishing trip in 1851. He afterwards enlisted in the British service and went to India, and has not been heard from by his friends since 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

3881. vii. Harriet Goodell (dau. of Capt. Amos Goodell and Susanna Holbrook), b. Dec. 11, 1802, m. May 19, 1834, William Steere, b. Aug. 18, 1792 (son of John Steere of Southfield, R. I., and Lydia Sayles), a farmer at North Woodstock, Ct.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3911. i. William Franklin Steere, b. March 22, 1835, a buyer and seller of meat on a large scale in Texas : has been until lately in Kansas and furnished beef for the U. S. soldiers on the frontier.

3912. ii. Horace Goodell Steere, b. Feb. 19, 1841, m. Dec. 25, 1866, Ellen Maria Webster, b. Feb. 17, 1845 (dau. of Stephen H. Webster of Dudley, Mass., and Mary Ann Keyes) : a farmer at North Woodstock, Ct. : one child :

3913. 1. Lizzie Etta Steere, b. Dec. 22, 1868.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 578.

3654. ix. Marston Cabot (son of Rev. Marston Cabot and Mary Dwight), b. April 8, 1747, m. Nov. 25, 1788, widow Levina Smith, *née* Sabin, of Pomfret, Ct., b. April 29, 1754 (whose mother was a Williams). He was a large farmer at Hartland, Vt., owning a tract of 4,000 acres. He d. there, April 12, 1814. She d. at Windsor, Vt., March 31, 1818.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3914. i. Capt. Marston Cabot, b. July 13, 1789, d. Aug. 11, 1846.

\*\*\*\* ii. Hubbard S. Cabot, b. June 20, 1791, d. Sept. 24, 1814.

3915. iii. Levina Cabot, b. Dec. 14, 1793, m. Alba Lull.

3916. iv. Sophia Cabot, b. March 8, 1795, m. Thomas Boynton, and d. Sept. 28, 1840.

3917. v. Calista Cabot, b. Nov. 30, 1796, m. David Smith, and for a 2d husband Samuel Patrick. She d. Jan. 12, 1835, aet. 38.

3914. i. Capt. Marston Cabot, b. July 13, 1789, m. March 7, 1809, Mary Rodgers, b. Oct. 30, 1786, at Acworth, N. H. (dau. of Jonathan Rodgers, b. in Londonderry, N. H., and Sarah Mayes, b. in Boston, Mass.). He was a farmer at Hartland, Vt., and county surveyor. He d. Aug. 11, 1846.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3918. i. Mary Levina Cabot, b. Oct. 16, 1810, m. Alba Lull.

3919. ii. Eliza Sabin Cabot, b. May 17, 1812, m. Dr. Erastus C. Torrey.

3920. iii. Lucius Marston Cabot, b. Jan. 30, 1814, lost at sea, Oct. 24, 1837, aet. 23, unmarried.

3921. iv. Hubbard Smith Cabot, b. Oct. 15, 1815, d. Feb. 25, 1862.

3922. v. Frederic Mortimer Cabot, b. June 7, 1817, a dry-goods merchant at Rome, Ga. He was shot, Sept. 14, 1863, at Rome, by a Methodist minister, for declaring himself an Union man. He m. in 1844 Mary Arnold of Rome. They had 4 children: Mark, John, Norman and Frederic. His widow resides at Calhoun, Ga.

3923. vi. Augusta Calista Cabot, b. Feb. 20, 1819, m. Cornelius Wickware.

3924. vii. Norman Franklin Cabot, b. Jan. 20, 1821, m. Dec. 16, 1853, in Wetumpka, Ala., Lucy Tarbell Brooks of Brattleboro, Vt. He was a merchant at Wetumpka for several years, and afterwards resided at San Francisco, Cal., having a paper warehouse there. Since 1868 he has resided out of business at Brattleboro, Vt. He has had 4 children: Mary; William Brooks; Horace, who d. in 1854; and Grace.

3925. viii. Charles Mayes Cabot, b. Sept. 26, 1823, m. May 10, 1853, Judy Holman of Wetumpka. He is a planter there, and was, previously to the late war, a merchant in Wetumpka. He has had 4 children: Marston; Jeanette; Eliza and Charles.

3926. ix. Harriet Rodgers Cabot, b. Sept. 14, 1826, m. George Kingsbury.

3918. i. Mary Levina Cabot, b. Oct. 16, 1810, m. Dec. 15, 1831, Alba Lull, a merchant at Hartland, Vt., as his 2d wife. He was b. Dec. 7, 1792, and was son of Asa Lull of Hartland and Abigail Barrell. His first wife (see subsequent account) was her aunt, Levina Cabot. He d. at Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 17, 1837. She m. Nov. 29, 1846, Joseph Wood, b. Sept. 15, 1806 (son of Capt. Enos Wood of Swansey, Mass., and Lydia Chase), a shoe merchant at Stillwater, N. Y.

To her is due the account here given of the descendants of Marston Cabot, Jr., of Hartland, Vt.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

3927. i. Ellen A. Lull, b. in Middletown, Ct., Dec. 9, 1832, d. at Stillwater, N. Y., Jan. 26, 1848.

3928. ii. Cabot Lull, b. at Norwich, Ct., Oct. 15, 1835. He went South in 1852. He is a merchant in Montgomery, Ala.

3929. iii. Augusta Lull, b. at Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 31, 1837, d. Dec. 9, 1837.

[Seventh Generation.]

3919. ii. Eliza Sabin Cabot, b. May 17, 1812, m. Sept. 12, 1844, Dr.



Erastus Chase Torrey, b. in Cornish, N. H., March 22, 1807 (son of Dr. Erastus Torrey of Windsor, Vt., and Gratia Ann Chase, dau. of Genl. Jonathan Chase of Cornish). He was grad. at Dartmouth in 1827, and at Bowdoin Coll. Med. School in 1830. He practised medicine at Windsor, Vt., and at Detroit, Mich. (1850-61). Since 1861 he has been in the office of the auditor of the Treasury Department at Washington, D. C.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3930. i. Mary Chase Torrey, b. in Windsor, Vt., Feb. 23, 1848.

3931. ii. Nelly Chase Torrey, b. there Feb. 22, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.]

3921. iv. Hubbard Smith Cabot, b. Oct. 15, 1815, m. March 27, 1849, Catharine Sears, b. at Ballston Spa., N. Y., Nov. 2, 1818 (dau. of Rev. Reuben Sears and Sarah Fitch). He was a large farmer in Prophetstown, Ill., where he was killed by the fall of a tree, Feb. 25, 1862, aet. 46.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3932. i. Sarah Eliza Cabot, b. March 1, 1850.

3933. ii. Norman Hubbard Cabot, b. Jan. 11, 1852.

3934. iii. Mary Ellen Cabot, b. Nov. 7, 1853.

3935. iv. Charles Willis Cabot, b. March 9, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.]

3923. vi. Augusta Calista Cabot, b. Feb. 20, 1819, m. Aug. 17, 1843, Cornelius Wickware, b. Dec. 22, 1801 (son of Jonathan Wickware of Lansingburgh, N. Y., b. Aug. 14, 1773, and d. June 7, 1844, and Eliza Champenois, b. July 5, 1775, and d. Feb. 3, 1834), a druggist at Detroit, Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3936. i. Augusta Cabot Wickware, b. July 1, 1844, d. March 18, 1847.

3937. ii. William Townsend Wickware, b. Jan. 18, 1846.

3938. iii. Mary Cabot Wickware, b. Feb. 20, 1848, m. Oct. 8, 1867, Levi Thomas Griffin, b. May 23, 1837, in Clinton, N. Y., a lawyer in Detroit. One child :

3939. 1. William Wickware Griffin, b. Aug. 21, 1868.

3940. iv. Margaret Eliza Wickware, b. Dec. 1, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.]

3926. ix. Harriet Rodgers Cabot (dau. of Capt. Marston Cabot of Hartland, Vt., and Mary Rodgers), b. Sept. 14, 1826, m. Feb. 10, 1846, George Kingsbury of Springfield, Mass., b. Aug. 27, 1823 (son of Dr. Samuel Kingsbury and Jemima Chapin, dau. of Dr. Abel Chapin of Chicopee). He was for several years a merchant at Arkadelphia, Ar-

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kansas, where she d. Aug. 24, 1858, aet. 32. He m. for 2d wife, Sept. 1859, Amelia S. Denison of Sackett's Harbor, N. Y.,. He has been of late years a clerk at Little Rock, Ark.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

3941. i. Marston Cabot Kingsbury, b. at Prophetstown, Ill., March 19, 1847.

3942. ii. Mary Elizabeth Kingsbury, b. at Arkadelphia, Ark., Aug. 1, 1852.

3943. iii. Ellen Lull Kingsbury, b. there in 1855.

[Fifth Generation.]

3915. ii. Levina Cabot (dau. of Marston Cabot, Jr., and Levina Sabin), b. Dec. 14, 1793, m. Oct. 8, 1812. Alba Lull of Hartland, Vt., b. Dec. 7, 1792 (son of Asa Lull of same place and Abigail Barrell). She d. March 9, 1829, aet. 35, and he m. for 2d wife Mary Levina Cabot, niece of his first wife, see page 598, No. 3918. i. He d. in Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 17, 1837.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

3944. i. Hubbard Lull, b. in Hartland, Vt., about 1813, d. in Pontiac, Mich.

3945. ii. Augustus Lull, b. there about 1815, was cashier of the First National Bank in Pontiac.

3946. iii. George Lull, b. there about 1817, d. in California.

3947. iv. Minerva Lull, b. about 1820, m. Albert Draper. They live in Flint, Mich.

[Sixth Generation.]

3916. iii. Sophia Cabot (dau. of Marston Cabot, Jr., and Levina Sabin), b. March 8, 1795, m. Sept. 22, 1817, Thomas Boynton, b. at Lunenburgh, Mass., in 1786 (son of David Boynton, b. there in 1758, and Sarah Carlisle, b. in 1765, dau. of Capt. Daniel Carlisle. Jonathan Boynton, the father of David, was b. at Rowley, Mass., in 1715). He was a cabinet-maker and painter at Windsor, Vt., and also justice of the peace and town-clerk. He was ensign and sergt. in the 31st Regt. U. S. Infantry, which was disbanded in 1814. He was a man of superior talents. He d. at Windsor, Vt., Oct. 14, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

3948. i. Thomas Cabot Boynton, b. Sept. 27, 1818, m. in 1861, a Miss Harwood: is a merchant in Buffalo, N. Y.

3949. ii. Hubbard Smith Boynton, b. Oct. 15, 1821, d. at Lockport, N. Y., where he was a clerk, July 3, 1857, aet. 36.

3950. iii. Major Edward Carlisle Boynton, b. Feb. 1, 1824.

3951. iv. Alfred Sabin Boynton, b. Feb. 1, 1824, d. Aug. 24, 1825

3950. iii. Major Edward Carlisle Boynton, b. Feb. 1, 1824, grad. at West Point in 1846, promoted 2d Lieut. of 1st Artillery, Feb. 16, 1847, was active in the various battles of the Mexican campaign of 1847, and was made brevet captain Aug. 20, 1847, "for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battles of Contreras and Cherubusco." He was appointed Acting Asst. in Quartermaster's Dept. at West Point (Feb. 1848—Aug. 1848), Acting Asst. Prof. of French there (March 1848—Aug. 1848), and Assist. Prof. of Chem. Mineral and Geol. there (Aug. 1848—Sept. 1855), which he resigned Feb. 16, 1856, and became Prof. of Chem. Mineral and Geol. in the University of Mississippi at Oxford, Miss. (Jan. 1856—Sept. 1861), from which he was formally "expelled" (at the opening of the late war), Sept. 9, 1861, "because of his want of sympathy with the government of the Confederate States in rebellion." He was appointed Captain in the 11th U. S. Infantry, Sept. 23, 1861, and Adjutant of the Military Academy at West Point, Oct. 10, 1861, and Quarter-master Nov. 19, 1861. On Sept. 21, 1866, he was transferred to the 29th infantry. On March 13, 1865, he was made Brevet Major U. S. A., "for faithful services during the rebellion."

He is the author of "The History of West Point and The Origin and Progress of the U. S. Military Academy" (Sept. 1863).

He m. Aug. 20, 1849, Elizabeth Mosely Webb, b. at Salem, Mass., Sept. 3, 1830 (dau. of Michael Webb of Boston and Abigail Moriarty of Salem). She d. at West Point, May 1, 1851, and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 4, 1852, Mary Jane Hubbard, b. at Windsor, Vt. Nov. 3, 1829 (dau. of Isaac Watts Hubbard and Sarah Townsend). His children are all by the 2d marriage.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3952. i. Lizzie Webb Boynton, b. at West Point, July 2, 1854.

3953. ii. Francis Chauncey Boynton, b. at Windsor, Vt., Sept. 6, 1855, d. at Oxford, Miss., Aug. 12, 1860.

3954. iii. Florence Cabot Boynton, b. at Oxford Miss., June 1, 1860.

3955. iv. Edward Carlisle Boynton, b. at West Point, Jan. 17, 1864.

3956. v. Helen Townsend Boynton, b. Nov. 18, 1865.

[Sixth Generation.]

3917. iv. Calista Cabot (dau. of Marston Cabot, Jr., and Levina Sabin), b. Nov. 30, 1796, m. Sept. 22, 1817, David Smith, b. at Williamstown, Vt., Jan. 11, 1793 (son of James and Martha Smith), a merchant at Windsor, Vt., where he d. Feb. 27, 1824.

She m. for a 2d husband in 1829, Samuel Patrick, b. Aug. 10, 1781 (son of Samuel and Anna Patrick of Windsor, Vt.), a manufacturer of hats at Windsor, and a farmer. She d. there Jan. 12, 1835, aet. 38. He d. July 4, 1861, aet. 80.



[Seventh Generation.] Children :

*By first marriage:*

3957. i. Calista Cabot Smith, b. Dec. 19, 1818, d. Feb. 4, 1824.

3958. ii. Marston Cabot Smith, b. July 19, 1821, grad. at the University of Vermont in 1839, a retired merchant living at Windsor, Vt.

3959. iii. David Smith, b. Aug. 31, 1824, d. Nov. 30, 1826.

*By second marriage:*

3960. iv. Samuel Patrick, b. about 1830, resides at Washburne, Ill.

3961. v. Calista Patrick, b. about 1832, m. Samuel Stocker. They reside at Muscatine, Iowa.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 578.

3656. xi. Anna Cabot (dau. of Rev. Marston Cabot and Mary Dwight), b. Oct. 17, 1750, m. Dec. 13, 1770, Capt. Peter Barrett, a farmer at Williamstown, Mass., and a captain in the revolutionary war. He d. at Manchester, Vt., at the house of his son Benjamin. She d. about 1836, at Blissfield, Mich.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3962. i. Rev. Lyman Barrett, b. in 1784, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1808, was settled at Naples, N. Y., as a Presb. minister (1815-26), and was stated supply at Howard, Steuben Co., N. Y. (1827-34). He afterwards removed to Ohio, but to what place not ascertained. He is said to have died in 1846, aet. 62. His wife was a Bronoll. He had a daughter Anna and 4 sons, one of whom was Austin. Much effort was spent, but in vain, to obtain further facts concerning his history.

3963. ii. Benjamin Barrett, b. in 1786, d. Dec. 27, 1828, aet. 42.

3964. iii. Melvin Barrett, b. about 1788, has a dau., Mrs. Mary A. Hayward, living in Waterloo, Iowa.

3965. iv. Anna Barrett, b. about 1790.

3967. v. Royal Barrett, b. about 1792, was lost early at sea.

3963. ii. Benjamin Barrett, b. in 1786, m. about 1813 Chloe Harrison of Williamstown, Mass., b. Feb. 23, 1787: a farmer at Manchester, Vt., where he d. Dec. 27, 1828, after which his widow removed to Williamstown, but spent the latter part of her life at Blissfield, Mich., where she d. Aug. 1864.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

3968. i. Seymour Barrett, b. Feb. 12, 1815, m. Dec. 27, 1840, Sophia Parker, b. May 2, 1821 (dau. of Dea. Parker of North Adams, Mass., and Sarah Barnes): a prosperous farmer at Blissfield, Mich. No issue.

3969. ii. Henry Barrett, b. 1816-17.

3970. iii. Ruth Ann Barrett, b. March 13, 1818, m. Charles Henry Gilmore.

3971. iv. Almond Barrett, b. about 1821, m. Sept. 8, 1844, Lydia Emmeline Newton, b. in Lockport, N. Y., June 14, 1828 (dau. of Ezra Newton of Blissfield and Anna Torrey). He was a farmer in Blissfield, where he d. Aug. 15, 1849. She resides in Adrian, Mich. They had but one child:

3972. 1. Lucy A. Barrett, b. Nov. 9, 1847, in Blissfield.

3973. v. Royal Walker Barrett, b. Oct. 27, 1824.

3974. vi. Chloe Barrett, b. June 22, 1825, m. Harvey Pratt.

3975. vii. Jane Maria Barrett, b. about 1827, m. Albert Blivin.

They both died some years since, leaving one child:

3976. 1. Frank Blivin, who lives at Blissfield, Mich.

3977. viii. Benjamin Barrett, b. about 1829. He had a family, now residing at Lima, O. He was a R. R. locomotive engineer, and was killed in a R. R. disaster.

3969. ii. Henry Barrett (son of Benjamin Barrett and Chloe Harrison), b. in 1816-17, was a farmer at Hillsdale, Mich. He m. April 30, 1841, Miss Knight. She d. and he m. for 2d wife Elizabeth McWilliams.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

3978. i. Minerva Jane Barrett, b. April 16, 1843, m. Nov. 18, 1866, David Nichols Gillam, b. in Blissfield, Feb. 22, 1836 (son of Jonathan Milton Gillam and Hannah Nichols), a locomotive engineer, residing at Blissfield. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Walter Bliss Gillam, b. Oct. 1, 1867.

*By second wife:*

3979. ii. Elizabeth McWilliams Barrett.

[Seventh Generation.]

3970. iii. Ruth Ann Barrett (dau. of Benj. Barrett and Chloe Harrison), b. March 13, 1818, m. Feb. 8, 1838, Charles Henry Gilmore, b. June 1, 1813 (son of Asa Gilmore of Weston, Vt., and Lucy Dodge), a blacksmith at Blissfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

3980. i. Charles Henry Gilmore, b. March 18, 1840.

3981. ii. Arthur Dodge Gilmore, b. March 3, 1847, studied law at Mich. University, Ann Arbor. To him the author is largely indebted for facts here furnished. He resides at Adrian, Mich.

3980. i. Charles Henry Gilmore, b. March 18, 1840, a R. R. station agent and telegrapher for the Boston and Maine R. Road, and resides at South New Market, N. H. He m. Nov. 26, 1862, Mary Louisa Philinda Elizabeth Richardson, b. at Londonderry, N. H., Aug. 6, 1846 (dau. of Warren Richardson and Mary Jane Wilson).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

3982. i. Mary Louise Gilmore, b. at Londonderry, N. H., March 23, 1864.

3983. ii. Charles Warren Gilmore, b. at South New Market, Dec. 29, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

3973. v. Royal Walker Barrett (son of Benjamin Barrett and Chloe Harrison), b. Oct. 27, 1824, m. Feb. 21, 1855, Sarah Louisa Moore, b. in Lockport, N. Y., in 1836: a farmer at Adams, Hillsdale Co., Mich. and previously in Riga, Mich., and Blissfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3984. i. Mary Elizabeth Barrett, b. May 15, 1856, d. Sept. 15, 1860.

3985. ii. Ella Jane Barrett, b. Aug. 2, 1858, in Riga, Mich.

3986. iii. Sarah Louise Barrett, b. in Riga, March 24, 1861.

3987. iv. Myron James Barrett, b. in Blissfield, June 17, 1864.

3988. v. Benjamin Arthur Barrett, b. in Adams, Oct. 17, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

3974. vi. Chloe Barrett (dau. of Benjamin and Chloe Barrett), b. June 22, 1825, m. Oct. 16, 1845, Harvey Pratt, b. July 8, 1816 (son of John and Betsey Pratt of Brighton, N. Y.): a farmer at Blissfield, Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

3989. i. Alton Franklin Pratt, b. Sept. 20, 1846.

3990. ii. Albert Hickok Pratt, b. Jan. 25, 1848.

3991. iii. Seymour Barrett Pratt, b. May 4, 1850.

3992. iv. Jasper Henry Pratt, b. Aug. 6, 1855.

3993. v. Ida Arabelle Pratt, b. Feb. 22, 1857.

3994. vi. John Tyler Pratt, b. Nov. 21, 1858.

3995. vii. Minnie Arline Pratt, b. March 18, 1866.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 578.

3658. xiii. Sophia Cabot (dau. of Rev. Marston Cabot and Mary Dwight) b. July 21, 1756, m. Sept. 14, 1785, Major Lyman Hitchcock. He was a large landholder, and owned a whole township in Vermont, to which he gave the name Cabot in honor of his wife. She d. Nov. 28, 1825, aet. 69.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

3996. i. Dwight Cabot Hitchcock, b. April 2, 1787.

3997. ii. Sophia Marston Hitchcock, b. Sept. 6, 1791, d. Nov. 11, 1818.

3998. iii. Royal Corbin Hitchcock, b. April 26, 1794, d. Jan. 2, 1804.

3999. iv. Hiram Washington Hitchcock, b. June 25, 1799, d. Aug. 27, 1857.



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4000. v. Horatio Hitchcock, b. Aug. 25, 1801, d. April 15, 1804.

3996. i. Dwight Cabot Hitchcock, b. April 2, 1787: is a farmer at Champlain, N. Y.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4001. i. Cynthia M. Hitchcock, b. Jan. 27, 1814.

4002. ii. Calista A. Hitchcock, b. March 6, 1816.

4003. iii. Horatio E. Hitchcock, b. March 8, 1818.

4004. iv. George R. Hitchcock, b. March 29, 1821.

4005. v. Lucy S. Hitchcock, b. Nov. 8, 1823.

4006. vi. Hiram D. Hitchcock, b. Aug. 4, 1825, d. Feb. 5, 1826.

4007. vii. Hiram D. Hitchcock, 2d, b. Aug. 11, 1827.

4008. viii. Robert H. Hitchcock, b. April 16, 1830.

4009. ix. Harriet M. Hitchcock, b. June 8, 1833.

4010. x. Amelia Maria Hitchcock, b. July 18, 1836.

[Several attempts were made, and always ineffectually, to obtain from the best sources of information further facts concerning this large family.]

[Sixth Generation.]

3999. iv. Hiram Washington Hitchcock (son of Major Lyman Hitchcock and Sophia Cabot), b. June 25, 1799, was a manufacturer of cloth at St. Hilaire, Canada East. He m. about 1826, Mary Matilda Andres of L'Acadie, C. E. He d. Aug. 27, 1857, aet. 58.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4011. i. Stephen Washington Hitchcock, b. about 1827, grad. at Vermont University in 1848; was principal of a female seminary at Burlington, Vt. He m. Sophia C. Stevens, dau. of Henry Stevens of Burlington. No issue. He d. in 1852. His widow m. a Mr. Page, an artist in New York.

4012. ii. Alfred Clark Hitchcock, b. Aug. 14, 1835, a manufacturer of scales in New York, m. Aug. 15, 1858, Mary Jane Dudley of Champlain, N. Y., b. Aug. 16, 1834 (dau. of George Dudley and Elvira Allen). Two children: 1. Alfred Dudley. 2. Charles Edward.

4013. iii. Lucy Adelaide Hitchcock, b. about 1837, m. William Blackwood Lindsay, a wholesale grocer in Montreal, C. E.

4014. iv. Amelia Maria Hitchcock, b. about 1839, m. George Kemp, a merchant in Montreal.

4015. v. Helen Sophia Hitchcock, b. about 1841, resides, unmarried, in Montreal.

4016. vi. Clara Domatilla Hitchcock, b. about 1843, m. Edward Cluett, a music dealer in Troy, N. Y.

[Fourth Generation.] See page 497.

2822. xii. Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Rev. Josiah Dwight of Wood-

stock, Ct., and Mary Partridge), b. July 7, 1716, m. about 1740, Jeremiah Baker, b. Aug. 16, 1716 (son of John Baker, b. June 24, 1677, a farmer at Dedham, and Sarah Whiting, b. Nov. 15, 1682, dau. of Timothy Whiting, who were m. Oct. 22, 1701). He was a farmer at Dedham. She died there Dec. 17, 1794, and is remembered as a devotedly pious woman. He d. June 11, 1798, aet. 82.

[Fifth Generation.] Children :

4017. i. Samuel Baker, b. about 1744, a baker in Boston, m. Lydia Coleman of Scituate, Mass. They had 7 children : 1. Samuel, who had one child. 2. William, who died without issue. 3. Theodore, who m. in 1824, Ann Wright of Boston, and had 9 children. 4. Elizabeth Dwight, who m. George A. Eames, and had 2 daughters. 5. Lydia, who m. Joseph Sprague of Boston, and has had 8 children. 6. Nancy, who was unmarried. 7. Harriet, who m. Isaac Valentine of Reading, Mass., and has 3 children.

4018. ii. Theodore Baker, b. about 1748, d. early in the West Indies, in the British service.

4019. iii. Silence Baker, b. about 1752, m. Rev. Nathaniel Fisher.

4020. iv. Capt. Jeremiah Baker, b. May 22, 1762, d. Sept. 14, 1855.

4019. iii. Silence Baker, b. about 1752, m. Rev. Nathaniel Fisher, b. in Dedham, Mass., in 1742 (son of Jeremiah Fisher of Dedham, and Elizabeth Cook of Boston). He was ordained a presbyter in England, in 1776, and settled as an Episcopal clergyman in Salem, Mass., in 1781. He d. suddenly Sunday, Dec. 20, 1812, of apoplexy, between the morning and evening service. She d. in Salem in 1824.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

4021. i. Nathaniel Fisher, who d. unmarried, aet. about 25.

4022. ii. Theodore Fisher, who m. Rebecca Colburn of W. Dedham. They both d. early : had but one child, a son, that died in infancy.

4023. iii. Elizabeth Fisher, who married Capt. Crowningshield of Salem : no issue. She d. aet. 20.

[Fifth Generation.]

4020. iv. Capt. Jeremiah Baker, b. May 22, 1762, m. Nov. 1785, Fanny Whiting, b. Jan. 30, 1764 (dau. of Col. Daniel Whiting of Dover, Mass., and Mehitable Haven). She d. June 20, 1819, and he m. Sept. 1820, for a 2d wife, Lucy Newell, b. in 1778 (dau. of Nathan Newell of Belchertown, Mass., and ——— Baker, his wife), without issue. She d. Dec. 7, 1821, aet. 43. He m. for 3d wife, June 26, 1822, Abigail Prentiss, b. May 19, 1791 (dau. of Rev. Thomas Prentiss of Medfield, Mass., and Mary Scollay). When Burgoyne's army were held prisoners in Boston, he was on duty as guard. He was also captain of a company of dragoons in the war of 1812. "He was a

farmer at Dedham, and a very strong and active man." He d. Sept. 14, 1855, aet. 93. She d. Oct. 31, 1848, aet. 57.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4024. i. George Theodore Baker, b. Sept. 21, 1787.

4025. ii. Mehitable Baker, b. May 22, 1789, d. Feb. 5, 1805.

4026. iii. Roxa Dwight Baker, b. July 12, 1797, resides unmarried at West Dedham, Mass.

4027. iv. Fanny Baker, b. April 14, 1799, d. June 1, 1819.

4028. v. Caroline Baker, b. Aug. 22, 1802, m. John P. Haven, d. Nov. 4, 1839.

*By third wife:*

4029. vi. Frances Mehitable Baker, b. May 12, 1823, d. Sept. 9, 1823.

4030. vii. Francis Whiting Baker, b. July 28, 1825.

4031. viii. Mary Elizabeth Baker, b. Jan. 29, 1827, m. Augustus Parker of Roxbury, Mass.

4024. i. George Theodore Baker, b. Sept. 21, 1787, m. Nov. 24, 1808, Priscilla Pinkham of Nantucket, Mass., b. March 11, 1791 (dau. of Francis Pinkham and Abial Hussey), a merchant at Boston, and afterwards at New Bedford. He d. Aug. 24, 1862. She resides at New Bedford.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4032. i. Harriet Newell Baker, b. May 1810, d. soon.

4033. ii. Francis Pinkham Baker, b. April 9, 1812, d. Nov. 4, 1815.

4034. iii. Louisa Coffin Baker, b. Oct. 31, 1815: unmarried, at home.

4035. iv. Elizabeth Dwight Baker, b. Feb. 14, 1822, m. Abner E. Fisher.

4036. v. William Goddard Baker, b. Oct. 6, 1824.

4035. iv. Elizabeth Dwight Baker, b. Feb. 14, 1822, m. Oct. 4, 1843, Abner Ellis Fisher, b. Dec. 5, 1816 (son of Freeman Fisher of Dedham and Martha Ellis), a wholesale dry goods dealer at Boston, and afterwards a manufacturer of oil and candles. He d. June 17, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4037. i. George Freeman Fisher, b. July 14, 1844, a clerk at New Bedford.

4038. ii. Caroline Louisa Fisher, b. Oct. 1, 1852, d. Sept. 14, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

4036. v. William Goddard Baker, b. Oct. 6, 1824, m. March 1849, Sarah Hobbs (dau. of Dr. Ebenezer Hobbs of Waltham, Mass., and Mary Derby), editor of the newspaper *Mercury* of New Bedford.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4039. i. William Theodore Baker, b. April 1850, d. soon.



4040. ii. Mary Derby Baker, b. July 12, 1851.

4041. iii. Francis Pinkham Baker, b. March 29, 1853.

4042. iv. Margaret Worthen Baker, b. March 19, 1854, d. Jan. 1858.

4043. v. Louisa Baker, b. March 25, 1857, d. June 4, 1861.

[Sixth Generation.]

4028. v. Caroline Baker, b. Aug. 22, 1802 (dau. of Capt. Jeremiah Baker and Fanny Whiting), m. Sept. 24, 1824, John Preston Haven, b. in 1801 (son of John Aldis Haven of Dedham and Julietta Richards, dau. of Capt. Abel Richards of W. Dedham): a merchant in New York. She d. Nov. 4, 1839.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4044. i. George Preston Haven, b. Aug. 2, 1825, d. May 6, 1852.

4045. ii. Caroline Louisa Haven, b. July 13, 1827, m. Henry Brewster of New York (son of Thomas Brewster of New Haven). She d. in Columbia, S. C., in 1854.

4046. iii. William Stuart Haven, b. March 7, 1831, m. in 1856 Augusta Van Allen, in San Francisco. He d. April 16, 1866.

4047. iv. Charles Dwight Haven, b. Feb. 25, 1836, resides in San Francisco, Cal. He m. Nov. 2, 1867, Augusta Haven.

[Sixth Generation.]

4030. vii. Francis Whiting Baker (son of Capt. Jeremiah Baker and Fanny Whiting), b. July 28, 1825, m. Oct. 28, 1847, Lucinda Stowe of South Newry, Me., b. April 12, 1821 (dau. of Andrew Stowe and Olive Jackson): a clerk in West Dedham, Mass.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4048. i. Abby Louisa Baker, b. Aug. 10, 1848.

4049. ii. Clifton Prentiss Baker, b. May 4, 1850.

4050. iii. Charles Francis Baker, b. Feb. 12, 1852.

4051. iv. Henry Stowe Baker, b. Dec. 8, 1857.

[Sixth Generation.]

4031. viii. Mary Elizabeth Baker (dau. of Capt. Jeremiah Baker and Fanny Whiting), b. Jan. 29, 1827, m. Nov. 16, 1854, Augustus Parker of Roxbury, Mass., b. in Dorchester, Aug. 30, 1827 (son of Thomas Parker of Brimfield, Mass., and Sarah Seaver of Roxbury, dau. of Hon. Ebenezer Seaver and Elizabeth Clapp), a horticulturist at Boston Highlands.

[Seventh Generation.]

4052. i. William Prentiss Parker, b. Dec. 11, 1857.

4053. ii. Elizabeth Seaver Parker, b. Oct. 5, 1861, d. Sept. 5, 1863.

4054. iii. Lucy Parker, b. Sept. 7, 1863.

[Fourth Generation.] See page 497.

2823. xiii. Theodore Dwight (son of Rev. Josiah Dwight of Wood-

stock, Ct., and Mary Partridge), b. July 28, 1721, m. about 1748 Dorcas Corbin (her parentage not ascertained). He was a farmer at Thompson, Ct., where he d. in 1753. She m. for a 2d husband, Sept. 21, 1755, Ebenezer Hovey, a merchant in Hampton, Ct., and lived to a good old age, dying in 1792.

[Fifth Generation.] Children :

4055. i. Capt. William Dwight, b. Sept. 20, 1750, d. Oct. 6, 1824, aet. 74.

4056. ii. Daniel Dwight, b. March 1752, d. unmarried at Pomfret, Ct., where he resided (a merchant, it is believed), Dec. 11, 1825, aet. 73. "He was an honorable, upright man, respected by every one."

4055. i. Capt. William Dwight, b. Sept. 20, 1750, was a farmer at Thompson, Ct., and afterwards at Sturbridge, Mass., where he d. Oct. 6, 1824. He m. May 21, 1778, Sarah Elliott (dau. of Capt. Joseph T. and Jerusha Elliott of Thompson), bapt. May 3, 1761. She d. April 16, 1817.

"He was an honest, upright, religious man, a member of the Methodist Church, and filled several important offices in church and state." He m. for a 2d wife Gratia Barrett.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

4057. i. Theodore Dwight, b. Oct. 28, 1778, d. Aug. 7, 1853, aet. 74.

4058. ii. Daniel Dwight, b. May 24, 1780.

4059. iii. Darius Dwight, b. Aug. 8, 1782, d. aet. 66, Aug. 16, 1851.

4060. iv. William Dwight b. Nov. 8, 1784, d. Aug. 14, 1833, aet. 58.

4057. i. Theodore Dwight, b. Oct. 28, 1778, m. June 30, 1801, Lucy Nichols of Thompson (dau. of David and Lucy Nichols), b. May 1782. He was a farmer at Thompson, Ct. (1800-23), on the old homestead owned by his ancestors and himself for 130 years. In 1823 he removed to Leroy, Genesee Co., N. Y., where he kept public-house for some 13 years (1823-36), after which time he removed to Wilson, Niagara Co., N. Y., where he d. in 1856, aet. 78. Says Judge Haskill of Leroy of him : "He was a man of considerable force of character, and very popular in his manners." Soon after removing to Wilson he became a Christian, and lived an exemplary religious life until his death, "a man of great simplicity of character and ardent piety." Says Prof. Charles Avery of Hamilton College, now 78 himself (1873), who knew him : "He was a man of fine appearance, six feet high and well-proportioned, and above ordinary men in mental capacity and intelligence, as well as in form and features."

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

4061. i. Nancy Dwight, b. June 4, 1804, m. Rev. Herbert A. Read.

4062. ii. John Nichols Dwight, b. Nov. 26, 1806, d. Oct. 1, 1860, aet. 54.

4063. iii. Theodore Dwight, b. Nov. 13, 1807, supposed by the writer to have died soon.

4064. iv. Daniel Dwight, b. May 19, 1812, d. April 9, 1862.

4061. i. Nancy Dwight, b. June 4, 1804, m. Sept. 22, 1823, Rev. Herbert Augustus Read, b. Nov. 18, 1801 (son of William Read of Attleborough, Mass., and Celinda Tingley), formerly a merchant at Leroy, N. Y., but for some years past agent of The A. H. M. S., and residing still (1873) at Marshall, Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4065. i. Martha Maria Read, b. at Thompson, Ct., Feb. 12, 1826, d. Feb. 17, 1834.

4066. ii. Mary Elizabeth Fellows Read, b. at Leroy, N. Y., in 1830, m. Oct. 18, 1859, Franklin Seymour Clarke of Detroit, Mich., an accountant (son of Linus and Hannah Clarke). One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Fanny Seymour Clarke, b. Jan. 1863.

4067. iii. Martha Maria Read, 2d, b. at Lower Sandusky (now Fremont, O.), Feb. 15, 1837.

[Seventh Generation.]

4062. ii. John Nichols Dwight (son of Theodore Dwight of Leroy, N. Y., and Lucy Nichols), b. Nov. 26, 1806, m. April 16, 1828, Elizabeth Field Bartow of Astoria, L. I. (dau. of Jacob Bartow of New Rochelle, N. Y., and Eliza Blackwell of Astoria, dau. of Samuel Blackwell). He was a merchant at Leroy, in partnership with his brother-in-law, Herbert A. Read. He subsequently removed to Jackson, Mich., where he d. suddenly of a disease of the heart, Oct. 1, 1860, aet. 54. His widow still resides there.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4068. i. Theodore Bartow Dwight, b. Oct. 24, 1829, d. Dec. 11, 1842.

4069. ii. John Henry Dwight, b. April 7, 1835, a commission merchant in Chicago, Ill., m. Oct. 28, 1863, Mary E. Gilbert of Kalamazoo, Mich., who d. suddenly May 23, 1866. No issue.

4070. iii. Eliza Bartow Dwight, b. Aug. 10, 1838, m. Dec. 3, 1862, Col. Seldon Hart Gorham of Marshall, Mich., a broker in New York.

4071. iv. Charles Fox Dwight, b. Dec. 19, 1840, engaged in the commission business in Jackson, Mich.

4072. v. George Shelton Dwight, b. Oct. 14, 1843, d. Sept. 22, 1845.

[Seventh Generation.]

4064. iv. Daniel Dwight (son of Theodore Dwight and Lucy Nichols), b. May 19, 1812, m. March 20, 1836, Delia Filkins, b. in Pavilion, Genesee Co., N. Y., Aug. 5, 1817 (dau. of Jonathan Filkins and Jane Deussenbury, both of Nassau, Rensselaer Co., N. Y.). He was a farmer in Wilson, Niagara Co., N. Y., where he d. April 9, 1862, aet. 49, and where his widow still (1873) resides.



[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4073. i. Martha Dwight, b. Dec. 26, 1837, m. Jan. 3, 1860, James McCormick (son of William McCormick and Margaret Crites), a farmer in Porter, Niagara Co., N. Y. One child:

4074. 1. Forrest Dwight McCormick, b. April 19, 1864.

4075. ii. Sarah Dwight, b. June 30, 1840, d. Sept. 20, 1841.

4076. iii. Lucy Nichols Dwight, b. Jan. 28, 1843, m. Feb. 28, 1867, Charles Henry Sweet, b. July 6, 1834, in Saratoga, N. Y. (son of Levi Sweet and Esther Davenport), a farmer in Wilson. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Daniel Everett Sweet, b. March 10, 1869.

4077. iv. Theodore Newman Dwight, b. Aug. 1, 1844, d. Oct. 1844.

4078. v. Helen Sarah Dwight, b. July 15, 1846, m. March 19, 1867, Jesse Oliver Lockwood, b. in 1846 at Olcott, N. Y. (son of Allen Lockwood and Harriet Peabody), a farmer in Olcott, Niagara Co., N. Y. Two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Lottie Lockwood, b. Feb. 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. Jeanie Lockwood, b. May 1872.

4079. vi. Albert Newman Dwight, b. Feb. 22, 1850, m. Dec. 25, 1871, Addie Towner of Wilson, b. Aug. 20, 1853 (dau. of Dr. William Towner and Almira Jane Towner). He is a farmer at Wilson, and has a lumber yard and planing mill there. Has 1 child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Claude Towner Dwight, b. Feb. 1872.

4080. vii. Delia Emma Dwight, b. May 3, 1852, m. Aug. 15, 1869, Milford Pierce of Warsaw, N. Y., a dry goods merchant at Corning, Iowa, has two sons, Albert and Frederic Pierce.

4081. viii. Daniel Oakley Dwight, b. April 11, 1853, m. Nov. 1872, Addie Belknap of Lockport, N. Y., b. June 27, 1854, at Cambria, N. Y. (dau. of Edward Belknap, a merchant there, and Sarah Stanley).

4082. ix. Isabel Brandon Dwight, b. Feb. 1, 1856.

[Sixth Generation.]

4058. ii. Daniel Dwight (son of Capt. William Dwight and Sarah Elliott), b. May 24, 1780, m. Oct. 27, 1808, Susan Lippitt of Killingly, Ct., b. Oct. 24, 1782 (dau. of Moses Lippitt and Anstis Holden). She d. Aug. 11, 1840 and he m. for 2d wife, March 23, 1841, widow Mary Haven of Woodstock, Ct., *née* Aplin (dau. of Robert Aplin of Pomfret, Ct.), b. Jan. 16, 1794. He was a farmer at Dudley, Mass., for nearly 50 years (1817-65), an active member of the Methodist church and an useful citizen, having filled various town offices. He had no children by the second marriage. He d. Aug. 26, 1865, aet. 85.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4083. i. Ralph Dwight, b. July 30, 1809.

4084. ii. Rev. Holden Dwight, b. Aug. 28, 1810, d. Nov. 24, 1846.

4085. iii. Sarah Dwight, b. March 17, 1812, d. soon.

4086. iv. Rev. Lewis Dwight, b. July 22, 1813.

4087. v. Susan Dwight, b. Feb. 20, 1815, m. April 1, 1840, Rev. Vincent Shepherd of the N. J. Conference, who d. at Jersey City July 1, 1848, and she m. April 26, 1858, for a 2d husband Andrew D. Gale of Brooklyn, N. Y. a shoe merchant. His family resides at Bergen Heights. N. J.

4088. vi. Sarah Dwight, 2d, b. Nov. 2, 1816, d. Feb. 5, 1828, aet. 11.

4089. vii. Daniel Dwight, b. Nov. 4, 1818.

4090. viii. Catharine Dwight, b. Nov. 15, 1820, m. Rev. Nelson B. Wilson.

4091. ix. William Dwight, b. April 15, 1822, d. Dec. 1822.

4083. i. Ralph Dwight, b. July 30, 1809, m. May 9, 1836, Sarah Sears of Dennis, Mass., b. Jan. 12, 1809 (dau. of Capt. Judah Sears and Sally Hall of Cape Cod, Mass.): a farmer at Dudley, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4092. i. Sarah Dwight, b. Sept. 12, 1837, m. April 27, 1873, Rev. Zephaniah Baker of Dudley, Mass.

4093. ii. Caroline Dwight, b. June 12, 1839, d. May 4, 1869, aet. 30.

4094. iii. Martha Dwight, b. March 4, 1843, m. Dec. 3, 1863, Franklin Jacobs, b. in Dudley, Feb. 7, 1842 (son of Ira Franklin Jacobs and Semantha Morse), a manufacturer of spectacles at Southbridge, Mass. No issue.

4095. iv. Susan Dwight, b. Dec. 7, 1846, d. Aug. 7, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.]

4084. ii. Rev. Holden Dwight (son of Daniel Dwight and Susan Lippitt), b. Aug. 28, 1810, grad. at Wesleyan University in 1835, m. June 13, 1839, at Baton Rouge, La., Almena Marietta Pelton, b. at Chester, Mass., March 13, 1810 (dau. of Ezra Pelton and Chloe Wright. Ezra Pelton was the son of Ithamar Pelton of Saybrook, Ct., and Asenath Pratt. See Pratt Genealogy). He was a teacher in Georgia (1836-7), and tutor (1838-9) in the Coll. of Louisiana, at Jackson, Ill. He was ordained deacon in the M. E. Ch. at Natchez, Miss., in 1839, and elder at Canal, Dover, O., Aug. 16, 1844. His health demanding a return to the north, he became, with his wife, a teacher at Norwalk, O. (1841-6), and in 1846 (Feb. 1), Principal of Baldwin Institute (now an "University") at Berea, O., where, after but a short period of educational labor, he d. Nov. 24, 1846. His wife was a teacher in Louisiana at the time of her marriage, and has spent much of her life in such a way. He greatly magnified in his heart the work of a Christian teacher of youth in the studies belonging to the higher education. She m. Jan. 1, 1851, Samuel G. Bassett, a farmer in Bridgeport, Wis. He d. at

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 6, 1871, where she still resides and keeps a book and stationery store.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4096. i. Edward Champion Dwight, b. at Clinton, Miss., Nov. 13, 1840, m. Sept. 4, 1866, Minnie S. Guiteau, (dau. of Abram B. Guiteau of Freeport, Ill., and Emily Redfield). He was a jeweller and music dealer at Freeport, Ill. (E. C. Dwight & Co.), having been previously bookkeeper for two years in a like establishment at Chicago, Ill.

He was an Union soldier in the late war, and enlisted as a musician (having too poor health to be accepted for carrying a musket) in Co. F of the 8th Wis. Regt., and served his country for 18 months as an enthusiastic patriot, delighting to make music for those who could fight the battles, which he could not.

He d. at Minneapolis April 28, 1869, of consumption, as the final result of the effects of an attack of typhoid pneumonia when a soldier. His widow m. May 2, 1871, Walter Graham Barnes, an agricultural merchant in Freeport, Ill. He had one child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Minnie Ida Dwight, b. Oct. 24, 1869.

4097. ii. Wilbur Fiske Dwight, b. at Norwalk, O., Feb. 6, 1843, d. Aug. 12, 1843.

4098. iii. Susan Eliza Dwight, b. there Sept. 13, 1844, m. at Patch Grove, Grant Co., Wis., Dec. 10, 1862, Francis Baillet (son of Francis E. and Martha Elizabeth Baillet), a merchant tailor at Black River Falls, Wis. She d. March 6, 1866, from the effects of an explosion of a kerosene lamp, lingering for a month in great pain, patiently awaiting death as the only relief from her anguish. She left two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Harry Baillet, b. at Prairie Du Chien, Aug. 13, 1863.

\*\*\*\* 2. Hattie Baillet, b. Jan. 26, 1865.

4099. iv. Holden Dwight, b. at Berea, O., July 9, 1847, d. there April 19, 1848.

[Seventh Generation.]

4086. iv. Rev. Lewis Dwight (son of Daniel Dwight and Susan Lippitt), b. July 22, 1813, grad. at Wesleyan University in 1837, m. March 24, 1840, Mahala Pennington Casey, b. June 3, 1819 (dau. of Lt. Gov. Zadock Casey, M. C., and Rachel King). She d. March 24, 1841, and he m. for 2d wife, June 4, 1843, Ruth Gray Ryder, b. July 29, 1821 (dau. of Benjamin Ryder of Yarmouth Port, Mass., and Betsey ———). She d. Aug. 15, 1844, and he m. for 3d wife, April 6, 1848, Jane Elizabeth Hoar, b. April 15, 1826 (dau. of Samuel L. and Elizabeth Hoar of Payson, Ill.). She d. Sept. 3, 1854, and he m. for 4th wife, April 26, 1860, widow Louisa Brown Dixon, *née* Moffitt, b. April 1826 (dau. of Reuel Moffitt of Dudley, Mass., and Lucinda



Brown). He has been principal, at different times, of the following academies: Mt. Vernon Academy, Ill. (1838-41), and those of Edwardsville, Ill. (1843-8), Payson, Ill., and also Mt. Pleasant, Iowa (now Iowa Wesleyan University), 1848-51. He was also a private teacher at Pella, Iowa (1851-4), and principal of the normal school at North Hebron, N. Y. (1854-5). In 1856 he joined the Troy Annual Conference as an ordained travelling preacher, and labored in the ministry successively at Danby, Bristol and Salisbury, Vt., and at Chester and Cheshire, Mass., and Petersburg and Nassau, N. Y. (1856-63). In 1863 he relinquished preaching and settled at Worcester, Mass. (1863-6), and lived for a year at Auburn, Mass., and in 1867 removed to Dudley, Mass., where he engaged in farming and gardening. He resides now (since 1873) in Boston, Mass. [Hon. Zadock Casey, b. in Georgia March 17, 1796 (son of Randolph Casey and Mary Jane Pennington), m. June 27, 1815, Rachel King, b. Sept. 29, 1797 (dau. of Samuel and Rachel King of Smith Co., Tenn.), a lady of superior talents and beauty. In 1817 he removed to Illinois. Here he was twice made a member of the Legislature (1820 and 1824), and in 1826 a State Senator (1826-30), and in 1830 Lt. Gov. of the State, and in 1833 (1834-44) member of Congress. In 1847 he was a member of the State Constitutional Convention. He went again to the legislature in 1850, where he was speaker of the House, and a 2d time in 1852. At the time of his death, Sept. 4, 1862, he was a member of the State Senate anew at Caseyville, Ill. He had 2 daughters and 5 sons: 1. Mahala P., who m. Rev. Lewis Dwight; 2. Mary Jane, who m. Hon. Lewis F. Casey of Centralia, Ill., a member of the Ill. legislature (1871-2). 3. Hon. Samuel R. Casey, a State senator at the time of his death, May 1871. 4. Hiram R. Casey, who d. early. 5. Hon. Thomas S. Casey, a lawyer at Mt. Vernon, Ill., and a member of the legislature (1871-2). 6. Dr. Newton R. Casey of Mound City, Ill., who has been twice a member of the legislature. 7. Dr. John R. Casey of Joliet, Ill.]

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4100. i. Hon. Samuel Lewis Dwight, b. March 15, 1841, was for one year (1859-60) in McKendree Coll. (Methodist) at Lebanon, Ill. He is a lawyer in Centralia, Ill. (Casey & Dwight). He was (1872-3) a member of the Ill. legislature. He m. Sept. 4, 1872, Irene Noleman, b. in Jeff. Co., Ill., April 15, 1852 (dau. of Capt. Robert D. Noleman, now of Centralia, and Sarah A. Jennings).

*By second wife:*

4101. ii. Wilbur Fiske Dwight, b. July 5, 1844, was for a few years a coal dealer at Bushnell, Ill., and afterwards a merchant at Keosauqua, Iowa. He resides now (1874) at Keokuk, Iowa. He m. June 26,

1869, Ella L. Slaughter, b. at Farmington, Iowa, March 17, 1848 (dau. of Henry H. Slaughter, b. in Va., Dec. 11, 1815, and d. Oct. 20, 1870, and Mary Jane Denny, b. in Mo., Nov. 8, 1826). Two children:

4102. 1. Benjamin Wilbur Dwight, b. Oct. 5, 1870.

\*\*\*\* 2. Louisa Dwight, b. June 29, 1872.

[Mr. Slaughter was brought up in the bosom of slavery, but was an active and zealous abolitionist, and a member, with his wife, of the Cong. Ch., and had generous and earnest views of life's higher interests and duties.]

*By third wife:*

4103. iii. Elizabeth Susan Dwight, b. May 8, 1849, m. July 21, 1868, Louis Gravell, a machinist at Quincy, Ill., b. in Canada, Oct. 29, 1837, near Montreal. They have a daughter:

\*\*\*\* 1. Nelly Gravell, b. in 1870.

4104. iv. Benjamin Lippitt Dwight, b. at Pella, Iowa, Sept. 21, 1851, d. Nov. 4, 1852.

4105. v. Quincy Dwight, b. May 31, 1854, is a bookbinder at Quincy, Ill.

[Seventh Generation.]

4089. vii. Daniel Dwight (son of Daniel Dwight of Dudley and Susan Lippitt), b. Nov. 4, 1818, is a farmer at Dudley, Mass., a deacon in the Cong. Ch., and active in both agricultural and educational matters in the town. He m. Jan. 1, 1843, Mary Elizabeth Low (dau. of Major John Low of Woodstock, Ct., and Hannah Aplin).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4106. i. Mary Aplin Dwight, b. Aug. 28, 1848, is a teacher of Latin, French and Music, and resides now at Dudley, Mass.

4107. ii. Susan Elizabeth Dwight, b. March 15, 1850, m. Sept. 1871, Charles Augustus Babcock, Jr., of Boston, b. Nov. 5, 1848 (son of Charles A. Babcock, a merchant in Boston, and Emmeline Knight), resides in Dudley. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Charles Augustus Babcock, b. Sept. 8, 1872.

4108. iii. Daniel Herbert Dwight, b. Feb. 24, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

4090. viii. Catharine Dwight (dau. of Daniel Dwight and Susan Lippitt), b. Nov. 15, 1820, m. April 12, 1848, Rev. Nelson Brownell Wilson (son of Pardon and Polly Wilson), grad. at Baldwin University (Meth.) at Berea, O., joined the N. Ohio Conference in 1850. In 1865 he resigned his credentials as a clergyman, studied medicine at "The Homœopathic Med. Coll. of Cleveland," O., and is now a practising physician in that city. Have had two children:

4109. 1. Susan Amelia Wilson, b. May 12, 1849, a teacher in Cleveland (1873).

\*\*\*\* 2. Mary Albina Wilson, b. July 9, 1853, d. April 13, 1861.

[Sixth Generation.]

4059. iii. Darius Dwight (son of Capt. William Dwight of Thompson, Ct., and Sarah Elliott), b. Aug. 8, 1782, m. Elizabeth Windsor of Dudley, Mass. (dau. of Abraham and Nancy Windsor). She d. without issue, July 10, 1811, aet. 27, and he m. for a 2d wife, Nov. 6, 1813, Cynthia Fiske of Sturbridge, Mass., b. March 19, 1793 (dau. of David Fiske and Eleanor Jones). He was engaged in active mercantile business at Thompson, Ct., and Detroit, Mich., until 1837, when he removed to Jackson, Mich., where he d. Aug. 17, 1851. He had a good deal of quaint humor, and great energy of character and strength of will. While residing at Thompson he occupied the homestead which had been owned by his ancestors from the first settlement of the town. She d. Aug. 28, 1842, aet. 49.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4110. i. David Fiske Dwight, b. at Thompson, Ct., July 31, 1814.

4111. ii. Elizabeth Dwight, b. Feb. 6, 1816, d. in infancy.

4112. iii. Sarah Elizabeth Dwight, b. Oct. 3, 1818, m. Prof. Abram Sager.

4110. i. David Fiske Dwight, b. July 31, 1814, was a merchant at Jackson, Mich., for many years (1824-51, except 4 years of the time, 1840-44, spent at Boston, in the wholesale dry goods trade), and afterwards at Detroit, Mich. (1851-66). Since 1866 he has resided at Boston, Mass. He m. Oct. 20, 1845, Lucretia S. Howe, b. Sept. 25, 1825 (dau. of Rev. James Blake Howe of Claremont, N. H., and Mary White, dau. of Ebenezer White of Boston and Polly Bell).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4113. i. Mary Isabel Dwight, b. Aug. 7, 1846, d. Sept. 17, 1846.

4114. ii. Theodore William Dwight, b. June 15, 1849, d. March 1, 1857.

4115. iii. Annie Elizabeth Dwight, b. July 19, 1852, d. Aug. 15, 1853.

4116. iv. Marion Lucretia Dwight, b. Jan. 13, 1857.

4117. v. Percy David Dwight, b. Oct. 20, 1862.

4118. vi. Laura Howe Dwight, b. Oct. 19, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

4112. iii. Sarah Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Darius Dwight and Cynthia Fiske), b. Oct. 3, 1818, m. Dec. 12, 1838, Prof. Abram Sager, M.D., of Michigan University, Ann Arbor, Mich., b. Dec. 22, 1810 (son of William Sager and Hannah Brouck of Bethlehem, Albany Co., N. Y.). He was grad. at the Rensselaer Polytechnic School at Troy, N. Y., and pursued his medical studies at Castleton, Vt., and New Haven, Ct. He was at first (1842-55) Prof. in Mich. University of



Botany and Zoology, in the department of science and arts, but has been for many years past professor of obstetrics (since 1850) and the diseases of women and children, in the medical department of that institution. He has recently presented a valuable herbarium, called "The Sager Herbarium," to the University Museum, containing 1,200 species and 5,000 specimens, collected mostly in the N. E. and Western States. A valuable collection of anatomical preparations gathered by him, illustrative of the craniology, neurology and embryology of the vertebrata, and of the pathology and anatomy of the diseases of women has been of late added to the property of the University. He was Prof. of the Theory and Practice of Medicine in the Department of Medicine (1848-50), and of Physiology (1850-54).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 4119. i. Cynthia Amelia Sager, b. Sept. 10, 1840.
- 4120. ii. Sarah Eliza Sager, b. Sept. 3, 1842, d. Dec. 5, 1864.
- 4121. iii. William Brouck Sager, b. Jan. 8, 1844.
- 4122. iv. David Dwight Sager, b. Feb. 2, 1846, d. July 11, 1860.
- 4123. v. Edward Jones Sager, b. Dec. 14, 1847.
- 4124. vi. Alfred Bates Sager, b. Sept. 26, 1849.
- 4125. vii. Susan Anna Sager, b. Nov. 1, 1851.
- 4126. viii. Lucretia Dwight Sager, b. Jan. 7, 1856.

[Sixth Generation.]

4060. iv. William Dwight (son of Capt. William Dwight and Sarah Elliott), b. Nov. 8, 1784, m. Sept. 23, 1811, Lucia Dresser of Providence, R. I., b. May 25, 1789 (dau. of Jacob Dresser and Esther Johnson). She d. in April 1817, and he m. for 2d wife, July 2, 1818, Amaryllis Fiske,\* b. Aug. 6, 1797 (dau. of David Fiske of Sturbridge, Mass., and Eleanor Jones). She d. at Memphis, Tenn., May 27, 1854. He was at first a successful merchant in Georgia, whence he returned to Thompson again to reside, and afterwards removed to Sturbridge, Mass., and Detroit, Mich. He was a man of decided intelligence and enterprise. He d. Aug. 14, 1833, aet. 48, at Middletown, Indiana, at a public inn, unattended by any of his family friends, while travelling for his health.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

- 4127. i. Laura Dwight, b. Dec. 19, 1812, m. Henry Glover.
- 4128. ii. Alfred Allen Dwight, b. March 27, 1815.

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\* The Fiske family (Baptists) have been noted for their piety from generation to generation. They were the founders of the town of Sturbridge, and the part called "Fiske Hill," has belonged to the family from the first until now. Two centuries ago they built a church in the town, which was standing until quite recently.

4129. iii. William Henry Dwight, b. April 5, 1817, d. July 25, 1824, killed by the falling of a large stone upon his back when getting over a stone-wall.

*By second wife:*

4130. iv. Lucia Dresser Dwight, b. at Sturbridge, Mass., Jan. 31, 1820, a teacher for some years in N. Carolina and Virginia, m. July 31, 1849, Henry Augustus Dwight of Northampton, Mass., son of Cecil Dwight. See previous page, No. 439, v., for an account of her children.

4131. v. Amasa Fiske Dwight, b. at Sturbridge, March 20, 1821, d. April 1871.

4132. vi. Ellen Fiske Dwight, b. Aug. 14, 1825, m. May 24, 1848, Rev. C. R. Hendrickson, a Baptist clergyman in Norfolk, V., afterwards of Memphis, Tenn., and more recently of Stockton, California. She d. May 24, 1854. They had two children:

4133. 1. Anna Judson Hendrickson, b. in 1851.

4134. 2. Mary Curtis Hendrickson, b. in 1853, d. in 1854.

4135. vii. Elizabeth Cynthia Dwight, b. March 14, 1831, a teacher for several years in N. Carolina, Virginia, Georgia and Tennessee, resides unmarried at Detroit, Mich.

4127. i. Laura Dwight, b. Dec. 19, 1812, m. Sept. 10, 1839, Henry Glover, b. April 30, 1812 (son of Daniel Glover, a merchant in Homer, N. Y., and Sophia Gage), a merchant-tailor in Detroit, Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4136. i. William Dwight Glover, b. Sept. 26, 1840, d. March 10, 1841.

4137. ii. Harriet Sophia Glover, b. Sept. 6, 1841, d. Sept. 4, 1842.

4138. iii. Frank Dwight Glover, b. April 2, 1843, d. Aug. 17, 1865.

4139. iv. Arthur Yates Glover, b. Aug. 10, 1844, m. Dec. 16, 1869, Lola Baldwin of Detroit. He is a hardware merchant there.

4140. v. Clara Dwight Glover, b. Jan. 20, 1848, m. Oct. 26, 1871, John McNicol of Detroit.

4141. vi. James Harry Glover, b. Dec. 27, 1853.

4142. vii. George Glover, b. April 27, 1855.

[Seventh Generation.]

4128. ii. Alfred Allen Dwight (son of William Dwight and Lucia Dresser), b. at Thompson, Ct., March 27, 1815, is a large lumber merchant at Detroit, Mich., and an elder in the Presb. Ch. (Jefferson Av.). He m. June 28, 1837, Matilda Wheelock of Sturbridge, b. Dec. 31, 1814 (dau. of Col. Hiram Wheelock and Fanny Corey). She d. April 3, 1839, and he m. for 2d wife, Aug. 16, 1843, Laura Ann Morse of Sturbridge, b. April 23, 1818 (dau. of Hon. Elijah Morse and Matilda Corey).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4143. i. Frances Matilda Dwight b. March 15, 1839, m. Nov. 24, 1863, Cleophas Antoine Moross, b. March 25, 1834 (son of Victor Moross of Detroit and Therese de Lascelleine), a dry goods merchant at Grand Rapids, Mich. No issue.

*By second wife :*

4144. ii. Charlotte Eugenia Dwight, b. Aug. 4, 1844, m. Joseph H. Berry.

4145. iii. William Morse Dwight, b. July 8, 1846, m. Sept. 17, 1873, Mary Lucy Harding, b. March 25, 1848 (dau. of Lyman Shumway Harding of Clinton, N. Y., b. in Sturbridge, Mass., and Hannah Barker, b. in Madison, N. Y.). He is in the lumber trade in Detroit.

4144. ii. Charlotte Eugenia Dwight, b. Aug. 4, 1844, m. Oct. 22, 1868, Joseph H. Berry (son of John and Catharine M. Berry), a manufacturer of varnish in Detroit.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. Charlotte Fiske Berry, b. Nov. 8, 1869.

\*\*\*\* ii. Laura Hooper Berry, b. Nov. 10, 1870, d. Dec. 1, 1870.

\*\*\*\* iii. Alice Dwight Berry, b. Oct. 1, 1871.

\*\*\*\* iv. Alfred Dwight Berry, b. April 2, 1873, d. Aug. 5, 1873.

4231. v. Amasa Fiske Dwight (son of Wm. Dwight, Jr., and Amaryllis Fiske), b. at Sturbridge, March 20, 1821, m. June 28, 1848, Elizabeth Taylor Terry of Boston (dau. of Henry Terry of Enfield, Ct., and Julia Ripley, and grand-dau. of Mrs. Abiah [Dwight] Terry, dau. of Samuel Dwight of Enfield, Ct.). He was a lumber merchant at Chicago, Ill. (1846-71). He d. away from home, April 15, 1871, aet. 50, at Springfield, Mass., of congestion of the brain. His widow resides at Detroit (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4146. i. Alfred Taylor Dwight, b. Sept. 26, 1850, a hardware merchant in Detroit.

4147. ii. Walter Terry Dwight, b. Aug. 25, 1855.

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The whole number of descendants of Rev. Josiah Dwight, of Woodstock, Ct., whose names are here given, is some 1,450.

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| I.   | Those enumerated in regular order.....           | 1,336 |
| II.  | Those added afterwards and therefore starred.... | 48    |
| III. | Others, neither numbered nor starred, about..... | 70    |



## III.

## THE DESCENDANTS OF CAPT. HENRY DWIGHT OF HATFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS.

[Third Generation.] See page 106.

46. xi. Capt. Henry Dwight (son of Capt. Timothy Dwight of Dedham, Mass., and Anna Flint, dau. of Rev. Henry Flint of Braintree, Mass.), b. Dec. 19, 1676, was a farmer and trader at Hatfield, Mass., and a man of wealth and standing. He was also, for several years, a judge of the County Court. He m. Aug. 27, 1702, Lydia Hawley, b. July 7, 1680 (dau. of Capt. Joseph Hawley of Northampton, Mass., and Lydia Marshall). She d. April 27, 1748, aet. 68. He d. March 26, 1732, aet. 55.

In copies of wills and deeds found in "The Sutton Papers" he is at different times in the earlier part of his history designated as "a clothier" and "shopkeeper." He was always a farmer. At all times, even when honored as a judge, he was known best in the community by his military title.

The Dwights of that day figured largely in Western Massachusetts as jurists. Five of them, all closely related to each other, sat at different times as justices upon the bench of the same court, that of common pleas, of Hampshire Co., Mass. These were Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Col. Timothy Dwight of Northampton, his nephew, two sons of Capt. Henry Dwight, namely, Col. Josiah Dwight of Springfield and Genl. Joseph Dwight of Gr. Barrington and Major Timothy Dwight of Northampton, son of Col. Timothy Dwight and father of Prest. Dwight of Yale. They held the judicial office successively in the order in which they are here named. See "Washburn's Judicial History of Massachusetts." Washburn makes the mistake of supposing the 2d term (1748-57) of Col. Timothy Dwight to indicate still another Timothy (No. 3) in the grand succession, and enumerates, accordingly, six judges of the name instead of five, the true number. Capt. Henry Dwight was judge for five years (1727-31. Compare the date of his death). Col. Timothy Dwight held the office twice (1737-41 and 1748-57). Col. Josiah Dwight sat on the bench for 18 years (1750-68, the date of his death). Genl.

Joseph Dwight was judge in Hampshire County from 1753 to 1761, when the county was divided, at which time he was made judge of the new county of Berkshire (Washburn wrongly calls it Worcester Co.), which office he held until his death in 1765. He was also judge of probate of Berkshire Co. at the same time. Major Timothy Dwight was judge in Berkshire Co. for 16 years (1758-74). In two different instances two Dwights sat as associate judges on the same bench, as : *first*, from 1750 to 1757, Col. Timothy Dwight and Col. Josiah Dwight, his cousin ; and *secondly*, from 1758 to 1761, Major Timothy Dwight and Genl. Joseph Dwight, second cousins to each other. In one instance a son, Major Timothy Dwight, immediately succeeded (1758) his father, Col. Timothy Dwight, in the judgeship, whose second term of office expired by his resignation of it in 1757. In two other instances two sons of the same father succeeded him in the office, the younger one, Col. Josiah Dwight, following him first. But, strangest of all, three Dwights sat for four years together as judges upon the same bench (1753-7), as by comparing the agreement of their separate official terms will at once appear : Col. Timothy Dwight (1748-57) ; Col. Josiah Dwight (1750-68) ; and Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight (1753-61). One of these judges, Genl. Joseph Dwight, was judge at different times in three different courts, those in the counties of Worcester, Hampshire, and Berkshire. Such a judicial history cannot, it is believed, be paralleled in any other family of the land.

It is a strong proof of the higher estimate in which military rank was held in the times preceding the revolution, that each of these judges was commonly designated by his military instead of his judicial title, in which way, therefore, each of them is uniformly spoken of in this book. Two of this family of judges were Chief Justices : Col. Timothy Dwight and Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight.\*

\* The history of the Court of Common Pleas, and of the Probate Court also, of Hampshire Co., the one for more than 75 years, and the other for more than 80, were so connected with the history of the Dwight Family, directly or indirectly, as to be worthy of citation here.

#### I.

The Court of Common Pleas, organized in 1692, had the following justices on its bench :

- I. The Worshipful John Pyncheon, who d. in 1703.
- II. The Worshipful Peter Tilton, who d. in 1696.
- III. Esq. Joseph Parsons.
- IV. Col. John Stoddard.
- V. Col. Samuel Partridge, who was its Chief Justice (1706-36). See page 110.
- VI. Capt. Joseph Hawley, who d. in 1711.
- VII. Capt. Henry Dwight (1727-31).

It was in the following way that Nathaniel Dwight of Northampton and Henry Dwight of Hatfield, brothers, were induced to remove from their paternal home at Dedham to Western Massachusetts: "The General Court had given to the town of Dedham eight thousand acres of land, to be located anywhere within the jurisdiction of the court, in exchange for 2,000 acres granted by that town to the Natick Indians, converted under John Eliot. Lieut. Fisher and John Fairbanks were appointed commissioners to examine the country and locate the claim. This they did, and selected Deerfield as the spot, and employed Major John Pyncheon of Springfield to purchase their lands of the Petuntuck tribe of Indians, taking him in, with some others also, as joint proprietors with them in the purchase. He paid the Indians some £94 and a half as purchase-money, which had been raised for the purpose by the people of Dedham." Thus was it that the lowlands of the Connecticut in Western Massachusetts became early known at Dedham, and thus that the course of the two chief progenitors of the Dwight Family in the third generation became determined thitherward.

Capt Henry Dwight was active in the subsequent purchase of the territory, comprising now the towns of Gt. Barrington, Sheffield, Egremont, Alford, etc., in what is now Berkshire Co., Mass. A copy of the original deed of purchase and sale may be found in vol. 8 N. E. Geneal. Register, p. 215, as given by Conkepot, Poneyote, Partarwake, Naurnauquin, and other Indians, "all of Housatonack, for four hundred and sixty pounds, three barrels of cider and thirty quarts of rum," to Col. John Stoddard, Capt. Henry Dwight and Capt. Luke

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VIII. Col. Timothy Dwight (1737-41 and 1748-57).

IX. Col. Josiah Dwight (1750-68).

X. Genl. Joseph Dwight (1753-61).

## II.

The Probate Court of Hampshire Co. The First Term was held Sept. 1692.

### *First Judge.*

- I. Major John Pyncheon, 1692.
- II. Col. Samuel Partridge, 1703.
- III. Col. John Stoddard, 1729.
- IV. Col. Timothy Dwight, 1748.
- V. Israel Williams, 1764.

### *Recorder.*

- Col. Samuel Partridge, 1692.
- John Pyncheon, Jr., May 1703.
- Col. Timothy Dwight, July 1729.
- Major Timothy Dwight, Dec. 1748.
- Solomon Stoddard, 1764.

## III.

The Berkshire County Officers appointed at the first (June 24, 1761), were

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|----------------------|---|
| Genl. Joseph Dwight, | } Justices of Inferior Court of Pleas and Justices of Court and Quorum. |
| William Williams,    |   |
| John Ashley,         |   |
| Timothy Woodbridge,  |   |

Genl. Joseph Dwight, Judge of Probate, Elijah Dwight, Register of do.



Hitchcock, "committee appointed by the General Court to purchase a certain tract of land lying upon Housatonack river."

That land was cheap at Hatfield at that time, and that he was disposed to purchase it largely, appears from the fact that in June 1722, he purchased 1,200 acres for £180 (or three English shillings per acre).

In 1726 he and Major John Pyncheon of Springfield, and John Ashley of Westfield, Mass., were appointed, by the General Court, commissioners under "the Act prepared for issuing £100,000 in bills of credit" for government purposes.

From records at Northampton it appears that he had a negro slave, Humphrey, for whom he paid £60, and a slave woman, Rose, of like cost to him.

None but men of means and enterprise could be traders in those days; and none but the best men in the community, "gentlemen," in the technical sense that the word then had, and deacons, were licensed then "to be innholders, taverners and common victuallers, and to retail strong drink." Capt. Henry Dwight was thus licensed in 1728, as was Col. Samuel Partridge before him, who was one of the great men of Western Massachusetts and Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas for Hampshire Co. for 30 years (1706-36). Dea. Aaron Lyman of Belchertown (who m. Eunice Dwight, dau. of Rev. Josiah Dwight of Woodstock, see p. 541), was licensed likewise in 1728, as was also, in the same year, Genl. Joseph Dwight (son of Capt. Henry Dwight), then living in Springfield, Mass. How greatly has American society generally moved forward since that day to better things. Who would wish now to go back in any respect to the pioneer days of our still new but already great republic?

The communion-service now used by the Congregational Church at Hatfield is said to have been given to it by Capt. Henry Dwight 150 years ago, or more.

On Mrs. Lydia Dwight's tombstone, at Hatfield, is to be found the following epitaph: "The dust is cast down and levelled with the dust; but not the souls who trust in the Lord Jehovah: for He is the health of their countenance and their God."

[Fourth Generation.] Children:

4148. i. Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight, b. Oct. 16, 1703, d. June 19, 1765, aet. 61.

4149. ii. Capt. Seth Dwight, b. Aug. 18, 1707, d. June 9, 1774, aet. 66.

4150. iii. Dorothy Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1709, m. Major Noah Ashley of Westfield, Mass., and d. Jan. 12, 1745, aet. 36.

4151. iv. Lydia Dwight, b. April 25, 1712, m. Major Elijah Williams of Deerfield, Mass., and d. Jan. 25, 1749, aet. 36.

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4152. v. Anna Dwight, b. and d. Aug. 14, 1714.

4153. vi. Col. Josiah Dwight, b. Oct. 23, 1715, d. Sept. 28, 1768, aet. 53.

862 - 4154. vii. Capt. Edmund Dwight, b. Jan. 19, 1717, d. Oct. 28, 1755, aet. 37.

4155. viii. Col. Simeon Dwight, b. Feb. 18, 1719, d. Feb. 21, 1776, aet. 57.

4156. ix. Elisha Dwight, b. May 25, 1722, d. unmarried and deranged, at Hatfield, where he lived, Sept. 1803, aet. 81.

4157. x. Anna Dwight, b. Sept. 24, 1724, m. Dr. Charles Pynchon of Springfield, Mass., and d. Dec. 22, 1802, aet. 78.

[Capt. Joseph Hawley, b. in Roxbury, Jan. 28, 1655-6, and grad. at Harvard in 1674, settled at once at Northampton, where he was at first a schoolmaster, and where he d. May 19, 1711, aet. 56. He was the son of Thomas Hawley of Roxbury and Dorothy Harlittle. Lydia Marshall, his wife, b. Feb. 18, 1655-6, was the dau. of Capt. Samuel Marshall of Windsor, Ct., and Mary Wilton, dau. of Lt. David Wilton, whom he m. May 6, 1652. She d. Oct. 28, 1732, aet. 75. Their children were 7 :

I. Dorothy Hawley, b. Sept. 6, 1678, d. Aug. 23, 1682.

II. Lydia Hawley, b. July 7, 1680, m. Capt. Henry Dwight, d. April 27, 1748, aet. 68.

III. Lt. Joseph Hawley b. Aug. 28, 1682, m. Nov. 6, 1722, Rebecca Stoddard, b. 1686 (dau. of Rev. Solomon Stoddard of Northampton and Esther Mather). He d. by his own hand June 1, 1735, aet. 52 : his wife d. Jan. 2, 1766, aet. 80, for 31 years a widow.

IV. Dorothy, 2d, b. Aug. 20, 1684, m. May 29, 1716, Rev. Thomas Cheney of Brookfield, Mass., its first minister.

V. Samuel Hawley, b. Feb. 23, 1687.

VI. Thomas Hawley, b. Sept. 29, 1689.

VII. Ebenezer Hawley, b. May 2, 1694.

Major Joseph Hawley, b. Oct. 8, 1723, was the son of Lt. Joseph Hawley and Rebecca Stoddard. He was, says Prest. Dwight (Travels, etc., vol. i. p. 335), "one of the first men in Mass. Bay, for a considerable period before the Revolution—an event in which few men exerted a more efficient influence. He was a very able advocate : I never heard one speak with more force." "He was at times very hypochondriacal."

It will interest the descendants of Capt. Henry Dwight to read an account of his wife's marriage-outfit, which the author found at Northampton.

"An account of goods Lydia Hawley had at her marriage and since." They were had of David Wilton, and the account was made out after his decease by her father. The prices given are the cost-

prices of the articles to him. By adding 100 per cent. to them the pay-price given by Mr. Hawley to Mr. Wilton will be made manifest. Behold then the account!

Five suits of good apparel not valued.

|   | £. | s. | d. |                                      | £. | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|----|--------------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Bible.....                              | 0  | 8  | 0  | Skillet.....                         | 0  | 6  | 0  |
| Kettle.....                             | 2  | 0  | 0  | Frying-pan.....                      | 0  | 5  | 0  |
| do. ....                                | 0  | 15 | 0  | Iron pot.....                        | 0  | 6  | 6  |
| Warming-pan.....                        | 0  | 13 | 0  | 7 pillow cases.....                  | 0  | 16 | 0  |
| 6 plates.....                           | 0  | 8  | 0  | 3 bath-cloths.....                   | 0  | 8  | 0  |
| Basin.....                              | 0  | 4  | 0  | 20 napkins.....                      | 1  | 13 | 4  |
| 6 platters.....                         | 1  | 8  | 0  | 2 chests.....                        | 2  | 4  | 8  |
| 6 porringers.....                       | 0  | 8  | 0  | 2 wheels (spinning?).....            | 0  | 8  | 0  |
| 1 do. ....                              | 0  | 1  | 0  | 6 chairs.....                        | 0  | 10 | 8  |
| 6 spoons.....                           | 0  | 3  | 0  | Trammel slice—tongs.....             | 0  | 14 | 8  |
| 1 funnel.....                           | 0  | 1  | 0  | 2 heaters.....                       | 0  | 1  | 4  |
| 1 quart pot.....                        | 0  | 4  | 0  | 1 pail.....                          | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1 candlestick and earthen-<br>ware..... | 0  | 3  | 0  | Bread tub.....                       | 0  | 2  | 0  |
| Sieve bottom.....                       | 0  | 1  | 0  | Wooden-ware.....                     | 0  | 2  | 10 |
| Pillion and cloth.....                  | 0  | 16 | 0  | Brass skimmer and trench-<br>er..... | 0  | 2  | 8  |
| Bed, bolster and pillows....            | 3  | 0  | 0  | A pair pot-hooks.....                | 0  | 2  | 0  |
| Coverlid and 2 blankets....             | 2  | 0  | 0  | Jackspit.....                        | 0  | 1  | 8  |
| Curtains and valance.....               | 2  | 0  | 0  | 2 cows (40s. and 46s.)....           | 4  | 6  | 0  |
| 6 pair sheets.....                      | 5  | 0  | 0  |                                      |    |    |    |

The whole amounting when doubled, as all but two or three articles were, to £48 12s., or \$242. ]

[Fourth Generation.]

4148. i. Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight (son of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., and Lydia Hawley), b. Oct. 16, 1703, grad. at Harvard in 1722, m. Aug. 11, 1726, Mary Pynchon of Springfield, Mass., b. Oct. 10, 1706 (dau. of Col. John Pynchon and Bathshua Taylor). He spent some years at Springfield, where he was engaged in trade (1723–31), but afterwards removed to Brookfield, Mass., where he practised law for 20 years and more (1731–53), and went 11 different times as a representative of the town to the Council of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay (in 1731, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, and '41, 8, 9, and '51). He was Speaker of the Council in 1748–9. In 1752 he removed to Stockbridge, to act as Trustee of “the Indian Schools,” which relation he held to them nearly or quite all the time that Jonathan Edwards was also at work there as a missionary (1751–8) to that settlement of whites and Christianized Indians. He was one of the few white hearers that sat regularly under his preaching. They were both born in Oct. 1703, and being of similar cultivated and religious tastes, must have been greatly addicted to each other’s company. In 1758 we find



that he has removed to Gr. Barrington, then called "Upper Sheffield," or "the north parish of Sheffield." On March 14th of that year he is recorded in the town records as having been made selectman in the town. On Nov. 9, 1759, he is spoken of as having been chosen moderator of a parish-meeting. By the act incorporating the town he was empowered to issue a warrant calling the first town-meeting. The house which he erected at Gr. Barrington is still standing and is in good repair.

From 1753 to 1761 he was Chief-Justice of the Court of Common Pleas for Hampshire Co., Mass., and when (1761) the county was divided he was made judge of the new county of Berkshire, then formed, holding the office (1761-5) until his death. Gr. Barrington was made the shire town of the county, and Genl. Dwight, beside being judge of the county court, was made also judge of probate, and held this office likewise, during the same term (1761-5) until his death. He had been previously (in 1739) appointed judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Worcester Co.

He was Colonel of Militia, but was made Brigadier General by Gov. Shirley, Feb. 20, 1745, when on the expedition against Cape Breton. In the attack upon Louisburgh, in 1745, he was second in general command, leading in person the Mass. artillery, called then as now, "The Ancient and Honorable Company of Artillery of Boston." His courage and skill on that occasion gained for him the approbation of the army and of its chief officer.

In 1756 he led a brigade of Mass. militia to Lake Champlain to reduce Ticonderoga.

His personal appearance was very fine. He was dignified in his gait and bearing, and had great urbanity in his manners. He was an upright judge and an exemplary professor of the religion of his fathers. "No man in civil life was more esteemed in the county." "He was a man of singular veracity; and all who knew him spoke of his virtues with enthusiasm."

Mrs. Mary (Pyncheon) Dwight, d. March 29, 1751, and he m. Aug. 1752, for a 2d wife, Mrs. Abigail Sergeant, widow of Rev. John Sergeant (missionary to the Housatonnoc Indians at Stockbridge, where he d. July 27, 1749, aet. 38. See, for sketch of his life and character, Sprague's *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. i. pp. 388-94). She was b. at Newton, Mass., April 20, 1721 (dau. of Col. Ephraim Williams, afterwards (1738- ) of Stockbridge, and Abigail Jones, dau. of Josiah Jones, Jr., of Watertown, Mass., and Abigail Barnes). She was half sister of Col. Ephraim Williams, the founder of Williams College. She m. Rev. John Sergeant, Aug. 16, 1739. He was b. at Newark, N. J., in 1710, grad. at Yale in 1729, and tutor there for 4 years (1731-5), an earnest,

scholarly, godly man. She was a lady of fine talents and acquirements, and of an elevated Christian character, and of commanding aspect and demeanor. She was a parishioner of the distinguished Dr. Stephen West of Stockbridge, and was much influenced by his powerful preaching. She was a woman of strong faith and much prayerfulness.

Genl. Dwight d. June 19, 1765, aet. 62. Mrs. Abigail Dwight d. Feb. 15, 1791, aet. 69. Her epitaph reads thus:

In memory of Mrs. Abigail Dwight, who d. Feb. 15, 1791, aet. 69.

Blest with each grace that could her heart improve,  
Command, or win, respect, esteem and love,  
She spent a long, long day in acts of care,  
That she herself might for death's stroke prepare.  
Heav'n gave the blow : in mercy called her hence,  
From pain and woes to its own recompense.  
Adieu, dear saint ! May thy example prove  
Lessons of good to those thou here didst love.

[The children of Rev. John Sergeant and Abigail Williams were :

i. Electa Sergeant, the first white child b. at Stockbridge, b. Aug. 31, 1740, who m. Jan. 31, 1765, Col. Mark Hopkins of Gr. Barrington (brother of the distinguished Rev. Dr. Samuel Hopkins of Newport, R. I.), b. Sept. 18, 1739 (son of Timothy Hopkins of Waterbury, Ct., and Mary Judd), a lawyer. He d. at White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 26, 1776. His son Archibald, b. March 23, 1766, was the father of Rev. Mark Hopkins, D.D., Prest. of Williams College (1836-1872), b. Feb. 4, 1802, and of Prof. Albert Hopkins of same college, b. July 14, 1807.

ii. Erastus Sergeant, M.D., b. in 1742, the first physician that Stockbridge ever had; a man of excellence and honor. He d. there Nov. 14, 1814. His wife was Elizabeth Partridge of Hatfield, Mass.

iii. Rev. John Sergeant, b. in 1747, a missionary to the Indians at New Stockbridge, Oneida Co., N. Y., where he d. Sept. 8, 1824, aet. 77. His wife was Mary Codner of Boston, Mass.

The mother of Mrs. Abigail (Williams) Sergeant, Abigail Jones, was b. Sept. 14, 1694, and was dau. of Josiah Jones of Watertown, Mass., and Abigail Barnes.

Thomas Williams, M.D., of Deerfield, Mass., b. Feb. 24, 1718, whose dau. Anna m. Col. Elijah Dwight of Gr. Barrington (son of Genl. Joseph Dwight and Mary Pynchon), see subsequent page, was her brother. They removed from Newton, Mass., to Stockbridge, in 1738, and the next year she m. Rev. John Sergeant. For an account of Rev. Mr. Sergeant and family, see Dwight's Travels, vol. ii., pp. 382-6, and Miss Electa Jones' Hist. of Stockbridge, pp. 41-122.]

The descendants of Genl. Joseph Dwight here enumerated extend to No. 5261. See subsequent page.

[Fifth Generation.] Children of Genl. Joseph Dwight :

*By first wife :*

4158. i. Mary Dwight, b. June 22, 1727, d. July 10, 1734, aet. 7.

4159. ii. Dorothy Dwight, b. Nov. 13, 1729, m. Hon. Jedediah Foster, d. Jan. 12, 1818, aet. 88.

4160. iii. Lydia Dwight, b. Jan. 3, 1731-2, m. Rev. Dr. John Willard, d. Jan. 23, 1798, aet. 66.

4161. iv. Henry Dwight, b. Dec. 22, 1733, grad. at Harvard in 1754, d. aet. 22, unmarried, Feb. 28, 1756.

4162. v. Mary Dwight, 2d, b. Jan. 26, 1735-6, m. Capt. Jonas Locke, d. Feb. 7, 1812, aet. 76.

4163. vi. Bathsheba Dwight, b. March 12, 1737-8, d. aet. 22, Jan. 11, 1761.

4164. vii. Col. Elijah Dwight, b. April 23, 1740, d. June 12, 1794, aet. 54.

4165. viii. Moses Dwight, b. Oct. 29, 1742, d. aet. 21, May 22, 1764.

4166. ix. Joseph Dwight, b. Jan. 23, 1744-5, d. July 1826, aet. 81.

*By second wife :*

4167. x. Pamela Dwight, b. June 9, 1754, m. Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, d. Sept. 20, 1807, aet. 53.

4168. xi. Henry Williams Dwight, b. Sept. 15, 1757, d. Sept. 15, 1804, aet. 47.

4169. xii. Wollaston Dwight, b. about 1759, d. soon.

#### [Pyncheon Lineage.]

No family in the land was more conspicuous for its excellence in the early days of New England history than the Pyncheon family. Three times the Dwights and Pynchons became immediately interconnected by marriage, and all in the family of Capt. Henry Dwight's own children: Genl. Joseph Dwight marrying Mary Pyncheon, dau. of Col. John Pyncheon, Jr., of Springfield, and Bathshua Taylor: his brother, Col. Josiah Dwight of Springfield, marrying Sarah Pyncheon, dau. of Col. William Pyncheon of Springfield and Catharine Brewer, and so cousin to Mary Pyncheon, wife of Genl. Joseph Dwight; and Anna Dwight, their sister, marrying Dr. Charles Pyncheon, brother to Mary Pyncheon, and son of Col. John Pyncheon, Jr., and Bathshua Taylor. The number of Dwights that have been also Pynchons has been therefore very large. For the benefit of any and all such, the author has traced out, from various sources, a brief view of their Pyncheon lineage.

Nicholas Pyncheon of Wales, sheriff of London in 1532, had a son, John Pyncheon of Writtle, Essex, who married Jane, heiress of Sir Richard Empson, and d. Nov. 29, 1573, leaving six children. His

widow, Mrs. Jane Pyncheon, m. Dr. Thomas Wilson, Secretary of State. See *Heraldic Journal*, Boston, April 1866. Their children:

- i. William, who m. Rosa Reding of Pinner, Middlesex, Eng.
- ii. John Pyncheon, who settled in Springfield, Essex, Eng., and was the progenitor of the American Pynchons.
- iii. Sir Edward Pyncheon.
- iv. Agnes Pyncheon, who m. Thomas Chiccle of Hingham, Ferriers.
- v. Elizabeth Pyncheon, who m. Geoffrey Gates of St. Edmund's, Bury.
- vi. Jane Pyncheon, who m. Andrew Paschal of Springfield, Eng.

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ii. John Pyncheon of Springfield, Essex, Eng., had a son, William Pyncheon, the settler in Massachusetts. He was one of the patentees of the colony charter of Mass. Bay, and was appointed magistrate and assistant in 1629 in England. He came hither in 1630, with Gov. Winthrop, and began the settlement of Roxbury, Mass., being its principal founder, and the prime mover in forming the Congregational Church established there. In 1636 he removed to Springfield, Mass. (Indian, Agawam), and made a settlement there—thus laying the foundations himself of two important American towns.

In 1650 he was censured for having published a work entitled "The Meritorious Price of Man's Redemption," and cited to appear before the court, and laid under heavy bonds. It was a dialogue in form, and is described as having been "a book full of errors and weakness, and some heresy, which the General Court of Massachusetts condemned to be burned." "The grand error of the book consisted," it was said, "in regarding the sufferings of Christ as merely trials of his obedience." The next year he retracted his sentiments, and the censure was suspended; but he was so much dissatisfied that he went back to England, and never returned to this country again. He was a man of high mark for both intellect and excellence. It was in 1652 that he left the new world, after 22 years' residence here, for his old home.

His wife, whose name is unknown to the author, d. in 1630, shortly after his arrival here: and he m. for a 2d wife Widow Frances Sanford, "a grave matron of the church of Dorchester," Mass. She d. in England, Oct. 10, 1657. He d. in Wyrardsburgh, Eng., Oct. 9, 1661, *act.* 72.

His children were by the first marriage. They were Ann, Mary, Major John and Margaret. They all remained in this country.

1. Ann Pyncheon m. Henry Smith of Springfield, "a godly, wise young man." (1.) Their dau. Mary Smith m. April 15, 1665, Richard Lord of Hartford, Ct. (son of Capt. Richard Lord). He d. Nov. 5, 1685, *act.* 49. She m. for a 2d husband Dr. Thomas Hooker of Hart-



ford, Ct., son of Rev. Samuel Hooker of Farmington, Ct., without issue. By her first marriage she had one child, Richard Lord, 3d, of Hartford, who m. Abigail Wakeman of Boston. (2.) Hannah Smith, another daughter, who m. Hon. John Allyn of Windsor, Ct. (son of Hon. Matthew and Margaret Allyn). See Stiles' Hist. An. Windsor, p. 521, and Hinman's First Puritan Settlers, p. 37, and Hooker Lineage, in The Appendix of this work.

2. Mary Pyncheon, m. Sept. 20, 1640, Elizur Holyoke of Springfield, Mass.

3. Major John Pyncheon. For account of him see below.

4. Margaret Pyncheon, m. Oct. 6, 1644, William Davis of Springfield.

[Second Generation in America.]

3. ii. Major John Pyncheon (son of William Pyncheon, the settler), b. in England in 1625, came to this country with his father when but 5 years old. He m. Oct. 30, 1645, Amy Wyllys, b. in England in 1624, (dau. of Gov. Geo. Wyllys of Hartford, Ct., and Mary —). He was a man of very superior talents, character and social position. He represented the town of Springfield in the General Court in 1659, '62 and '63, and was for 21 years (1665-86) an "Assistant" in it. He was spoken of and addressed by the title of "The Worshipful." From 1652 to 1660 (when Hampshire Co. was incorporated) he, with two others, had a joint commission to hear and determine causes, and from 1692 to 1702 he was Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas for Hampshire Co. He was a large farmer and landholder, and owned several saw-mills and grist-mills, and was much engaged in public business. Even as far off as New London, Ct., then was, he bought 2,400 acres there, in company with James Rogers.

In King Philip's war, in 1675, his brick house, built in 1660, was used as a fort for defense. At the beginning of the attack in June he was in Hadley.

He d. Jan. 17, 1702-3, aet. 76. His wife d. Jan. 9, 1698-9, aet. 74.

[Third Generation.] Children:

4. i. Joseph Pyncheon, M.D., b. July 26, 1646, grad. at Harvard in 1664, a physician at Springfield, representative to the General Court in 1681-2, d. unmarried at Boston, Dec. 30, 1682, aet. 36.

5. ii. Col. John Pyncheon, b. Oct. 15, 1647, d. April 25, 1721.

6. iii. Mary Pyncheon, b. Oct. 28, 1650, m. Oct. 6, 1671, Joseph Whiting of Westfield, and had 2 children:

1. Mary Whiting, b. Aug. 19, 1672.

2. Joseph Whiting, b. Dec. 5, 1674.

7. iv. William Pyncheon, b. Oct. 11, 1653, d. June 15, 1674.

8. v. Mehitable Pyncheon, b. Nov. 22, 1661, d. July 24, 1663.

5. ii. Col. John Pyncheon, b. Oct. 15, 1647, m. about 1672 Margaret Hubbard (dau. of Rev. William Hubbard of Ipswich, Mass., the N. E. Historian, and Margaret Rogers, dau. of Rev. Nathaniel Rogers of Ipswich and Margaret Crane). He was Lt. Colonel, and clerk of the courts and register of deeds. He lived at Boston, and afterwards at Ipswich and Springfield. He was made judge in 1708, and d. April 25, 1721. (See Washburn's Judicial Hist. Mass.) She d. at Springfield Nov. 11, 1716. His children were all born at Ipswich.

[Fourth Generation.] Children:

9. i. Col. John Pyncheon, Jr., b. in 1674, d. July 12, 1742.

10. ii. Margaret Pyncheon, b. about 1680, m. Capt. Nathaniel Downing.

11. iii. Col. William Pyncheon, b. in 1689, d. Jan. 1, 1741, aet. 52.

9. i. Col. John Pyncheon, Jr., b. in 1674, m. Feb. 18, 1702, Bathshua Taylor, b. in 1683 (dau. of Rev. Edward Taylor of Westfield, Mass., and Elizabeth Fitch his first wife, dau. of Rev. James Fitch of Norwich, Ct.). She d. June 20, 1710, aet. 27, and he m. for 2d wife, Nov. 3, 1711, Phebe Sexton of Enfield, Ct., b. Jan. 7, 1686. She d. Oct. 17, 1722, aet. 36.

He is called in the records of him "a man of great improvements in Springfield and the neighboring towns, and in laying out the lands in Springfield and Suffield, Enfield and Longmeadow." He was also one of the commissioners of the united colonies. He was a trader. He d. July 12, 1742, aet. 68.

(The 5 sisters of Bathshua Taylor, his wife, daughters of Rev. Edward Taylor of Westfield by his 2d wife, Ruth Wyllys, whom he m. June 2, 1692, all married ministers, viz: 1. Ruth Taylor, b. April 16, 1693, who m. in 1713 Rev. Benjn. Colton of W. Hartford, Ct. 2. Naomi Taylor, b. in 1695, who m. Rev. Ebenezer Devotion of Suffield, Ct. 3. Ann Taylor, b. in 1696, who m. Rev. Benjamin Lord of Norwich, Ct. 4. Mehitable Taylor, b. Aug. 14, 1699, who m. Rev. William Gager of Lebanon, Ct. 5. Keziah Taylor, b. April 4, 1702, who m. Rev. Isaac Stiles of North Haven, Ct., the parents of Prest. Ezra Stiles of Yale College.)

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

12. i. Elizabeth Pyncheon, b. Dec. 27, 1702, m. in 1720, Benjamin Colton of Longmeadow, Mass. She d. Sept. 26, 1776, aet. 73.

13. ii. William Pyncheon, b. Nov. 11, 1703, m. a wife, Sarah, who d. Feb. 21, 1776, aet. 84. He d. Jan. 11, 1783, aet. 79. He had a son, William, b. in 1740, who m. in 1766 his cousin, Lucy Harris (dau. of Lt. Robt. Harris and Bathshua Pyncheon). He d. March 24, 1808, aet. 68.

14. iii. John Pyncheon (twin), b. Feb. 7, 1704-5, m. widow Mary Leavitt, *née* Winchell, widow of Lt. Joshua Leavitt of Suffield, Ct. He d. April 6, 1754, aet. 49.

15. iv. Hon. Joseph Pyncheon (twin), b. Feb. 7, 1704-5, d. in 1765.

16. v. Mary Pyncheon, b. Oct. 10, 1706, m. Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight, d. March 29, 1751, aet. 44.

17. vi. Bathshua Pyncheon, b. Jan. 11, 1708, m. Feb. 18, 1730-1, Lt. Robert Harris, "a clothier" of Springfield, b. Aug. 1, 1700, at Brookline, Mass. (son of Daniel Harris and Joanna Brown). She d. in 1760.

*By second wife:*

18. vii. Martha Pyncheon, b. in 1712, d. Dec. 8, 1712.

19. viii. Edward Pyncheon, b. April 9, 1713, m. a widow Bliss, without issue. He d. Nov. 3, 1777.

20. ix. Nathaniel Pyncheon, b. March 2, 1715, d. Oct. 10, 1722.

21. x. Capt. George Pyncheon, b. April 20, 1717, d. June 26, 1797. His wife Hannah d. Aug. 10, 1751, having previously had son, Peter, b. Jan. 24, 1750-1. He m. again and had children: George, Louisa, Nathaniel, Peter (1st and 2d) and Henry.

22. xi. Charles Pyncheon, M.D., b. Jan. 31, 1719, a noted physician at Springfield. He m., July 1749, Anna Dwight, sister of Genl. Joseph Dwight. He d. Aug. 9, 1783, aet. 64.

23. xii. Margaret Pyncheon, b. about 1721, d. Oct. 27, 1722.

There was also a son b. and d. June 19, 1710, that if enumerated here would have been No. vii.

[Fourth Generation.]

11. iii. Col. William Pyncheon (son of Col. John Pyncheon and Margaret Hubbard), b. in 1689, was Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and resided at Springfield. He m. May 15, 1721, Catharine Brewer, b. Oct. 25, 1700 (dau. of Rev. Daniel Brewer of Springfield and Catharine Chauncey. (See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. p. 1281-2.) He d. Jan. 1, 1741-2, aet. 52. She d. killed by lightning April 10, 1747, aet. 47.

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

24. i. Sarah Pyncheon, b. Aug. 14, 1721, m. about 1750 Col. Josiah Dwight (bro. of Genl. Joseph Dwight), b. Oct. 23, 1715, a merchant at Springfield and Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. She d. without issue Aug. 4, 1755. He m. again and had 5 children.

25. ii. William Pyncheon, Esq., b. Dec. 11, 1723, grad. at Harvard in 1743, an eminent lawyer at Salem, Mass. He m. Catharine Sewall (dau. of Mitchell Sewall of Salem, Mass., and Mary Cabot, dau. of John Cabot). He d. March 14, 1789. He had 5 children: Elizabeth,

*Son of Timothy, Son of John, both of Dedham, Mass.* 633

who m. Timothy Orne ; Catharine, who m. William Wetmore ; Sarah, who m. Rev. Thomas Fitch Oliver ; and sons William and John, who d. unmarried.

26. iii. Margaret Pynchon, b. Nov. 24, 1727, who m. Jan. 11, 1750, Major Elijah Williams of Deerfield, Mass. She d. April 1772.

27. iv. Daniel John Pynchon, b. Oct. 7, 1733, d. while at Yale College, April 22, 1754.

28. v. Joseph Pynchon, b. Oct. 30, 1737, grad. at Yale in 1757, m. about 1759, Sarah Ruggles, dau. of Rev. Thomas Ruggles of Guilford, Ct. He lived at Guilford, but being a tory he removed to Nova Scotia. His property was confiscated. He afterwards returned to Guilford and d. there Nov. 23, 1794. She d. there in 1807. Their children were :

29. 1. Thomas Ruggles Pynchon, M.D., b. in 1760, a physician in Guilford, Ct., and d. there in 1796.

30. 2. Sarah Pynchon, b. in 1763, m. Nathaniel Rossiter.

31. 3. Catharine Pynchon, b. in 1768, m. Henry Caldwell.

32. 4. Mary Pynchon, b. in 1775, d. in 1776.]

[Fifth Generation.]

4159. ii. Dorothy Dwight (dau. of Genl. Joseph Dwight and Mary Pynchon), b. Nov. 13, 1729, m. May 18, 1749, Hon. Jedediah Foster, b. Oct. 10, 1726 (son of Ephraim Foster, Jr., of Andover, Mass., and Abigail Poor) and grad. at Harvard in 1744. He engaged in mercantile pursuits at Brookfield with Genl. Joseph Dwight, and was a deacon in the church. He held various military offices, from captain of a company to major of a regiment, under Major Genl. Winslow, by commission from Gov. Shirley. In 1754 he was commission justice of the peace and of the quorum for Worcester Co. He was also judge of probate, and afterwards one of the judges of the Superior Court of Massachusetts. He was a representative of the town in the General Council for 15 years (1761-76), and a member of all the Provincial Congresses of Massachusetts. In 1779 he was a member of the Convention for forming a State Constitution, and of the Committee itself appointed to draft it, during the session of which Committee he died.

He was a man of thorough integrity and honor, and of large benevolence, an active Christian and a zealous patriot. "Blessed with a happy steadiness and presence of mind" he always studied to be useful, "being of the fixed opinion that no one should desire to outlive his usefulness." He was especially hopeful, determined and active in that part of the revolutionary war in which he had an opportunity to take any share of duty or service. He d. at Brookfield, Oct. 17, 1779, aet. 53. She d. Jan. 12, 1818, aet. 89, having been for 38 years a widow.



Her personal appearance was thus described by her grandson, Alfred Dwight Foster, Esq., in a letter addressed, Jan. 19, 1842, by him to Frederic A. Foster, Esq., of Lancaster, O.: "She had always, within my memory, a head of perfectly white hair and very black eyes, although the Dwights almost without exception have light complexions and blue eyes, as my father and uncles Theodore and Theophilus had."

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

4170. i. Pamela Foster, b. Aug. 12, 1750, d. Jan. 19, 1751.

4171. ii. Hon. Theodore Foster, b. April 29, 1752, O. S., d. Jan. 13, 1828, aet. 75.

4172. iii. Theophilus Foster, b. March 16, 1754, d. Oct. 8, 1833.

4173. iv. Abigail Foster, b. Jan. 10, 1756, d. unmarried July 25, 1779, aet. 23. She is described as having been "a lady of superior talents and accomplishments, of a sweet attractive disposition, and full of faith in God, and of the spirit of duty, and of patient endurance under severe trials."

4174. v. Judge Dwight Foster, b. Dec. 7, 1757, d. April 23, 1823.

4175. vi. Hon. Peregrine Foster, b. Dec. 27, 1759, d. Aug. 1, 1804.

4176. vii. Ruth Foster, b. Sept. 11, 1766, m. Genl. Thomas Ives, d. Feb. 15, 1852, aet. 85.

[Reginald Foster, the founder of the Foster Family in this country, came in 1638 to Ipswich, Mass., from the west of England, with his wife and seven children, five of them sons. He lived to extreme old age. His sons were Abraham, Reginald, William, Isaac and Jacob, all born in England. One of his daughters m. a Story, ancestor of Chief-Justice Story. They all lived to old age.

Reginald Foster, b. at Exeter, England, was descended, it is said, from Sir Reginald Foster, made a baronet in 1461 (see Chamberlayne's Present State of Great Britain). It is a tradition (of how much value the author knows not) that he m. a grand-daughter of the great Shakespeare(?).

Abraham Foster (son of Reginald Foster, the settler), b. in 1622, in England, lived at Ipswich, Mass., where he also married and had six children. He d. there Jan. 25, 1711, aet. 88.

His eldest son, Ephraim, b. Oct. 9, 1657, m. about 1677 Hannah Eames, and had 12 children, seven of them sons. Of these, Ephraim Jr., the eldest, b. March 12, 1687, at Andover, Mass., m. Abigail Poor of Newbury, about 1717. He d. April 8, 1738: she d. Aug. 28, 1747. They had 6 children, all of whom d. young but Jedediah Foster, b. Oct. 10, 1726.]

[Sixth Generation.]

4171. ii. Hon. Theodore Foster (son of Hon. Jedediah Foster and

Dorothy Dwight), b. April 29, 1752 (or May 10, 1752, N. S.), grad. at Brown University (then called "R. I. College"), Sept. 5, 1770, m. in 1771 Lydia Fenner of Providence, R. I., b. March 1, 1748 (dau. of Arthur Fenner and sister of Gov. James Fenner of R. I.). She d. June 1801. He m. June 18, 1803, for 2d wife, Esther Bowen Millard, b. June 15, 1785 (dau. of Rev. Noah Millard of Foster, R. I., and Hannah Bowen). He was a lawyer at Providence. He was elected a Justice of the peace for the town and county of Providence at the General State Election in 1773, and was town-clerk for 12 years (1775-87), and was in 1776 a member of the State legislature. In 1787 he was elected a member of the Governor's Council, and was for 13 years U. S. Senator (1790-1803). He d. Jan. 13, 1828, aet. 75. "He was a thoroughly unselfish man, and had literary tastes, personal friendships, and a love of nature which were far dearer to him than pecuniary gain." In personal appearance he was dignified and prepossessing, and in stature above the average height. His face, which was full and round, beamed with benignity and intelligence. He had a light complexion and blue eyes. His wife, Esther Millard, d. Dec. 29, 1815, aet. 30.

[Rev. Noah Millard, b. at Rehoboth, Mass., Oct. 10, 1758, was the son of Noah Millard and Jane Maxwell. He was a "Six-Principle-Baptist." He preached without ordination at Foster, R. I. (a town incorporated in 1781 and named in honor of the Hon. Theodore Foster), for some 10 years (1795-1805). In April, 1805, he removed to Burrillville, R. I., where he was ordained, Oct. 15, 1806, and preached until his death, Oct. 25, 1834. He had 5 children: Hannah, Samuel, Esther Bowen, Theodore Foster, and Arthur Lemuel.]

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4177. i. Theodosia Foster, b. Dec. 24, 1772, m. Stephen Tillinghast, d. Sept. 24, 1839.

4178. ii. Augusta Sophia Foster, b. April 7, 1773, d. Nov. 6, 1776.

4179. iii. Theodore Dwight Foster, b. Sept. 10, 1780, grad. at Brown University in 1798, studied law and went to N. Orleans, La., to practise his profession, but d. soon after his arrival there, in the summer of 1802, of yellow fever, unmarried.

*By second wife :*

4180. iv. Maxwell Stewart Foster, b. Dec. 6, 1804, d. May 9, 1849, aet. 44.

4181. v. Samuel Willis Foster, b. in Foster, R. I., Nov. 30, 1806, d. Oct. 11, 1850, aet. 44.

4182. vi. Dwight Cranston Foster, b. in Foster, Dec. 1808, d. Aug. 16, 1852, aet. 43.

4183. vii. Theodore Foster, b. in Foster, April 3, 1812, d. Dec. 27, 1865, aet. 53.

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4184. viii. Luzelia Sarah Foster, b. in Foster, Oct. 4, 1815, m. Joseph W. Seymour.

4177. i. Theodosia Foster, b. Dec. 24, 1772, m. May 23, 1794, Stephen Tillinghast, b. Sept. 17, 1768 (son of Daniel Tillinghast and Lydia Hopkins, dau. of Gov. Hopkins), grad. at Brown University in 1788, a merchant at Providence, and Prest. of an Insurance Co. He was highly respected for his upright and honorable character. He was established for several years in business in New York. She d. Sept. 24, 1839: he d. Feb. 6, 1841.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4185. i. George Hopkins Tillinghast, M.D., b. in New York, March 19, 1795, d. Aug. 28, 1858.

4186. ii. Ophelia Dwight Tillinghast, b. March 19, 1796, d., aet. 14, Sept. 21, 1810.

4187. iii. Hon. Charles Foster Tillinghast, b. June 18, 1797, d. Aug. 3, 1864.

4188. iv. Frances Theodosia Tillinghast, b. Oct. 15, 1798, d. March 9, 1818.

4185. i. George Hopkins Tillinghast, M.D., b. March 19, 1795, grad. at Brown University in 1814, was a physician and apothecary in Providence. When about entering upon medical practice, he was crippled for life by the falling of a piece of timber upon him in a tornado. He m. Oct. 16, 1825, Louisa Lyman, b. at Newport, R. I., April 16, 1797 (dau. of Chief Justice Daniel Lyman of Providence and Mary Wanton). He d. Aug. 28, 1858, aet. 63.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4189. i. Francis Theodosia Tillinghast, b. Oct. 13, 1826, d. Feb. 17, 1842.

4190. ii. Charles Tillinghast, b. June 16, 1828, m. May 16, 1848, Lucy S. Leonard of Providence. He was a merchant in New York. He went into the late war for God and his native land, and fell leading bravely on his company before the entrenchments at Newbern, N. C., when his fellow-soldiers were just seizing upon victory, March 14, 1862, aet. 35. He had one child, Frances, who d. aet. 3.

4191. iii. Julia Lyman Tillinghast, b. Nov. 2, 1830, m. John W. Alom of Providence.

4192. iv. Henry Lyman Tillinghast, b. Jan. 13, 1833, d. Feb. 25, 1862, from injuries received at the battle of Bull Run. He was one of the first to enlist in the late rebellion, in the First R. I. Regt. of Union Vols.

4193. v. Stephen Hopkins Tillinghast, b. May 9, 1835, is a resident at Providence.

4191. iii. Julia Lyman Tillinghast, b. Nov. 2, 1830, m. Jan. 18, 1855, John W. Alom of Providence (son of John W. Alom and Celinda Barton), b. April 3, 1830.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4194. i. Louise Lyman Alom, b. Jan. 12, 1856.

4195. ii. Annie Barton Alom, b. March 21, 1858.

4196. iii. Sophie Tillinghast Alom, b. March 19, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

4187. iii. Hon. Charles Foster Tillinghast (son of Stephen Tillinghast and Theodosia Foster), b. June 18, 1797, m. May 15, 1822, Susanna Richmond, b. May 27, 1800 (dau. of William Richmond of Providence and Clarissa Andrews). He was grad. at Brown University in 1814, and was a lawyer at Providence for nearly 50 years (1817-64). He was largely conversant with the details of the law of real estate and of conveyances and probate, and especially with the whole system of private trusts, real and personal. He was a member in 1848 of the Constitutional Convention of R. I., and was at one time a member of the State legislature. He d. Aug. 3, 1864. She d. Sept. 29, 1862.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4197. i. William Richmond Tillinghast, b. March 2, 1823, d. Dec. 1, 1847. He m. in 1844 Frances Eliza Peckham of Providence, b. Nov. 20, 1821. He resided in Providence, where he d. Dec. 1, 1847. He had one child :

4198. 1. Charles Foster Tillinghast, b. May 27, 1845, who resides in Pittsburgh, Pa.

4199. ii. Stephen Hopkins Tillinghast, b. June 15, 1826, d. Aug. 13, 1827.

4200. iii. James Tillinghast, b. July 22, 1828.

4201. iv. Sophia Foster Tillinghast, b. May 9, 1833, resides unmarried in Providence.

4200. iii. James Tillinghast, b. July 22, 1828, grad. at Brown University in 1849, a lawyer in Providence since 1851. He m. May 26, 1857, Sarah Benson Anthony (dau. of Henry Anthony of Providence, and Charlotte Benson).

To him and his sister is due the account here given of the Tillinghast branch of the Dwight-Foster family.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4202. i. William Richmond Tillinghast, b. April 15, 1858.

4203. ii. Henry Anthony Tillinghast, b. Sept. 15, 1859.

4204. iii. Theodore Foster Tillinghast, b. Sept. 25, 1861.

4205. iv. Stephen Hopkins Tillinghast, b. Sept. 1863, d. April, 1865.



[Daniel Tillinghast was descended from Pardon Tillinghast, the settler, who was b. in 1622, at Seven Cliffs, near Beachy Head, Eng. He went first to Providence, and thence, in 1663, to Newport, R. I., but before 1677 returned to Providence again. He was in 1681 an elder of the old Baptist church. He built in 1700, at his own expense, the first Baptist meeting-house in that city, and gave a deed of it to the church, April 14, 1711. He m. for a 2d wife Lydia Taber of Tiverton, R. I. The name is said to be a corruption of the motto, "Till in haste!" which is found on the coat of arms, consisting of a crow, harrow and spade, indicating the life of a husbandman.

Judge Daniel Lyman, b. in Durham, Ct., Jan. 27, 1756, left with his class, then Junior, at Yale, for Cambridge, Mass., after the news of the battle at Lexington, and was at once appointed Captain under Arnold, and the next year Brigade-Major under Genl. Fellows, and in 1778, Adjutant Genl. under Genl. Heath. He practised law at Newport, R. I., for several years after the war. He was also Chief Justice of the State. He d. Oct. 16, 1830, aet. 74.]

[Seventh Generation.]

4180. iv. Maxwell Stewart Foster (son of Hon. Theodore Foster and Esther Bowen Millard), b. Dec. 6, 1804, m. Aug. 27, 1823, Mary Howard, b. Nov. 12, 1795 (dau. of Silas Howard of Burrillville, R. I., and Mary Bowen). She d. May 24, 1835; and he m. a 2d wife, Lydia ———, who d. soon, and afterwards m. a 3d wife, Maria Thompson. He was a farmer at Burrillville. He d. there May 9, 1849, aet. 44. He resided for a short time at Syracuse, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4206. i. Esther Foster, b. May 30, 1824, d. Dec. 9, 1831, aet. 7.

4207. ii. Emmeline Foster, b. April 4, 1825, m. Lewis Chamberlain.

*By second wife:*

4208. iii. George Foster, b. about 1838, resides in Syracuse, N. Y.

4209. iv. Ruby Foster, b. about 1841.

4207. ii. Emmeline Foster, b. April 4, 1825, m. March 8, 1847, Lewis Chamberlain, b. Nov. 1, 1825 (son of Alpheus Chamberlain and Lydia Brown), a farmer at North Coventry, Ct. He enlisted Aug. 5, 1861, at Harrisville, R. I., as a private in the 4th R. I. Regt., Co. D, and was in the Burnside expedition in Virginia, Maryland, N. Carolina, etc. After a year and a quarter of service he was compelled by long sickness to leave the army.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4210. i. Mary Elizabeth Chamberlain, b. June 9, 1849, m. Sept. 20, 1866, John Hervey Talcott, b. Sept. 7, 1846 (son of Dea. Joseph Tal-

cott of Coventry and Abigail Turner), a farmer in Coventry. One child:

4211. 1. Mary Abigail Talcott, b. Oct. 9, 1867.

4212. ii. Martha Melinda Chamberlain, b. Feb. 26, 1853, m. Nov. 11, 1869, John E. Wright, and has 2 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Lulu May Wright, b. Sept. 25, 1871.

\*\*\*\* 2. Lillian Wright, b. July 25, 1873.

4213. iii. Sarah Louisa Chamberlain, b. Feb. 16, 1855, m. March 4, 1874, Elias F. Wilcox (son of Stephen E. Wilcox of Norwich, Ct., and Eliza S. Bushnell), b. in Sprague, Ct., Oct. 6, 1853.

4214. iv. Frederic Leroy Chamberlain, b. July 21, 1860.

4215. v. Dwight Merrick Chamberlain, b. Feb. 18, 1865, d. March 21, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.]

4181. v. Samuel Willis Foster (son of Hon. Theodore Foster and Esther Millard), b. Nov. 30, 1806, m. Feb. 23, 1829, Ruth Belden Seymour, b. Nov. 6, 1808 (dau. of Ira Seymour of Webster, Mich., and Betsey Morehouse). He removed in May 1828 to Dexter, Mich., then all but a wilderness, and in 1830 to Scio, Mich., where he followed milling (flour and lumber) for many years. He was very zealous in advocating anti-slavery and temperance principles of private and public action, at a time and in a section where such ideas were specially unpopular. In the rage for emigration to California in 1850, he went there also, for purposes of mining, and shortly after his arrival d. in San Francisco, Oct. 11, 1850. He was a man of positive convictions, generous sympathies and great energy of character. His widow resides at Hudson, Wis.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4216. i. Oscar Foster, b. Aug. 15, 1830, d. Sept. 16, 1830.

4217. ii. Andrew Dwight Foster, b. Aug. 5, 1832.

4218. iii. Esther Foster, b. Sept. 17, 1834.

4219. iv. Betsey Seymour Foster, b. Nov. 22, 1837, d. Sept. 13, 1838.

4220. v. Joseph Seymour Foster, b. Feb. 21, 1842, d. Oct. 4, 1842.

4221. vi. Ira Seymour Foster, b. April 1, 1846.

[Seventh Generation.]

4182. vi. Dwight Cranston Foster (son of Hon. Theodore Foster and Esther Millard), b. Dec. 28, 1808, m. June 8, 1832, Alma Jeanette Seymour, b. March 19, 1816 (dau. of Ira Seymour of Webster, Mich., and Betsey Morehouse). She d. in Scio, Mich., Jan. 11, 1843. He m. Nov. 1, 1843, Cornelia Seymour, her sister, b. April 17, 1806.

In 1836 he removed to Scio, Mich., and engaged in milling with his brother Samuel (1836-43). In 1843 he removed to Commerce, Mich.,

where he was a miller (both flour and lumber) until his death, Aug. 16, 1852, aet. 43. He was a zealous advocate of the rights and interests of the neglected and abused classes of society. His widow resides at Detroit, Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4222. i. Edward Dwight Foster, b. at Scio, May 12, 1838, a leather merchant in Detroit (Mumford, Foster & Co.).

4223. ii. Lydia Foster, b. at Scio, July 23, 1840, d. July 26, 1843.

*By second wife :*

4224. iii. Lydia Foster, 2d, b. at Commerce, Mich., May 30, 1845, m. Sept. 1870, David Wilson of Crawford's Quarry, Mich.

4225. iv. Mary Foster, b. Feb. 2, 1848, at Commerce, has been an invalid and bed-ridden for 10 years.

[Seventh Generation.]

4183. vii. Theodore Foster (son of Hon. Theodore Foster and Esther Millard), b. April 3, 1812. In 1827, when 14 years of age, he shipped as a sailor-boy on a vessel bound for the East Indies. Having received ill treatment he deserted the ship at New Orleans, and actually came back on foot from that distant point to his home in Rhode Island. Finding that his father had died in his absence, he went to Dexter, Mich., in 1829, where his brother Samuel then lived.

On the formation of The Abolition Party, he became one of its most active members. He edited "The Signal of Liberty," at Ann Arbor (1841-7), which in 1847, was merged in "The National Era," published at Washington, D.C. He advocated earnestly the election of James G. Birney to the Presidency. He was considered by leading anti-slavery men a very able and clear-headed writer on our national duties, interests and dangers. He edited also for some time after 1847, "The Free Democrat" of Detroit. In 1855 he was appointed by Gov. Bingham one of The Building Commissioners for The Reform School at Lansing, Mich., and before its completion, in 1856, was made its Superintendent, and held the office for 4 years (1856-60), being afterwards also one of "The Board of Control." He was clerk of the City of Lansing, Mich. (1861-2), deputy-collector (1863-4), and editor (1864) of The Lansing State Republican, a position which poor health compelled him to resign soon. He d. of consumption, Dec. 27, 1865, aet. 53.

He was equally modest and earnest. Constitutionally conservative, he was from deep moral conviction thoroughly radical. Naturally very sensitive to misappreciation and opposition and obloquy, he yet delighted in defending and promoting everywhere, as opportunity offered,

whatever seemed to him to be truest and best, no matter what were the odds against him.

He was a man of quick perceptions, strong memory and philosophic habits of thought, with fine logical powers of reasoning. He was also a close student, and much addicted to literary occupations. He had dark hair and eyes, and a florid complexion.

He m. July 15, 1832, Frances Delia Seymour, b. June 9, 1804 (dau. of Ira Seymour of Victor, N. Y., and Betsey Morehouse, afterwards of Webster, Mich.). Five times the Foster and Seymour families thus intermarried.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4226. i. Charles Tillinghast Foster, b. at Scio, Mich., Jan. 16, 1834, enlisted May 11, 1861, in the 3d Mich. Regt., and joined the army of the Potomac under Genl. McClellan. The regimental color-bearer having been killed at the battle of Williamsburgh, the colonel asked the regiment, "Who will take the colors." No one else offering to take such a great risk, he stepped forth from the ranks, after a brief delay, and said: "I will take them, they shall not go a begging." He bore them into the next battle at Fair Oaks, May 31, 1862, knowing that he was marching to certain death, and was shot in the left side of the neck. He held fast to the dear flag after he had fallen, and said with his last breath: "Let some one take the colors!"

4227. ii. Frances ("Fanny") Foster, b. at Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 19, 1842, m. April 18, 1864, Albert Eugene Cowles, b. May 14, 1838, at Chardon, O. (son of Joseph Phelps Cowles and Fanny Howe). He was grad. at the Law Department of the University of Michigan in 1862, and since May 1864 has practised law at Lansing, Mich. They have an adopted daughter, Grace Cowles, b. June 2, 1870.

4228. iii. Seymour Foster, b. at Ann Arbor, July 1, 1845, enlisted Dec. 20, 1863, among the U. S. Sharpshooters, 3d brigade, 3d division, 2d Army Corps, and served until the end of the war. He was in all the battles of "The Wilderness," at "Todd's Tavern," "Po River," "Spottsylvania," "North Ann River," "Cold Harbor," "Petersburgh, Va.," "Weldon R. Road," "Deep Bottom," "Boydton Plank Road," etc., in all 46 skirmishes and battles, and was not once wounded. He was mustered out at Detroit, July 17, 1865. He resides now at Lansing.

[Seventh Generation.]

4184. viii. Luzelia Sarah Foster (dau. of Hon. Theodore Foster and Esther Millard), b. Oct. 4, 1815, m. Jan. 3, 1834, Joseph Willard Seymour, b. March 1, 1811 (son of Ira Seymour of Webster, Mich., and Betsey Morehouse), a miller in Scio, Mich. (1833-7), and afterwards



a merchant in Lima, Mich. (1837-9), and in Commerce, Mich. (1839-40), where he d. May 7, 1840. She m. for a 2d husband, Oct. 15, 1841, John Comstock, b. Dec. 19, 1813 (son of Rev. Elkanah Comstock, Bapt., of Pontiac, Mich., and Sarah Green), a banker at Hudson, Wis., where they have resided since 1856. No children by this marriage. By her first husband she had one child:

4229. 1. Theodosia Tillinghast Seymour, b. July 23, 1839, d. Aug. 15, 1839.

To Mrs. Luzelia Comstock many of the facts here stated are thankfully credited.

[Sixth Generation.]

4172. iii. Theophilus Foster (son of Hon. Jedediah Foster and Dorothy Dwight), b. March 16, 1754, m. in 1774 Susanna Packard, b. in 1757. She d. April 2, 1801, aet. 44, and he m. for 2d wife Hannah Crosby, without issue. He was a farmer at Brookfield, Mass., and afterwards (1795-1833) at Wilmington, Vt., where he d. Oct. 8, 1833, aet. 79. He had a light complexion and blue eyes.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4230. i. Dorothy Foster, b. March 22, 1776, m. Edmund Livermore, d. June 2, 1842, aet. 66.

4231. ii. Theodore Adelphidus Foster, b. March 22, 1778, d. in 1825.

4232. iii. Jedediah Foster, b. Aug. 5, 1780.

4233. iv. Abigail Foster, b. April 3, 1782, d. unmarried May 25, 1803.

4234. v. Sarah Foster, b. June 27, 1784, m. in 1802, Daniel Bidlecom of Wilmington, Vt. He lived in Avon, N. Y., where he d. in 1813, leaving 5 daughters and 1 son.

4235. vi. Clarissa Foster, b. June 26, 1786, d. April 20, 1848, aet. 62.

4236. vii. Lydia Foster, b. Nov. 2, 1789, d. June 1790.

4237. viii. Elijah Dwight Foster, b. April 12, 1791.

4238. ix. Rev. Peregrine Pynchon Foster, b. May 10, 1793, d. Feb. 17, 1834, aet. 40.

4239. x. Susan Foster, b. Sept. 22, 1795, m. Jonathan Haskins.

4230. i. Dorothy Foster, b. March 22, 1776, m. Dec. 1, 1796, Edmund Livermore, b. Aug. 16, 1769 (son of Daniel Livermore and Elizabeth Allen), a farmer at Wilmington, Vt., where he also kept public-house for a time. He d. there June 30, 1834, aet. 65. She d. June 2, 1842, aet. 66.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4240. i. Semantha Livermore, b. May 28, 1798, d. Sept. 9, 1798.

4241. ii. Daniel Livermore, b. June 30, 1799.

4242. iii. Susan Livermore, b. March 27, 1801, m. Joel Nye.

4243. iv. Alonzo Livermore, b. Feb. 25, 1803.

4244. v. Betsey Livermore, b. Aug. 20, 1805, m. Ira Adams, and d. Oct. 25, 1852.

4245. vi. Semantha Livermore, 2d, b. June 2, 1807, m. March 5, 1854, without issue, James Smith of Wilmington, Vt., a farmer, b. Oct. 19, 1796 (son of Medad Smith of Wilmington and Elizabeth Hale).

4246. vii. Edmund Randolph Livermore, b. May 28, 1808, d. Nov. 11, 1831, while a member of Dartmouth College.

4247. viii. Pamela Foster Livermore, b. March 21, 1811, m. May 14, 1850, Reuben Spencer, a farmer near Mendota, Ill., b. Dec. 26, 1821 (son of Joseph and Huldah Spencer of Wilmington).

4248. ix. Cynthia Livermore, b. March 23, 1813, d. Oct. 18, 1830.

4249. x. Jairus Livermore, b. Feb. 7, 1815, d. Dec. 9, 1862.

4250. xi. Harriet Newell Livermore, b. May 10, 1817, d. Aug. 31, 1838.

4251. xii. Henry Dwight Livermore, b. March 7, 1820, m. Feb. 8, 1855, Lydia Walker Corbett, b. July 25, 1821 (dau. of Philip Corbett of Wilmington and Eunice Hix), a farmer at Wilmington, Vt. He d. in 1872. His widow resides at Wilmington. They had one child:

4252. 1. Cora Jane Livermore, b. Oct. 13, 1857.

To Mr. Henry D. Livermore is due the account here given of his father's descendants. He says of his father's children: "All of the sons and four of the daughters have taught school more or less; and some of us have made it a business for several years. For honesty and respectability the family has been second to few; but the faculty of easy or large acquisition of worldly goods seems not to be characteristic of the family."

4241. ii. Daniel Livermore, b. June 30, 1799, m. Jan. 21, 1828, Mary Ann Robinson (dau. of Thomas Robinson of Baltimore, Md., and Elizabeth Stuart, dau. of Dr. David Stuart of Port Penn, Delaware). He is insane. His wife resides at Port Penn, Del. His employment has been that of a civil engineer.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4253. i. William Darrach Livermore, b. Dec. 20, 1828, an apothecary in Philadelphia, was drowned in the Delaware river, July 19, 1854.

4254. ii. Origen Livermore, b. in Blairsville, Va., Sept. 16, 1830, an apothecary in Philadelphia, d. April 8, 1864.

4255. iii. Mary E. T. Livermore, b. about 1832, d. soon.

4256. iv. Jarves Stuart Livermore, b. about 1834, d. soon.

[Eighth Generation.]

4242. iii. Susan Livermore (dau. of Edmund Livermore and Dorothy Foster), b. March 27, 1801, m. April 18, 1824, Joel Nye of To-

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ledo, O., a farmer, b. in Brookfield, N. Y., Feb. 11, 1799 (son of Jonathan Nye of Hume, N. Y., and Betsey Alton of Thompson, Ct.).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4257. i. Alonzo Randolph Nye, M.D., b. Feb. 20, 1825, a physician at New Orleans, La., where he d. July 31, 1853.

4258. ii. Daniel Henry Nye, b. May 31, 1828.

4259. iii. Edmund Dwight Nye, b. July 29, 1830.

4258. ii. Daniel Henry Nye, b. May 31, 1828, was formerly a book-seller at Toledo, O. He enlisted in the late rebellion, April 25, 1861, in the 14th Ohio regiment, Co. A, for 3 months' service, and entered the Union army anew Aug. 13, 1861, for 3 years, as First Lieut. and Quartermaster of the regiment. In Dec. 1861 the 14th Ohio, in which he was a soldier, the 4th and 10th Kentucky, and 10th Indiana regiments were formed into a brigade at Lebanon, Ky., and he was made A. C. S., holding the office until his term of service was ended, Sept. 12, 1864. He took part in the battles of Wild Cat, Ky., Mill Spring, Ky., Corinth, Miss, Perryville, Ky., Chickamauga, Chattanooga, and Mission Ridge, and was with Genl. Sherman in his Atlanta campaign.

He is a farmer now at Toledo, O. He m. Aug. 7, 1854, Emma Parker Swift, b. in Tiverton, R. I., June 19, 1835 (dau. of Albert Swift of Toledo and Catharine Estes). She d. Jan. 1, 1867.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

4260. i. Emma Swift Nye, b. Oct. 25, 1856, d. Oct. 2, 1858.

4261. ii. Henry Case Nye, b. Feb. 1, 1858, d. Jan. 1, 1863.

4262. iii. Emma Parker Nye, b. Dec. 31, 1866.

[Ninth Generation.]

4259. iii. Edmund Dwight Nye, b. July 29, 1830, m. Aug. 3, 1853, Frances Lucinda Collins, b. Sept. 28, 1836 (dau. of Morgan Lewis Collins of Toledo and Lucinda Lewis): a lawyer, engaged in a commercial agency in New York, but residing with his family in Brooklyn. Mrs. Lucinda Nye d. Aug. 24, 1854, and he m. Nov. 7, 1855, Emma Caroline Jennison, b. Jan. 30, 1836.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4263. i. Julia Frances Nye, b. March 7, 1854, d. Aug. 18, 1854.

*By second wife:*

4264. ii. Charles Edmund Nye, b. May 28, 1861, d. soon.

4265. iii. Robert Hatfield Nye, b. June 30, 1863.

4266. iv. William Nye, b. April 6, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

4243. iv. Alonzo Livermore (son of Edmund Livermore and Dorothy

Foster), b. Feb. 25, 1803, m. April 30, 1826; Elizabeth Brunner, b. Nov. 10, 1806 (dau. of Henry Brunner and Barbara Kern of Jones-town, Pa.). He is a civil engineer, and has been busy all his life on canals and railroads in New York, Pennsylvania and Kentucky. He was engaged in the U. S. service in improving the Des Moines Rapids in the Mississippi, at Keokuk, Iowa, and also the Rock Island Rapids. He resides at Mendota, Ill. His wife d. March 10, 1861.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4267. i. Pamela Livermore, b. Feb. 15, 1827, d. aet. 22, May 1849, in Kentucky.

4268. ii. Fidelia Livermore, b. Jan. 17, 1829, m. Robert S. Howard.

4269. iii. Maria Livermore, b. April 10, 1832, d. June 5, 1832.

4270. iv. Horace Brunner Livermore, M.D., b. Aug. 23, 1833, a physician at Macomb, Ill. He m. April 1856, a dau. of Rev. Mr. Hoffmann, a Lutheran clergyman at Reading, Pa. He has one child :

4271. 1. John Alonzo Livermore, b. July 1859.

4272. v. Alonzo Skiles Livermore, b. in Rumsey, Ky., Aug. 19, 1840, m. Jan. 9, 1868, Leila Robinson, b. in New Iberia, La. He was grad. at Union Coll., N. Y., in 1858. He resides in Memphis, Tenn., and is Genl. Suft. of The Miss. and Tenn. R. Road. He has one child :

4273. 1. Leila Livermore, b. Oct. 31, 1868.

4268. ii. Fidelia Livermore, b. Jan. 17, 1829, m. June 2, 1851, Robert Smith Howard (son of Nathaniel Howard of Kentucky), a corn merchant in New Orleans, La. Has had 4 children :

4274. 1. Eliza Maude Howard, b. in 1853.

4275. 2. Clara Amelia Howard, b. in 1855.

4276. 3. Estelle Howard, b. in 1860.

4277. 4. Robert Howard, b. Feb. 28, 1866.

[Eighth Generation.]

4244. v. Betsey Livermore (dau. of Edmund Livermore and Dorothy Foster), b. Aug. 20, 1805, m. Dec. 7, 1826, Ira Adams, b. Feb. 3, 1803 (son of Nathaniel Adams of Wilmington, Vt., and Abigail Miller), a farmer at Wilmington, and in his later life a tinner. He d. Sept. 19, 1852, aet. 49.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4278. i. Susan Miranda Adams, b. Dec. 15, 1827, d. Aug. 7, 1831.

4279. ii. Susan Miranda Adams, b. Aug. 16, 1833, d. Dec. 1, 1852.

4280. iii. Cynthia Jeanette Adams, b. Nov. 3, 1835, d. Sept. 22, 1860.

4281. iv. Harriet Pamela Adams, b. Jan. 28, 1851, d. Oct. 18, 1851.

4280. iii. Cynthia Jeanette Adams, b. Nov. 3, 1835, m. Nov. 3, 1853,



Daniel Cushman, a farmer in Wilmington, Vt., b. Jan. 3, 1832 (son of Silas Cushman and Cordelia Maria Haskins). She d. Sept. 22, 1860. Two children :

4282. 1. Gilbert Leslie Cushman, b. Oct. 1856.

4283. 2. Florence Myra Cushman, b. Jan. 1, 1859.

[Eighth Generation.]

4249 x. Jairus Livermore (son of Edmund Livermore and Dorothy Foster), b. Feb. 7, 1815, m. Oct. 5, 1846, Abby Babb, b. Sept. 25, 1826, in Luzerne Co., Pa. (dau. of John Babb and Susan Miller). He was a civil engineer in Kentucky, afterwards a teacher in Des Moines Co., Iowa (1848-54), and at last a farmer in Ononwa, Louisa Co., Iowa (1855-62), where he d. in 1862.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4284. i. Susan A. Livermore, b. June 15, 1848, m. March 7, 1864, Clark Moore, b. in W. Virginia in 1844, a farmer in Inland, Cedar Co. Iowa. They have a son, Oliver E. Moore.

4285. ii. Millard Fillmore Livermore, b. Aug. 27, 1850.

4286. iii. Cornelia Livermore, b. June 9, 1852, m. Oct. 17, 1868, William H. Brown, b. Aug. 2, 1846, a farmer in Ringgold Co., Iowa.

4287. iv. Arthur Livermore, b. Aug. 8, 1854.

4288. v. Mary L. Livermore, b. in Ononwa, Iowa, Aug. 4, 1856.

4289. vi. Pamela B. Livermore, b. Aug. 15, 1858.

4290. vii. Stella A. Livermore, b. Jan. 4, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

4231. ii. Theodore Adelphidus Foster (son of Theophilus Foster and Susanna Packard), b. March 22, 1778, m. in 1803 Julia Green (dau. of Judge Jacob Green, who was brother to Genl. Nathaniel Green of revolutionary memory). He was grad. at Brown University in 1800, studied law with Genl. Ives at Gr. Barrington, practised the profession at Providence, and was made judge (of what court not known to the writer). He d. in 1825, aet. 47.

He had 2 daughters and 3 sons. His daughters were Ann and Harriet :

4291. 1. Ann Foster, b. about 1804, m. a Mr. Post, who lived at Niagara Falls, N. Y., and afterwards at Wheeling, W. Va. They were lost, with their 4 children, on board of a schooner, in a gale, while on their way from Cleveland to Buffalo.

4292. 2. Harriet Foster, b. about 1806, m. a Mr. Cramer of Parkman, Geauga Co., O.

The names of the sons of Judge Theodore A. Foster, and their history, the author was not able to ascertain, although striving earnestly to do so.

[Seventh Generation.]

4232. iii. Jedediah Foster (son of Theophilus Foster and Susanna Packard), b. Aug. 5, 1780, m. Nov. 12, 1804, Tamerson Gilbert of Hardwick, Mass., b. in Brookfield, Mass., Jan. 3, 1776 (dau. of Jedediah Gilbert and Prudence Fairbanks): a farmer at Paw Paw Grove, Ill., since 1846. She d. Feb. 7, 1857. He was living in 1868.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4293. i. Mary Foster, b. at Wilmington, Vt., Sept. 25, 1807, m. in 1838, Sylvester B. Hosmer. He d. in 1859. She resides at Parkman, O. Two children:

4294. 1. Amelia Hosmer, b. in 1844.

4295. 2. Perry A. Hosmer, b. in 1846.

4296. ii. Dwight Foster, b. at Wilmington, Vt., March 25, 1809, m. in 1833 Betsey Brownell, b. May 5, 1811 (dau. of Thomas Brownell of Pownall, Vt., and Betsey Parker): a farmer in Paw Paw Grove, Ill. He was, in earlier life, a hotel-keeper and stage proprietor in Pownall, Vt., for several years. His wife d. there Oct. 1855. One child:

4297. 1. Hon. Blackman Newell Foster, b. Sept. 25, 1834. He m. Harriet Downs of Pownall, Vt., where he is a farmer. He was in 1867 a member of the Vt. Legislature.

4298. iii. Susanna Packard Foster, b. at Wilmington, Vt., March 15, 1812, m. April 1843, David Detamore, b. Aug. 17, 1814, in Virginia, a carpenter at Paw Paw Grove. He d. Aug. 19, 1859. She has a daughter:

4299. 1. Mary Detamone, b. March 5, 1852.

[Seventh Generation.]

4237. viii. Elijah Dwight Foster (son of Theophilus Foster and Susanna Packard), b. at Brookfield, Mass., April 12, 1791, m. Oct. 10, 1814, Martha Green Lavalley, b. at Warwick, R. I., Sept. 1, 1780. She d. at Greenbush, N. Y., July 16, 1823, and he m. Oct. 5, 1823, at Greenbush, for 2d wife, widow Ruth Cornelia Cady, *née* Nichols, b. at Springfield, Mass., April 12, 1794, widow of Joseph Cady (dau. of Joshua Nichols, originally of Brookfield, Mass., and Abiah Mather). She d. at West Creek, Indiana, Nov. 29, 1850, aet. 56, and he m. Aug. 5, 1851, for 3d wife, widow Fanny P. Eames *née* Parmelee, b. at Wilmington, Vt., Sept. 11, 1795 (dau. of Dea. James Parmelee and Caroline Webster). He is a farmer at West Creek, Indiana, now (1873), aet. 82.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4300. i. Eliza Dwight Foster, b. at Wilmington, Vt., Jan. 12, 1816, m. Harvey Coleman.

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4301. ii. Alfred Dwight Foster, b. at Athens, Pa., Jan. 22, 1818, d. at Crown Point, Ind., Oct. 20, 1860.

4302. iii. George Lyman Foster, b. at Athens, April 20, 1820.

4303. iv. Susanna Packard Foster, b. at Athens, March 29, 1822, d. at Greenbush, N. Y., May 31, 1823.

*By second wife :*

4304. v. Martha Cornelia Foster, b. at Troy, Pa., Sept. 12, 1824, m. Melvin A. Halsted.

4305. vi. Maria Nichols Foster, b. at Troy, Pa., Jan. 11, 1827, m. Joseph Martelle, a farmer in California, who d. without issue.

4306. vii. Almon Newton Foster, b. at Athens, Pa., July 10, 1828.

4307. viii. Theophilus Randolph Foster, b. at Burlington, Pa., April 28, 1830.

4308. ix. Eleanor Foster, b. at Burlington, March 25, 1832, m. James Brennon.

4309. x. Lewis Foster, b. at Troy, Pa., March 28, 1834.

4310. xi. Volney Orlando Foster, b. at Mayfield, O., Feb. 23, 1837, d. March 26, 1837.

4311. xii. Susanna Diana Foster, b. at Euclid, O., Feb. 23, 1838, m. Alexander McElrath Stewart, moved to Missouri and d. there.

4312. xiii. Harriet Foster, b. at Hinsley, Ind., March 23, 1841, m. Feb. 20, 1866, Ezra Brownell, b. March 25, 1838 (son of Dr. Alvah Brownell), a farmer at Eagle Creek, Ind. 2 children :

4313. 1. Frank Alvah Brownell, b. Nov. 14, 1866.

4314. 2. Frederick Dwight Brownell, b. June 25, 1868.

4300. i. Eliza Dwight Foster, b. Jan. 12, 1816, m. at Euclid, O., May 10, 1837, Harvey Coleman, b. at Euclid, March 4, 1811 (son of Jacob Coleman, b. Aug. 6, 1791, and d. at Morgantown, Ind., March 8, 1861, and Elizabeth Thomas, b. June 17, 1789), a merchant and manufacturer, Morgantown, Ind. She d. at Hinsley, Ind., May 9, 1843, aet. 27.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4315. i. Alonzo Coleman, b. at Euclid, June 14, 1838, d. at Hinsley, Ind., Dec. 6, 1841.

4316. ii. Elizabeth Mary Coleman, b. at Hinsley, Aug. 14, 1840, m. Oct. 20, 1856, Israel Egbert, b. July 12, 1831 (son of James and Sarah Egbert), a merchant at Morgantown, Ind.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4317. i. Mary Eliza Egbert, b. Sept. 14, 1857.

4318. ii. Emily Ann Egbert, b. Nov. 23, 1859.

4319. iii. James Harvey Egbert, b. Aug. 15, 1861.

4320. iv. Horatio Seymour Egbert, b. July 22, 1864.

4321. v. Rachel Adelia Egbert, b. Dec. 14, 1866.

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4301. ii. Alfred Dwight Foster (son of Elijah Dwight Foster and Martha G. Lavalley), b. Jan. 22, 1818, m. April 4, 1840, Sarah Emmeline Hathaway, b. in Poultney, N. Y., May 31, 1817 (dau. of Peter Dickinson Hathaway, afterwards of West Creek, Ind., and Rebecca Hayward) : a merchant at Crown Point, Ind., where he d. Oct. 20, 1860, aet. 42. His widow resides at Crown Point.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4322. i. George Dwight Foster, b. June 11, 1843, m. Nov. 17, 1864, Burdette E. Thomas, b. Nov. 12, 1841, at Potter, N. Y. (dau. of Ambrose Spencer Thomas, b. there in 1804, and d. Oct. 1870, and Jane A. McPherson, b. in Seneca, N. Y., in 1810, and d. in Potter, Dec. 1866). He is a merchant at Crown Point : has had two children :

4323. 1. Mary Foster, b. Jan. 30, 1866.

\*\*\*\* 2. Alfred Dwight Foster, b. Nov. 11, 1869.

4324. ii. Mahlon Bethuel Foster, b. Feb. 25, 1846, d. Sept. 1, 1846.

4325. iii. Perry Alfred Foster, b. July 23, 1848, is a farmer at Morgantown, Ind.

4326. iv. Charles Hathaway Foster, b. Sept. 12, 1851, d. July 14, 1865.

4327. v. Harriet Elizabeth Foster, b. Jan. 11, 1858.

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4302. iii. George Lyman Foster (son of Elijah Dwight Foster and Martha G. Lavalley), b. April 20, 1820, m. Jan. 1842, Temperance Hathaway, b. Sept. 19, 1819 (dau. of Peter Dickinson<sup>19</sup> Hathaway of West Creek, Ind., and Rebecca Hayward). She d. Nov. 19, 1843, aet. 24, and he m. for 2d wife, March 22, 1845, Lucy Jane Hathaway, b. April 19, 1828 (dau. of Paul Hathaway of Sherburne, Ill., and Melissa Langdon, dau. of John Langdon), a large farmer (700 acres) at West Creek, Ind., formerly, but since 1869 has resided at Parker, Montgomery Co., Kansas. <sup>23</sup>

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By second wife :*

4328. i. Charles Foster, b. Jan. 9, 1847, d. March 20, 1847.

4329. ii. Edwin Foster, b. Sept. 7, 1849.

4330. iii. Volney Orlando Foster, b. Oct. 10, 1851.

4331. iv. Edson Foster, b. May 23, 1854.

4332. v. Albert Foster, b. Dec. 25, 1857.

4333. vi. Eliza Foster, b. April 29, 1859.

4334. vii. Emmeline Foster, b. Nov. 10, 1861.

4335. viii. Martha Foster, b. Nov. 16, 1864.

4336. ix. Marilla Foster, b. June 5, 1868.



[Eighth Generation.]

4304. v. Martha Cornelia Foster (dau. of Elijah D. Foster and Ruth C. Nichols), b. Sept. 12, 1824, m. May 14, 1842, Melvin Ackley Halsted, b. March 19, 1821 (son of William Halsted of Lowell, Ind., b. Aug. 23, 1795, and d. July 22, 1834, and Patty Haskin, b. Nov. 8, 1799, and d. Nov. 30, 1850, whom he m. March 22, 1820), a miller at Lowell, Ind., of which village, recently incorporated, he was the founder. He lived formerly at Pittstown, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4337. i. William Nichols Halsted, b. Dec. 13, 1843, m. Feb. 8, 1866, Lovisa Vandecar (dau. of Peter Vandecar of West Creek and Wealthy Clark) : a carpenter at Lowell, Ind.

4338. ii. Mary Theresa Halsted, b. Nov. 15, 1849, d. July 24, 1857.

4339. iii. Theron Haskin Halsted, b. April 4, 1853.

4340. iv. An infant daughter, b. and d. Aug. 16, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

4307. viii. Theophilus Randolph Foster (son of Elijah D. Foster and Ruth C. Nichols), b. April 28, 1830, m. Dec. 6, 1851, Margaret Foley, b. May 20, 1832 (dau. of John Foley of Adel, Iowa, and Sarah Hayworth), a farmer at Adel, Iowa.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4341. i. Francis Foster, b. Sept. 29, 1852.

4342. ii. Susan Foster, b. Dec. 14, 1854, d. Aug. 22, 1856.

4343. iii. Lucy Ann Foster, b. Jan. 6, 1857.

4344. iv. Martha Harriet Foster, b. March 12, 1859.

4345. v. Fanny Almeda Foster, b. Feb. 6, 1861.

4346. vi. Daniel Foster, b. May 27, 1863.

4347. vii. George Lyman Foster, b. July 30, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

4308. ix. Eleanor Foster (dau. of Elijah D. Foster and Ruth C. Nichols), b. March 25, 1832, m. May 17, 1851, James Brennon, b. at Boston, O., July 31, 1819 (son of William and Lucina Brennon), lives at West Creek, Ind.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4348. i. Cornelia Lucina Brennon, b. June 23, 1852.

4349. ii. Julia Ann Brennon, b. Nov. 27, 1854.

4350. iii. William Perry Brennon, b. March 22, 1859.

4351. iv. George Dwight Brennon, b. Jan. 31, 1861.

4352. v. Melvin Amos Brennon, b. Sept. 11, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

4309. x. Lewis Foster (son of Elijah D. Foster and Ruth C. Nichols), b. March 28, 1834, m. Nov. 19, 1835, Roxana Augusta Knapp,

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b. at Florence, O., March 20, 1836 (dau. of Charles and Amanda Knapp of Coldwater, Mich.): a farmer at Pottowattamie, Kansas (since 1858).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4353. i. Mary Elvira Foster, b. at West Creek, Ind., Aug. 5, 1856.

4354. ii. Charles Lyman Foster, b. at Pottowattamie, Sept. 9, 1858.

4355. iii. William Orlando Foster, b. Sept. 19, 1860.

4356. iv. Cornelia Amanda Foster, b. July 16, 1864.

4357. v. Elijah Dwight Foster, b. Feb. 15, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

4238. ix. Rev. Peregrine Pynchon Foster (son of Theophilus Foster of Wilmington, Vt., and Susanna Packard), b. May 10, 1793, m. at Coventry, R. I., Nov. 21, 1812, Rebecca Brown, who d. about 1824, and he m. for 2d wife, May 20, 1827, at Granville, Pa., widow Catharine Smith, *née* Clark (widow of Amos Smith of Candor, N. Y., and dau. of Nathaniel and Huldah Clark of Granville, Pa.), b. at Granville, Mass., June 24, 1798. She has resided of late years at Elmira, N. Y., having been a widow for the second time since 1834.

He was a Free Will Baptist. He preached for a time at Granville, Pa., and in 1830 removed to Ohio, and preached to the Baptist churches at Farmington and Southington, O. He worked during week-time on his farm, like the early ministers of New England. He d. of pneumonia, at Farmington, O., Feb. 17, 1834, aet. 40. "He lived an useful life and d. a happy death."

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4358. i. Mary Ann Foster, b. at Warren, R. I., Nov. 3, 1813, m. Aug. 14, 1833, Horatio N. Converse, a merchant at Parkham, O., and afterwards at Cleveland, O. He was subsequently agent at Madeleine Island, Lake Superior, for "The Upper Lakes Fur Trading Company," and afterwards a forwarder at Sault St. Marie. She d. at Lithopolis, O., Feb. 1853. He m. again.

4359. ii. Susan Packard Foster, b. at Coventry, R. I., April 12, 1815, m. April 18, 1842, Lewis Knapp, b. Dec. 26, 1812 (son of Daniel and Christiana Knapp of Pompey, N. Y.), a merchant-tailor at Kenosha, Wis. He has also a malt-house, and prepares barley for manufacture into beer and ale. No issue.

4360. iii. Alfred Foster, b. at Coventry, R. I., Sept. 29, 1816, m. in 1838, at Mantua, O., Catharine Van Wagner: a farmer in Milington, Mich.: was for some years a tanner in Ohio. Has had 3 children.

4361. iv. Charles Foster, b. at Coventry, R. I., April 7, 1818, m.



(whom not ascertained), and had 3 children. His widow m. afterwards a Mr. Ackerman of Brighton, Macoupin Co., Ill.

4362. v. Eliza Foster, b. June 19, 1819, m. Sherman Carlton, and for a 2d husband a Mr. Holden.

4363. vi. Horace Foster, b. at Columbia, Pa., March 21, 1821, was accidentally shot when about 20 years old, while out hunting with a friend.

4364. vii. Philander Packard Foster, b. at Troy, Pa., Nov. 20, 1823, m. twice, was an Union soldier in the late war, and d. at Raleigh, N. C., in 1864.

*By second wife:*

4365. viii. Luther Clark Foster, b. at Granville, Pa., May 24, 1828.

4366. ix. Harriet Amelia Foster, b. in Farmington, O., June 5, 1831, m. Nov. 13, 1856, as his 2d wife, Aaron Canfield Chapman, b. April 29, 1818, at Berkshire, N. Y. (son of Jedediah Chapman and Constant Canfield), a farmer in Newark Valley, Tioga Co., N. Y. No issue.

4362. v. Eliza Foster, b. June 19, 1819, m. in 1837, Sherman Carlton of Mantua, O., who lived in Franklin, O. He d. in 1851, and she m. for a 2d husband a Mr. Holden of Franklin. He d. soon. She resides in Osceola, Wis.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By the first marriage:*

4367. i. Charles Carlton, b. about 1839, was an Union soldier in the late war, and lost a leg in the battle on the Big Sandy River.

4368. ii. Robert Carlton, b. about 1841, was an Union soldier in the late war, lives in Pittsburgh and is married.

4369. iii. Nelson Carlton, b. about 1843, was an Union soldier in the late war, and d. of a fever.

4370. iv. Francis Carlton, }  
4371. v. Forest Carlton, } twins, b. about 1845, reside in Mantua, O.

*By second marriage*—she had two children, *Holdens*.

[Eighth Generation.]

4365. viii. Luther Clark Foster (son of Rev. Peregrine P. Foster), b. May 24, 1828, was a teacher for a few years in Tennessee (1848-51). In 1853 he removed to Elmira, N. Y., and since 1855 has been principal of Grammar School No. 1, in that city. He m. Jan. 29, 1851, Mary Elizabeth Witherspoon, b. May 27, 1833 (dau. of Wesley and Sarah Witherspoon of Maury Co., Tenn.). She d. April 7, 1852, and he m. for 2d wife, April 18, 1854, Charlotte Lindsey, b. Feb. 2, 1827.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4372. i. A child, unnamed, b. April 7, 1852, that d. July 3, 1852.

*By second wife :*

- 4373. ii. Charles Ebenezer Foster, b. Jan. 31, 1855.
- 4374. iii. Henry Ward Beecher Foster, b. Sept. 21, 1856.
- 4375. iv. Luther Clark Foster, b. Jan. 12, 1858.
- 4376. v. Carrie Delphine Foster, b. June 12, 1859.
- 4377. vi. Lottie Amelia Foster, b. Nov. 26, 1864.
- 4378. vii. Robert Osmond Foster, b. Oct. 23, 1867.

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4239. x. Susan Foster (dau. of Theophilus Foster of Wilmington, Vt., and Susanna Packard), b. Sept. 22, 1795, m. Oct. 14, 1816, Jonathan Haskins, Jr., who d. Jan. 22, 1825, at Wilmington, and she m. Feb. 17, 1839, for a 2d husband Dea. Freeman Haskins of Wilmington.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By the first marriage :*

4379. i. Achsah Ophelia Haskins, b. Dec. 5, 1817, m. in 1844, Chipman Swift Parmelee.

4380. ii. Marilla Elvira Haskins, b. March 16, 1820, m. June 16, 1842, Franklin Walker of Perkins Grove, Ill.

4381. iii. William Freeman Haskins, b. May 6, 1822, m. Aug. 3, 1843, Lorene Miranda Cushman.

4382. iv. Hannah Foster Haskins, b. March 11, 1824, m. March 16, 1842, David Stannard of Perkins Grove, Ill.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 634.

4174. v. Judge Dwight Foster (son of Hon. Jedediah Foster and Dorothy Dwight), b. Dec. 7, 1757, grad. at Brown University in 1774; studied law with his brother Theodore Foster, in Providence, R. I., and with Major Joseph Hawley of Northampton, was admitted to the bar in 1778 in Providence, R. I., and commissioned a justice of the peace there in 1779. On his father's death in that year he removed to Brookfield, Mass., and was chosen at once, when but 22 years old, to fill his father's place in the convention for forming the State Constitution of Massachusetts. He m. May 7, 1783, Rebecca Faulkner of Acton, Mass. (dau. of Col. Francis Faulkner of Acton and Rebecca Keyes, dau. of Solomon Keyes of Brookfield). In 1781 he was commissioned justice of the peace for the County of Worcester, Mass., and in 1788 also again, and at the same time, one of the Quorum. In 1792 he was made special justice of the Court of Common Pleas, and in June 1792 was appointed sheriff of the county. In November of the same year he was chosen one of the electors of President and Vice-President of the U. S. He was afterwards a member of Congress for three successive terms (1793-9), and U. S. Senator (1800-3, when he resigned). In 1801 he was commissioned chief justice of the Court of Common Pleas for



654 *Descendants of Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass.,*

Worcester Co., and held the office for 10 years. In 1818 he was made a member of the Council of Massachusetts.

He d. April 23, 1823, aet. 65. He was a man of large intellectual acquirements, of unbending integrity and of great dignity and suavity of manners, and an influential member of the Congregational Church in Brookfield. The last 6 or 7 years of his life he spent chiefly in retirement. He had a light complexion and blue eyes. She d. (when not ascertained).

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4383. i. Pamela Foster, b. March 4, 1784, d. unmarried Sept. 16, 1807, aet. 23.

4384. ii. Algernon Sidney Foster, b. Nov. 22, 1785, d. unmarried July 25, 1823, at Brookfield, Mass. aet. 37.

4385. iii. Sophia Dwight Foster, b. July 30, 1787, m. Samuel M. Burnside.

4386. iv. Hon. Alfred Dwight Foster, b. July 26, 1800, d. Aug. 10, 1852, aet. 52.

4385. iii. Sophia Dwight Foster, b. July 30, 1787, m. Nov. 8, 1816, Samuel McGregor Burnside, b. at Northumberland, July 18, 1783 (son of Thomas Burnside and Susannah McGregor), grad. at Dartmouth in 1805, was principal of a female academy at Andover, Mass. (1805-7), and practised law at Worcester, Mass., for 40 years (1810-50). He was a man of strong literary tastes, and of scholarly habits, and eminent in his profession. He d. July 25, 1850, aet. 67. His widow still resides at Worcester, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4387. i. Sophia Rebecca Burnside, b. about 1823, d. June 16, 1836.

4388. ii. Harriet Pamela Burnside, b. in 1827, resides unmarried in Worcester.

4389. iii. Elizabeth Dwight Burnside, b. in 1829, resides unmarried at Worcester.

[Seventh Generation.]

4386. iv. Hon. Alfred Dwight Foster, b. at Brookfield, Mass., July 26, 1800, grad. at Harvard in 1819, studied law with Samuel M. Burnside, Esq., at Worcester. He m. Feb. 14, 1828, Lydia Stiles, b. in Templeton, Mass., Jan. 27, 1806 (dau. of John William Stiles, b. in Keene, N. H., Feb. 22, 1777, and d. in Worcester, Mass., Sept. 14, 1836, and Mary McCarty, b. in Fitchburgh, Mass., Aug. 8, 1775, and d. in Worcester, Aug. 1, 1838. She was dau. of Thaddeus McCarty, M.D., son of Rev. Thaddeus McCarty, D.D., pastor for nearly 40 years of "The Old South Ch." at Worcester. Her mother's name was Cowden, of Scotch-Irish descent like her husband.)

He practised law at Worcester for a brief period (1824-6), and then turned to other pursuits. He was for 3 years a member of the legislature (1831-4), a selectman (1832) of the town, one of the original Board of Trustees of the State Lunatic Hospital (1832-5), and treasurer of that institution for 14 years (1832-46). He was three different times a member of the Executive Council of the State (1842, 4 and 5), and State Senator in 1848. He was chairman of the two commissions appointed concerning the State Reform School in Westborough, Mass.—one to procure the site, plans and estimates for the buildings, and frame needful laws for the right management of the institution when established; and the other to erect the buildings themselves. He was also for several years a Trustee of Amherst College, and a corporate member of the A. B. C. F. M. He was for many years (1832-52), an active member of the Cong. Ch., which, when he joined it, was under the care of Rev. J. S. C. Abbot.

His personal presence was dignified and commanding. An extract from a letter written playfully by himself, Jan. 19, 1842, to his cousin, Frederic A. Foster, Esq. of Lancaster, O., who is still (1874) living, and who kindly put it into the author's hands, will place him clearly before the reader's eye. "Now, if you wish to know me," he says, "imagine a man about 5 feet 10½ or 11 inches high, with broad shoulders, a little, round-oblong, fat face, large abdomen, bald head, except as it is covered by a wig, hazel eyes, and weighing from 275 to 300 lbs., and you have me. Then for character, say generally, professedly religious, a member of an orthodox Congregational church, and though far from meeting his own views of duty, maintaining such a walk as not, so far as he knows, to bring reproach upon his brethren; cautious but not shrewd in the management of his business; a whig, though not a rabid bank-whig in politics: social in his feelings and yet living very much retired, and going into very little company; a teetotaller in temperance and a moderate eater, and yet having the gout occasionally, as he supposes by inheritance; having very few friends, but those few rather warmly attached, and he may say as few enemies that he knows of. Excuse this egotism: if it amuse you I shall be glad. It is honest."

His personal presence is said by others to have been manly and noble. He is described as a man of natively quick preceptions, a tenacious memory, strong powers of reasoning and careful habits of observation, and as having broad and generous views of things, and being a many-sided man, and eminently genial in his disposition and public-spirited. In his religious character he is represented as having been entirely unassuming, but at the same time earnest, resolved, reliable, courageous and catholic, and altogether free from everything like ostentation or pretense in word and deed. He d. Aug. 10, 1852 æt. 52. His widow still resides at Worcester.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4390. i. Judge Dwight Foster, b. Dec. 13, 1828.  
 4391. ii. Mary Stiles Foster, b. May 23, 1830, m. Rev. Robinson P. Dunn.  
 4392. iii. Rebecca Faulkner Foster, b. April 1, 1832, m. Dr. Henry Clarke.  
 4390. i. Judge Dwight Foster, b. Dec. 13, 1828, in Worcester, Mass., m. Aug. 20, 1850, Henrietta Perkins Baldwin, b. April 3, 1830 (dau. of Hon. Roger Sherman Baldwin of New Haven, Ct., and Emily Perkins. His mother was a dau. of Roger Sherman one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence). He was grad. at Yale in 1848, and practised law in Worcester for several years, and in 1864 removed to Boston, where he has since resided. He was for 3 years Attorney General of Massachusetts (1863-6), and since 1866 has been one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the State.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4393. i. Alfred Dwight Foster, b. April 27, 1852.  
 4394. ii. Emily Baldwin Foster, b. Feb. 17, 1854.  
 4395. iii. Roger Sherman Baldwin Foster, b. April 21, 1857.  
 4396. iv. Mary Rebecca Foster, b. May 6, 1859.  
 4397. v. Burnside Foster, b. May 7, 1861.  
 4398. vi. Reginald Foster, b. Jan. 2, 1863.  
 4399. vii. Henrietta Baldwin Foster, b. Aug. 8, 1865, d. Jan. 23, 1867.  
 4400. viii. Elizabeth Skinner Foster, b. Jan. 10, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.]

4391. ii. Mary Stiles Foster, b. May 23, 1830, m. as his 2d wife, Jan. 25, 1855, Rev. Robinson Potter Dunn, b. in Newport, R. I., May 31, 1825, son of Theophilus Colhoun Dunn, M.D., b. in New York, July 8, 1800, of parents from Devonshire, Eng., a physician in Newport, and Elizabeth Potter, b. Jan. 23, 1806), grad. at Brown University in 1843, and at Princeton Theol. Sem. in 1849. He was for a short time settled over the First Presb. Ch. in Camden, near Philadelphia, but was soon called to the Professorship of Rhetoric and English Literature in Brown University, which office he held for 16 years, until his death (1851-67). He was a man of high literary ideals and attainments, and of varied and finished scholarship, being familiar with French and German classics, as well as with the Latin, Greek and Hebrew. He was twice invited to Princeton, once as Instructor in Hebrew, while settled at Camden, and again while at Providence, as Prof. of English Literature. He was a frequent contributor to *The Princeton Review* and to *The Bibliotheca Sacra*, and was busy at the

time of his death in editing one of the vols. of Lange's Commentary on the Old and New Testaments. He d. of erysipelas, after a short illness, in Newport, R. I., Aug. 28, 1867.

His first wife was Maria Stillé, dau. of John Stillé of Philadelphia, whom he m. Sept. 1848, and who d. the following year.

His widow resides at Worcester, Mass. They had one child :

4401. i. Dwight Foster Dunn, b. Dec. 11, 1865, at Providence.

[Eighth Generation.]

4392. iii. Rebecca Faulkner Foster, b. April 1, 1832, m. May 16, 1854, Henry Clarke, M.D., b. Oct. 3, 1824, in Marlboro, Mass. (son of Benjamin Clarke and Lucy Howe), a physician at Worcester. He was grad. at Harvard Med. School in 1850, and pursued his professional studies afterwards in France and Germany.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4402. i. Alfred Dwight Foster Clarke, b. July 12, 1855, d. Sept. 20, 1866.

4403. ii. Louisa Hoar Clarke, b. Aug. 1, 1859.

4404. iii. Harriet Elizabeth Clarke, b. Oct. 31, 1860.

[Sixth Generation.]

4175. vi. Hon. Peregrine Foster (son of Hon. Jedediah Foster and Dorothy Dwight), b. Dec. 27, 1759, m. July 10, 1870, at Brookfield, Mass., widow Polly Bradshaw, *née* Parkman (widow of Rev. Benjamin Bradshaw, a Presb. clergyman), b. at Westboro, Mass., May 18, 1756 (dau. of Ebenezer Parkman, afterwards of Brookfield, Mass., and Elizabeth Harrington). He was a revolutionary soldier, and was present at the execution of Major André. His reverence for Washington was throughout life tender and strong. He removed, May 7, 1782, to Providence, R. I., where he read and practised law for a few years with his brother Theodore. In 1786 he joined "The Ohio Company," formed in Massachusetts, under Genl. Rufus Putnam, as its leader. The mechanics among them assembled at Danvers, Mass., Jan. 1788, and the surveyors at Hartford, Ct., and, numbering 48 in all, set out as an advance-party on their long and perilous journey. He was one of the 26 surveyors of the company. A great amount of snow had fallen all over the country during that winter, making their passage over the Alleghanies all the more tedious. But when once, with their teams, accoutrements and supplies beyond those formidable barriers, they leaped with lion-like energy to their new work. The boat-builders and mechanics were ready, with the aid of many other willing workers among the surveyors, by April 2d, to launch the craft which was to carry them all down the Ohio, with their teams and effects. This they called at first "Adventure Galley," and afterwards "The Mayflower." The river



was high, and they moved on rapidly to their new home in the wilderness, and at about midday on April 7, 1788, they disembarked at the mouth of the Muskingum river. Having completed their surveys, and fixed the site of their proposed town, they called it Marietta, in honor of Marie Antoinette, who had recently shown distinguished regard to our new American minister at the Court of Versailles, then young Benjamin Franklin.

He returned to his family at Providence, June 10, and finding a little daughter added to it in his absence, named it Betsey Marietta. He was not able to make arrangements to remove with his family at once, and while delaying for that purpose, the Indian war broke out, and he did not go to his new western home until 1792. Hearing of many massacres by the Indians in the neighborhood of Marietta, he went to Morgantown, W. Va., where he remained for 4 years, teaching school, and engaging in whatever other business he could find. In 1796, when all was quiet on the border, he went with his family to Belpèr, O. ("beautiful meadow"), where his part of the new purchase had been located, just opposite the mouth of the Kanawha river, and a little above the head of Blennerhasset Island. He writes thus about himself in his diary, June 9, 1794: "No acquisition of property, knowledge, or happiness. Knowledge, indeed, I have gained of human nature, but find it worse and worse. Lord! when and where shall we find man virtuous!" Under date of July 10, following, he writes: "Fourteen years this day since I was married. We have probably been as happy, or more so, as couples in general. Take away the evils of life, or those that we call so, and little is left. Sum the hours of real happiness: they are few in number. There is little for which we should wish to live; and yet we are averse to death; more I think from the uncertainty of the future state than from an attachment to this life. At my setting out in life, I labored under almost all the inconveniences which could attend a young man. Education I had not, at least a poor one; was too young to take upon me with apparent propriety the management of a family; my partner was, and ever since has remained, feeble, and unable to endure hardships; most of her time has been spent in confinement by sickness; she has brought me five children who, by the goodness of God, have been as healthy as an equal number in families in general. At the commencement of matrimonial life at 20½ years, all the property we had of any kind would not decently furnish half a house. Nothing was apparently before us but extreme poverty; to work, I was unable. But by the blessing of Divine Providence I was, and yet am, able with industry to maintain my family decently—enjoying all the blessings of life, and many of its superfluities. For some years I lived at an expense of near

\$1,000 per annum. This, however, was previous to the paper-money system in Rhode Island, to which I may attribute all my misfortunes in a pecuniary point of view, and which ultimately drove me into the western wilderness; where the Lord only knows how it will fare with myself and family. I am in no business; important objections arise against my making application for admission to the practice of the law; to work I am unable (being at times a great sufferer from calculi in the bladder): property in this country I have but little of—nothing to enable me to join to any kind of business to advantage.”

Under date of July 14, 1794, he writes: “In consequence of a commission from the Gov. of Virginia, appointing me a magistrate for the county of Monongalia, I have now three appointments from the Gov. and Genl. Assembly, not one of which is worth one penny, and as little honor as pay. At the close of the day, at the house of W. M. Healey, the court and gentlemen of the bar drank several bowls of toddy.”

He resided at Belpre (1796–1804) until his death, Aug. 17, 1804, aet. 44. While in Virginia he was, beside being chief magistrate in his county, associate judge also in the Court of Common Pleas, and a representative several times to the State legislature. He was, when living in Ohio, a judge there also. He was distinguished for the uprightness and honorableness of his conduct at all times, for his great energy and perseverance, and for his fine personal appearance and affable manners.

She m. in 1808, for a 3d husband, Major William Browning, a large farmer at Belpre, O., and at one time postmaster there. She was his 2d wife. By his first marriage he had 3 sons. He d. Sept. 1823, a few days before his wife, who d. Sept. 5, 1823.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4405. i. Polly Parkman Foster, b. at Brookfield, Mass., March 19, 1781, m. Dea. William Dana, and d. April 28, 1815, aet. 34.

4406. ii. Seraph Dwight Foster, b. at Providence, R. I., Nov. 2, 1782, m. John Breck of Caswell, O., and d. July 31, 1806, aet. 23.

4407. iii. Peregrine Pitt Foster, b. at Providence, Oct. 24, 1786, d. Feb. 28, 1815, aet. 28.

4408. iv. Betsey Marietta Foster, b. at Providence, June 7, 1788, m. Stephen Dana, and d. April 9, 1870, aet. 81.

4409. v. Frederic Augustus Foster, b. at Providence, May 7, 1791.

4410. vi. Theodore Sedgwick Foster, b. at Morgantown, Va., Feb. 19, 1795, d. Oct. 17, 1825, aet. 30. He m. in 1822 Jane Barkley, b. in 1791 (dau. of Thomas Barkley and Betsey Kilpatrick), without issue. He was a merchant at Belpre, O. She d. Feb. 10, 1831, aet. 40.

4405. i. Polly Parkman Foster, b. March 19, 1781, m. May 2, 1802, Dea. William Dana of Belpre, O., and afterwards of Newport, O.,

where he was a merchant and farmer and large landowner, and in every way a very substantial man. He was b. Aug. 16, 1775, and was son of Capt. William Dana of Amherst, Mass., and Mary Bancroft. She d. April 28, 1815, aet. 34. He d. June 24, 1851, aet. 75.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4411. i. Samuel Dana, b. July 3, 1803, m. Sept. 16, 1828, Louisa Thornily.

[Information was repeatedly sought in vain concerning this family.]

4412. ii. Elizabeth Harrington Dana, b. Nov. 19, 1804, m. Charles Haskell, and for a 2d husband Dr. John McCracken.

4413. iii. Charles Dana, b. March 10, 1807, d. Nov. 6, 1865.

4414. iv. Frances Foster Dana, b. Dec. 6, 1809, m. Rev. Israel Archbold.

4415. v. Pamela Parkman Dana, b. April 16, 1812, d. Sept. 26, 1826.

4416. vi. Grace Dana, b. Feb. 18, 1815, d. June 25, 1816.

4412. ii. Elizabeth Harrington Dana, b. Nov. 19, 1804, m. April 12, 1826, Charles Haskell, a merchant at Newport, O., b. in 1801 (son of Major Jonathan Haskell of Belprè, O., and Phebe Green). He d. July 23, 1831, aet. 30; and she m. Nov. 4, 1834, John McCracken, M.D., b. Feb. 4, 1795, a physician of large practice in Pittsburgh, Pa. (originally from County Down, Ireland), grad. at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. He d. March 21, 1859.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

4417. i. Mary Ann Haskell, b. March 10, 1827, m. Rev. Thomas P. Johnston.

4418. ii. Pamela Frances Haskell, b. Feb. 2, 1830, m. Dr. Robert T. Johnston.

*By second marriage:*

4419. iii. Martha Jane McCracken, b. Aug. 13, 1835, a teacher in Pittsburgh, Pa.

4420. iv. William Dana McCracken, b. Sept. 5, 1842, an oil merchant in Cincinnati, O. He enlisted as an Union soldier in the late war, in the 36th O. Regt., in Sept. 1862, and was in the battles of Antietam, Md., and South Mountain, and was with Genl. Rosencrantz in his campaign in Tennessee.

4421. v. Charles Haskell McCracken, b. Jan. 1, 1849, a clerk in Pittsburgh, Pa.

4417. i. Mary Ann Haskell, b. March 10, 1827, m. July 6, 1848, Rev. Thomas Powell Johnston. (Presb.), b. March 15, 1819 (son of Thomas Johnston of Wooster, O., and Abigail Powell), grad. at Jefferson Coll. (Washington), Pa., in 1845, and at the Western Theol.

Sem. in Alleghany City, Pa., in 1848. He was pastor at Clarksville, Pa. (1848-58), at Lima, O. (1858-72), and was settled at Columbiana, O., in 1872, but in May 1873 returned to Lima, where he now resides, and preaches a portion of the time at Ottawa near by.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

- 4422. i. Mary Emma Johnston, b. Nov. 28, 1849.
- 4423. ii. Charles Haskell Johnston, b. Jan. 21, 1855.
- 4424. iii. Elizabeth Abby Johnston, b. Nov. 24, 1856.
- 4425. iv. Grace Dana Johnston, b. Feb. 27, 1868.

[Ninth Generation.]

4418. ii. Pamela Frances Haskell, b. Feb. 2, 1830, m. Oct. 24, 1850, Robert Thompson Johnston, M.D., b. Oct. 30, 1822 (son of Thomas Johnston of Wooster, O., and Abigail Powell). He studied medicine at Willoughby Med. College, O. (1844-5), and since 1845 has been a physician at Bucyrus, O.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

- 4426. i. Belle Johnston, b. Nov. 10, 1853.
- 4427. ii. Frank Thompson Johnston, b. March 23, 1857.
- 4428. iii. Pamela Dana Johnston, b. May 3, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

4413. iii. Charles Dana (son of Dea. William Dana and Polly Parkman Foster), b. March 10, 1807, m. Sept. 1, 1831, Eunice Churchill, b. March 7, 1812 (dau. of Jacob Churchill of Halifax, Mass., and Abigail Bosworth) : a merchant at Newport, O. He died Nov. 6, 1865. His widow resides still at Newport.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

- 4429. i. Charles Dana, b. June 22, 1832, d. June 23, 1834.
- 4430. ii. Charlotte Dana, b. April 3, 1835, d. Jan. 17, 1853.
- 4431. iii. Rev. Watson Dana, b. Nov. 12, 1837.
- 4432. iv. Amanda Newell Dana, b. Jan. 12, 1841, d. Oct. 29, 1845.
- 4433. v. Lydia Abigail Dana, b. Jan. 4, 1844, d. Oct. 24, 1845.
- 4434. vi. Fanny Pamela Dana, b. Oct. 25, 1848.
- 4435. vii. Maria Dana, b. March 8, 1851, m. Oct. 12, 1871, Calvin Thomas Riley of Metamoras, O.
- 4436. viii. William Dana, b. Sept. 14, 1855.

4431. iii. Rev. Watson Dana, b. Nov. 12, 1837, "went from behind the counter into the pulpit, and took his theological course on horse-back." He m. June 15, 1859, Sarah Mary Riley, b. Aug. 4, 1836, dau. of John Dye Riley and Elizabeth Leachman). He is settled at Metamoras, O. (since Dec. 1868).



[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4437. i. Eva Dana, } d. May 3, 1860,  
                              } twins, b. May 2, 1860,  
4438. ii. Charlotte Elizabeth Dana, } d. July 15, 1861.  
4439. iii. John Charles Dana, b. Oct. 8, 1861.  
4440. iv. Watson Dana, b. April 28, 1864.  
4441. v. Joseph McElhinney Dana, b. May 31, 1866.  
4442. vi. Samuel Foster Dana, b. Aug. 19, 1868.  
4443. vii. Caroline Bertha Dana, b. Nov. 30, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.]

4414. iv. Frances Foster Dana (dau. of Dea. William Dana and Polly Parkman Foster), b. Dec. 6, 1809, m. Sept. 25, 1834, Rev. Israel Archbold, b. in Harrison Co., Va., Nov. 24, 1807 (son of James Archbold, who came from Ireland in Nov. 1787, and Ann Kennedy of Prince George Co., Md.), grad. at Marietta College, O., in 1834, a Methodist clergyman, who preached successively in several places within the bounds of "The Pittsburgh Conference" (1834-59), and was an active and efficient minister in them all, as Barnesville, McConnellsville, Summerfield and Newport, O., and Pittsburgh, Pa. He d. at Hanover, O., May 18, 1859, aet. 52. His widow resides in Salem, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4444. i. William Dana Archbold, b. in McConnellsville, O., Aug. 30, 1835.
4445. ii. James Edward Archbold, b. Feb. 6, 1838, d. Feb. 9, 1843.
4446. iii. Phebe Maria Archbold, b. Aug. 5, 1840, m. Hon. Lorenzo B. Lockard.
4447. iv. Charles Wesley Archbold, b. Jan. 18, 1843.
4448. v. Mary Elizabeth Archbold, b. April 11, 1843, a teacher in Salem, O.
4449. vi. John Dustin Archbold, b. July 26, 1848, has been engaged until of late in Titusville, Pa., in the oil business, but is now (1874) a petroleum merchant in New York, residing in Brooklyn. He m. Feb. 12, 1870, Anna Eliza Mills, b. Dec. 15, 1847 (dau. of Samuel Myers Mills of Titusville and Lavinia Jenkins). One daughter :
4450. 1. Mary Lavinia Archbold, b. Sept. 7, 1871.

4444. i. William Dana Archbold, b. Aug. 30, 1835, m. June 28, 1857, Martha Hubbard Humason, b. in Turin, N. Y., Jan. 29, 1832 (dau. of Rev. Leonard H. Humason and Mary Sykes), grad. at Alleghany Coll. (Meadville, Pa.), in 1856. He was for some time Principal of Western Reserve Seminary. He is now a dry-goods merchant at Fredonia, N. Y. (since 1866).

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

4451. i. William Edward Archbold, b. June 28, 1858, in Farmington, O., d. there of diphtheria, July 18, 1862.  
4452. ii. Mary Frances Archbold, b. Sept. 14, 1860, in Sharon, Pa., d. of diphtheria, Aug. 16, 1862, in Farmington.  
4453. iii. Charles Dana Archbold, b. in Titusville, Aug. 23, 1864.  
4454. iv. James Humason Archbold, b. in Fredonia, Sept. 10, 1866.  
4455. v. Julia Archbold, b. in Feb. in Fredonia, Sept. 5, 1868.

[Ninth Generation.]

4446. iii. Phebe Maria Archbold (dau. of Rev. Israel Archbold and Frances Foster Dana), b. Aug. 5, 1840, m. Oct. 25, 1859, Hon. Lorenzo B. Lockard, b. Jan. 2, 1838 (son of William Lockard of Hanover, O., and Sarah McBride), a merchant in Salem, O., and at one time (1868) mayor of the city.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

4456. i. Vesta Lockard, b. Sept. 30, 1860.  
4457. ii. William Lockard, b. Oct. 11, 1862, d. June 28, 1863.  
4458. iii. Charles Archbold Lockard, b. July 5, 1864.  
4459. iv. Frances Lockard, b. Aug. 1, 1868.

[Ninth Generation.]

4447. iv. Charles Wesley Archbold, b. Jan. 18, 1843, m. June 20, 1865, Emma Owen Kibbe, b. Nov. 7, 1843 (dau. of Austin Durkee Kibbe of W. Farmington, O., and Emily Parinthia Owen). He was a machinist at Corry, Pa.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

4460. i. William Kibbe Archbold, b. at Farmington, June 5, 1866.  
4461. ii. Emma Frances Archbold, b. at Corry May 17, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

4406. ii. Seraph Dwight Foster (dau. of Hon. Peregrine Foster and Polly Parkman), b. Nov. 2, 1782, m. June 1805, John Breck of Boston, Mass., b. March 1779 (son of William Breck, b. in 1745, and d. Nov. 1819, a merchant in Boston, and Margaret Thomas of Plymouth, b. in 1753 and d. in 1820), a merchant at Caswell, O., in partnership with Frederic A. Foster, his uncle, and afterwards (1808-16) with Peregrine D. Foster, his cousin, son of Frederic A. Foster. She d. July 31, 1806: he d. March 1816. They had one child.

[Eighth Generation.] Child:

4462. i. William Foster Breck, b. May 14, 1806, m. Jan. 1, 1840, Elizabeth Campbell Smith, b. Oct. 31, 1820 (dau. of Dea. John Smith of Worthington, O., and Olive Wilson of Cooperstown, N. Y.): a merchant at Grove City, O., where he was suddenly killed by slipping off from a wagon loaded with grain—the wheel running over his neck

and breaking it instantly, Aug. 8, 1864, aet. 59. [Dea. John Smith was in early life a farmer, but in his later years, after giving a large share of his property to the Am. Bible Society and to the A. B. C. F. M., went to Minnesota as a self-sustaining missionary to the Indians. After spending several years in such a way he returned to Worthington, O., to die, 1864, aet. 76. His consort died soon afterwards, Aug. 26, 1864. Their son, Rev. Samuel Davis Smith, settled now at Delaware, O., was Moderator of the O. S. Genl. Assembly at St. Louis, Mo., in 1866]. Mrs. Breck resides at New Brighton, Pa.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4463. i. A child, b. in 1840-1, that d. in a few hours.

4464. ii. John Breck, } twins, b. Aug. 1842, d. in a few weeks.

4465. iii. Wm. Breck, }

4466. iv. Seraph Wilson Breck, b. Dec. 24, 1844, m. Rev. Samuel A. Hughes.

4467. v. George Foster Breck, b. Aug. 25, 1851.

4468. vi. Flora Estelle Breck, b. Aug. 26, 1857.

4469. vii. Frank F. Breck, b. March 21, 1860.

[Grove City, O., near Columbus, O., is a small village, built and improved by Mr. William F. Breck, and principally upon his wife's estate of 600 acres, bequeathed to her by her father, upon which he erected a saw-mill, in order to convert the large amount of black walnut timber growing upon it to a marketable use.]

4466. iv. Seraph Wilson Breck, b. Dec. 24, 1844, m. in 1864, Rev. Samuel Adams Hughes, b. at Freeport, Pa., March 4, 1835, grad. in 1861 at the Theol. Sem. in Allegheny City, Pa., a Presb. minister in Grove City (1861-3), a chaplain in the U. S. A. of Vols. (1863- ) and afterwards settled at London, Pa., and now at Lawrenceburgh, Pa. (1874). Two children :

4470. 1. Ida Sloan Hughes, b. in 1865.

4471. 2. Elizabeth Louisa Hughes, b. in 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

4407. iii. Peregrine Pitt Foster (son of Hon. Peregrine Foster and Polly Parkman), b. Oct. 24, 1786, m. Oct. 7, 1806, Elizabeth Cushing, b. Nov. 1777 (dau. of Col. Nathaniel Cushing of Belprè, Ohio, originally of Boston, Mass., and Elizabeth Heath of Pembroke, Mass.). He was a merchant at Gallipolis, O. He d. Feb. 28, 1815, aet. 28. She d. without issue, June 29, 1864, aet. 87, a widow for 49 years. She was a practical, earnest, superior Christian lady. [Col. Cushing was conspicuous in the revolutionary war. He went with "the Ohio Company" to Marietta in 1788, and for 3 years encountered with them the terrors of Indian border warfare].

4408. iv. Betsey Marietta Foster (dau. of Hon. Peregrine and Polly Foster), b. June 7, 1788, m. April 12, 1807, Stephen Dana, b. at Amherst, Mass., Nov. 24, 1779 (son of Capt. William Dana and Mary Bancroft), a man like his brother, Dea. William Dana, of large means and solid worth, at Newport, O. (having had 600 acres under high culture). He d. June 6, 1834. She d. April 9, 1870, aet. 81, for 36 years a widow, and a faithful, happy and beloved member of the church of Christ.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4472. i. Seraph Dwight Dana, b. July 29, 1808, m. Colbert O'Neal.

4473. ii. Mary Parkman Dana, b. May 23, 1810, m. George Compton.

4474. iii. Amanda Frances Dana, b. Nov. 8, 1812, m. Seth B. Newell, and for a 2d husband Rev. Hervey S. Dale.

4475. iv. Peregrine Foster Dana, b. June 27, 1815.

4476. v. William Pitt Dana, b. Aug. 1, 1817.

4477. vi. Stephen Augustus Dana, b. Aug. 27, 1819.

4478. vii. Theodore Sedgwick Dana, M.D., b. Oct. 27, 1821, grad. at Marietta Coll. in 1843, and studied medicine in Cincinnati. He m. Jane Bartlett, without issue. He d. of consumption, Jan. 22, 1850. He was a superior scholar, especially in mathematics and medicine, and an earnest, thoughtful, devoted Christian.

4479. viii. Luther Dale Dana, b. April 17, 1826.

4480. ix. Melissa Barker Dana, b. Oct. 23, 1829, d. Sept. 13, 1832.

4472. i. Seraph Dwight Dana, b. July 29, 1808, m. Nov. 1, 1832, Colbert O'Neal of Belprè, O., b. Jan. 15, 1805, in Culpepper Co., Va. (son of John O'Neal and Judith Suttle: she d. Sept. 13, 1869, aet. 100. Her mental faculties were bright to the end. She had been eminent for her piety from early life). He is a prosperous farmer at Belprè, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4481. i. Foster O'Neal, b. Aug. 5, 1833.

4482. ii. Amanda Ann Hazeltine O'Neal, b. in Belprè, Oct. 2, 1835, m. Thomas Rowland.

4483. iii. Edwin Russell O'Neal, b. Oct. 14, 1839.

4481. i. Foster O'Neal, b. Aug. 5, 1833, m. April 29, 1867, Emily Rarrick: a large farmer at Belprè, O.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4484. i. Frank O'Neal, b. Feb. 27, 1868.

4485. ii. Frederic Foster O'Neal, b. July 2, 1869, d. Oct. 24, 1872, falling while at play into an open cistern, which was nearly empty.

[Ninth Generation.]

4482. ii. Amanda Ann Hazeltine O'Neal, b. Oct. 2, 1835, m. April



24, 1860, Thomas Rowland, b. in Newport, O., Dec. 6, 1823 (son of William and Nancy Rowland), a farmer at Newport, O.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4486. i. Dora Rowland, b. Jan. 2, 1861.

4487. ii. Nelly Rowland, b. Feb. 18, 1862.

4488. iii. Luna Rowland, b. Aug. 8, 1863.

4489. iv. Maude Rowland,

4490. v. Rufus Sherman Rowland, } twins, b. March 30, 1865.

4491. vi. George Colbert Rowland, b. Aug. 12, 1867.

[Ninth Generation.]

4483. iii. Edwin Russell O'Neal, b. Oct. 14, 1839, m. Sept. 17, 1863, Nancy Jane Scott (dau of William Scott of Belpre, and Mary Jane Halliday) : a farmer at Belpre, O. Two children :

4492. i. William Russell O'Neal, b. June 4, 1864.

4493. ii. Joanna Dwight O'Neal, b. Nov. 30, 1869.

[Eighth Generation.]

4473. ii. Mary Parkman Dana (dau. of Stephen Dana of Newport, O., and Betsey M. Foster), b. May 23, 1810, m. Jan. 21, 1830, George Compton, b. in Winchester, Va., Aug. 29, 1801 (son of James Compton and Catharine Cunningham), a farmer at Bull Creek, Hood Co., Va.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4494. i. Thomas Frederic Compton, b. Feb. 15, 1831, d. in Forest City, Cal., April 2, 1855.

4495. ii. Stephen Dana Compton, b. Feb. 27, 1833, resides in California.

4496. iii. James Parkman Compton, b. July 17, 1835, d. Sept. 14, 1838.

4497. iv. Luther Barker Compton, b. Oct. 4, 1837, d. Dec. 21, 1854.

4498. v. William Henry Compton, b. Feb. 29, 1840.

4499. vi. Marietta Adela Compton, b. April 27, 1842, d. July 23, 1845.

4500. vii. Melissa Jane Compton, b. Aug. 7, 1844, d. Aug. 20, 1845.

4501. viii. Helen Mary Compton, b. Nov. 18, 1847, d. of consumption April 14, 1868.

4502. ix. Theodore Foster Compton, b. April 27, 1850, d. of consumption Aug. 26, 1872.

[Eighth Generation.]

4474. iii. Amanda Frances Dana (dau. of Stephen Dana of Newport, O., and Betsey M. Foster), b. Nov. 8, 1812, m. July 23, 1839, Seth Bannister Newell, Jr., b. May 6, 1811 (son of Seth B. Newell of Bethel, Me., and Betsey Kimball). He began to study for the ministry after having engaged in mercantile life for a short time in Boston, Mass.,

but was obliged, on account of weak eyes, to intermit his theological studies. In 1838 he established a school at McConnellsville, O., and afterwards at Newport, O. He was a man of genial qualities, and of very agreeable address, and an earnest Christian, and very useful. He d. at Newport, Jan. 29, 1841.

She m. Sept. 12, 1842, Rev. Hervey Smith Dale, b. Aug. 13, 1812 (son of Rev. Jeremiah Dale of Danvers, Mass., b. in 1787, and Mehitable Smith of S. Hadley, Mass.), grad. at Brown University in 1834, and at the Union Theol. Sem., N. Y., in 1841; tutor at Granville Col., O. (1841-2); pastor of the Bapt. Ch. at Newport, O. (1842-51); at Lebanon, O. (1852-6); and Prof. of Theology at the Fairmount Theol. Sem., Cincinnati, O. (1856-7). He d. May 27, 1857, at Cincinnati. He was of a gentle and modest spirit, and earnestly devoted to the ministerial work.

[Rev. Jeremiah Dale was the son of Ebenezer Dale, Jr., of Danvers, Mass., and Abigail Cutler. The parents of Ebenezer Dale, Jr., b. Dec. 25, 1755, were Ebenezer Dale and Rebecca Preston, whom he m. Nov. 30, 1754. Ebenezer Dale, Sr., b. March 7, 1739, was the son of John and Abigail Dale.]

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By second marriage:*

4503. i. Edward Richardson Dale, b. in Newport, O., May 31, 1844, m. Sept. 14, 1871, Sarah Vandiver Ralston, b. Feb. 19, 1850 (dau. of William Lewis Ralston of Marietta, O., b. Dec. 10, 1820, and Sarah Catharine Ward, b. March 18, 1819, whom he m. Aug. 31, 1847). He is cashier of the First National Bank at Marietta, O. He was Quartermaster Sergeant in the late war in the 77th Ohio Regt. They have one child:

4504. 1. Catharine Ralston Dale, b. June 27, 1872.

4505. ii. Theodore Dana Dale, b. in Newport, O., June 23, 1846. He is Secretary and Treasurer of the Marietta Iron Works Co., at Marietta. He was grad. at Marietta College in 1868. He m. May 15, 1873, Sophia Byington Dana, b. Jan. 28, 1853 (dau. of George Dana of Belprè, O., and Lucy Minerva Byington, dau. of Rev. Cyrus Byington, Missionary to the Choctaws. George Dana was son of Capt. William Dana and Mary Bancroft). He served in the late war, in the army of the Potomac, in the 148th Ohio National Guards.

4506. iii. Hervey Ewart Dale, b. Oct. 9, 1848, d. Oct. 29, 1849.

4507. iv. Julia Theodosia Dale, b. May 5, 1851, m. Sept. 25, 1872, David Dye Johnson, b. Aug. 18, 1843 (son of William Henry Johnson and Elizabeth Dye), grad. at Marietta Coll. in 1866, a lawyer at Parkersburgh, W. Va.

4508. v. Frances Amanda Dale, b. Aug. 28, 1853.

[Eighth Generation.] See page 665.

4475. iv. Peregrine Foster Dana (son of Stephen Dana and Betsey M. Foster), b. June 27, 1815, a farmer since 1858 in Ottumwa, Iowa, and previously in Kirkville, Iowa, and Newport, O. He m. Feb. 9, 1837, Sarah Elizabeth Greene, b. July 24, 1818 (dau. of John Greene of Newport, O., and Mary Hill). She d. March 21, 1857, and he m. Sept. 15, 1857, for 2d wife, Catharine Plummer Tinkham, b. April 28, 1824 (dau. of Cornelius Tinkham of Plymouth, Mass., and Harriet Plummer of Marietta, O.).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4509. i. Mary Elizabeth Dana, b. March 21, 1838, d. June 10, 1852.  
 4510. ii. Sarah Melissa Dana, b. Feb. 6, 1840, d. April 7, 1857.  
 4511. iii. Capt. Newell Bannister Dana, b. Feb. 10, 1842, d. April 16, 1870.

4512. iv. Julia Battelle Dana, b. Feb. 23, 1844, m. Aug. 1, 1866, William Wallace Cole, of Nakaska Co., Iowa, a farmer, b. Sept. 17, 1839 (son of William and Elizabeth Cole). One child :

4513. 1. Charles Cole, b. April 14, 1868.

4514. v. Daniel Greene Dana, b. Dec. 7, 1845, m. Aug. 3, 1867, Mary Ann Hardesty of Iowa (dau. of Thomas and Maria Hardesty). He enlisted in the late war, Feb. 13, 1864, in Co. F, Fourth Iowa Cavalry. He has one child :

4515. 1. Thomas Peregrine Dana, b. Aug. 20, 1870.

4516. vi. John Greene Dana, b. June 2, 1848.

4517. vii. Nancy Ann Dana, b. Jan. 8, 1852, d. June 30, 1852.

4518. viii. Rufus Peregrine Dana, b. Oct. 18, 1853.

4519. ix. Augustus George Dana, d. Jan. 29, 1856, d. April 22, 1857.

*By second wife :*

4520. x. Cornelius William Dana, b. Aug. 31, 1858.

4521. xi. Lily Irena Dana, b. Oct. 25, 1859.

4522. xii. Corrie Dana, b. April 3, 1861.

4523. xiii. Hetty Amanda Dana, b. Dec. 8, 1862.

4511. iii. Capt. Newell Bannister Dana, b. Feb. 10, 1842, enlisted in the late war in Co. F, 4th Iowa Cavalry, Oct. 17, 1861. He was made corporal Jan. 1, 1862, and 1st sergeant March 1, 1863. He re-enlisted as a veteran soldier, Dec. 12, 1863, at Vicksburg, Miss., and was made Capt. of his company April 29, 1864, and was mustered out of the service with his regt., at Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 8, 1865. He was in the battles of Fourteen Mile Creek, Miss.; Jackson, Miss., in both May and July 1863; the siege of Vicksburgh, Miss., in June and July 1863; of Canton, Miss., July 17, 1863; of Guntown, Miss., June 10,

1864; of Tupelo, Miss., July 15, 1864; of Independence, Mo., Oct. 22, 1864; of The Big Blue, Mo., Oct. 23, 1864; of Osage, Kansas, Oct. 25, 1864; of Ebenezer Ch., Ala., April 1, 1865; of Selma, Ala., April 2, 1865; and of Columbus, Ga., April 16, 1865. He was at Macon, Ga., when the news of Genl. Lee's defeat was received, and he participated in the pursuit of Jeff. Davis. He travelled in the service over 14,000 miles.

He m. Dec. 27, 1867, Mary Rudd, b. March 27, 1846 (dau. of Major Wilcox Rudd of Wapello Co., Iowa, and Rebecca——). While a member of the Junior Class of Iowa University, at Iowa City, he d. at Denver, Col., of consumption, April 16, 1870, aet. 28, being at the time on a tour for health and recreation. He was preparing himself for the ministry, and especially for missionary service in it. He excelled as a student in the languages and in metaphysics, and was also an active and devoted Christian. He had one child:

4524. 1. Albert Currier Dana, b. May 3, 1869, d. July 23, 1869.

[Eighth Generation.]

4476. v. William Pitt Dana (son of Stephen Dana of Newport, O., and Betsey M. Foster), b. Aug. 1, 1817, m. April 28, 1841, Susan Edgerton Shipman, b. Dec. 14, 1821 (dau. of William Henry Shipman, b. at Marietta, O., April 14, 1793, and Mary Ann Edgerton, b. at Norwich, Ct., Dec. 15, 1798): a merchant at Marietta, O. She d. Dec. 24, 1849, and he m. for 2d wife, April 24, 1851, Ann Elizabeth Shipman, b. Sept. 8, 1826, sister to his previous wife. He d. of consumption, July 18, 1853, aet. 36. He was a devoted Christian (Baptist).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4525. i. Mary Elizabeth Dana, b. at Carroll, O., Nov. 21, 1843, m. Charles H. Newton.

4526. ii. Charles Luther Dana, b. May 26, 1845, at Lancaster, O.

4527. iii. Anna Maria Dana, b. at Marietta, O., April 19, 1847, m. May 4, 1870, Samuel Dorman Smith (son of Stephen Smith and Susan Racer). One child.

4528. 1. Maria Shipman Smith b. Sept. 19 1871.

4529. iv. Frances Gage Dana, b. May 27, 1848, d. July 3, 1848.

4530. v. William Shipman Dana, b. Dec. 24, 1849, d. Feb. 18, 1850.

*By second wife:*

4531. vi. Susan Shipman Dana, b. in Marietta, O., March 23, 1852.

4525. i. Mary Elizabeth Dana, b. Nov. 21, 1843, m. Nov. 6, 1865, Charles Humphrey Newton, b. July 13, 1842, grad. at Marietta, Coll. in 1860, a merchant at Marietta. He was a soldier in the late war



for God and the people, and was 2d Lieut. in the 2d Ohio Heavy Artillery.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4532. i. Stephen Dana Newton, b. Sept. 10, 1866, d. Sept. 8, 1869.

4533. ii. William Newton, b. Nov. 29, 1867.

[Ninth Generation.]

4526. ii. Charles Luther Dana, b. May 26, 1845, m. Nov. 5, 1868, Mary Racer, b. Sept. 12, 1842 (dau. of David Chestnor Racer of Newport, O., and Ann Maria Corner of Marietta) : a merchant in Marietta. He enlisted in the Union Army, May 2, 1861, in answer to the call for troops for 100 days, in Co. A, 148th O. Regt. of Nat. Guards (Capt. Knowles), and was sent to the front. Two children :

4534. 1. Maria Corner Dana, b. Oct. 25, 1869.

4535. 2. Julia Dale Dana, b. Nov. 3, 1871.

[Eighth Generation.]

4477. vi. Stephen Augustus Dana (son of Stephen Dana of Newport, O., and Betsey M. Foster), b. Aug. 27, 1819, m. Oct. 5, 1841, Jane Nathie Little, b. in Newport, O., April 5, 1822 (dau. of Charles Little and Mary Allison Fraser) : a large farmer at Newport, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4536. i. Pamela Little Dana, b. July 25, 1842, m. Albert W. D. Kraft.

4537. ii. Frederic Foster Dana, b. Nov. 30, 1843, a farmer and large landowner at Newport, O., m. Nov. 19, 1872, Mary Ellen West, b. April 10, 1848, at Moundsville, W. Va. (dau. of Rev. John B. West of Newport, O., and Mary Alexander).

He enlisted Aug. 31, 1862, in the Seventh Ohio Cavalry, in the first brigade of the Second Division of the Mississippi, and served until the close of the war. He marched with Sherman to the sea, and was one of the Cavalry Co. sent to search for Jeff. Davis, and was one of the guard appointed to conduct him to Atlanta. He saw much hard service, and was not once "off duty" or in the hospital during his three years' service in the rank and file. Of the 107 in his company that went to the war, but 31 returned to their homes.

4538. iii. Prescott Dana, b. Sept. 26, 1845, d. June 30, 1846.

4536. i. Pamela Little Dana, b. July 25, 1842, m. Nov. 14, 1865, Albert Wilbur Delancey Kraft, b. Sept. 27, 1838, at Wheeling, Va. (son of John Kraft and Caroline Klevies, b. both of them in Lanfear, Hanover, Germany, who emigrated to America in 1834), an oil refiner and dealer at Parkersburgh, W. Va., and previously at Pittsburgh, Pa. He enlisted in the First Virginia Regt. of Union Vols. (Col. B. F. Kelley), under the first call for troops, April 1861, for 3 months,

serving after two weeks' time as hospital steward. In Sept. 1861 he re-enlisted for the war in the same regiment (Col. Thomas Thorburn), and Nov. 18, 1862, was commissioned Asst. Surgeon, and served in that capacity to the end of the war, having been educated as a chemist and druggist.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

4539. i. Frederic Dana Kraft, b. at Newport, Sept. 13, 1866.

4540. ii. Homer Livingston Kraft, b. July 29, 1868.

4541. iii. Jane Estella Kraft, b. Dec. 14, 1869.

[Eighth Generation.]

4479. viii. Luther Dale Dana (son of Stephen Dana of Newport, O., and Betsey M. Foster), b. April 14, 1826, m. Aug. 14, 1848, Nancy Ismond Baldwin, b. Jan. 6, 1826 (dau. of Jesse and Catharine Baldwin of Grimsby, Upper Canada. She d. Dec. 18, 1851, and he m. for 2d wife, Jan. 13, 1853, Susan Rebecca Green, b. Oct. 28, 1825 (dau. of Richard Green, b. in Warwick, R. I., April 29, 1781—son of John and Mary Green—and Rebecca Lawton, b. in Portsmouth, R. I., 1791). He is a dealer in hats, caps, furs and furnishing goods, wholesale and retail, at Marietta.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife:*

4542. i. Theodore Parkman Dana, b. June 5, 1849, d. Jan. 4, 1850.

4543. ii. Laura Marietta Dana, b. Jan. 21, 1851.

*By second wife:*

4544. iii. Ella Maria Dana, b. April 2, 1854, d. Aug. 24, 1854.

4545. iv. Hervey Dale Dana, b. July 6, 1857.

4546. v. Luther Green Dana, b. Nov. 15, 1858.

4547. vi. Bessie Rebecca Dana, b. Aug. 9, 1860.

4548. vii. Arthur Dwight Dana, b. July 23, 1861.

4549. viii. Caroline Melissa Dana, b. Jan. 16, 1863.

4550. ix. Mabel Foster Dana, b. Aug. 23, 1865, d. Oct. 22, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 659.

4409. v. Frederic Augustus Foster (son of Hon. Peregrine Foster and Polly Parkman), b. at Providence, May 7, 1791, m. Nov. 13, 1817, Sarah Arnold, b. Oct. 2, 1800 (dau. of Henry Arnold, a merchant at Lancaster, O., and Mary Bowman—dau. of Simeon Bowman and Mary M. Easter. They were both born at Hagerstown, Md.; he Sept. 30, 1776, and she Oct. 1782, and were m. in 1798. He d. Sept. 8, 1857: she d. Sept. 29, 1834). She d. Aug. 21, 1842, aet. 42, and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 8, 1844, Elizabeth Wilson, b. Dec. 30, 1813 (dau. of Col. Robert Wilson of Lancaster, O., and Jane Donivan. He was b. in Harrisburgh, Pa., in 1777, and settled in 1798 in Fairfield Co., O.,

and m. her in 1809, and d. in 1844, aet. 67. She was from Shippensburg, Pa., and was b. in 1784, and d. in 1844, aet. 60. He was in 1812 in the army of the Northwest, and was Col. of cavalry under Genl. William Henry Harrison). He was for nearly 25 years an active and successful merchant at Lancaster, O. (1810-32), and a deacon, afterwards ruling elder, in the Presb. Church. He has been a life-long teetotaler, and active in matters of temperence, benevolence and social progress, and is now (1874) living and full of energy in a ripe and fresh old age. He has held at various times a number of important civil trusts: as Director for settling up the affairs of the Lancaster Bank at the expiration of its charter; Receiver and Paymaster for the construction of "The Lateral Canal" from Lancaster to Carroll. He has had much to do in managing estates left to his care as administrator, executor and trustee of the same. For 20 years (1832-52) he was much employed in erecting stores and houses upon his lands at Lancaster and Carroll, and especially at Carroll, which he did very much in connection with his nephew, W. Foster Breck, to develop and establish as a young and thriving town.

[Eighth Generation.]

*By first wife.*

4551. i. Peregrine Dwight Foster, b. Feb. 18, 1819.

4552. ii. Henry Bowman Foster, b. Dec. 28, 1820, d. Sept. 18, 1831, aet. 10.

4553. iii. Marie Louise Foster, b. March 25, 1825, m. James E. Cheney.

4554. iv. Frederic Augustus Foster, b. Jan. 4, 1833, d. July 2, 1856, aet. 23.

4555. v. Sarah Jane Foster, b. Dec. 19, 1834, m. June 12, 1856, John Franklin Holmes, b. at Black Rock, N. Y., Dec. 31, 1833 (son of William Franklin Holmes of Rochester, N. Y., b. at Amherst, N. H., Jan. 28, 1807, and of Jane Antoinette Pierce, b. Oct. 9, 1811). He was at first bookkeeper of The Eagle Bank of Rochester, N. Y., and afterwards cashier of The First National Bank at Hartford, Ct. He is now (1873) cashier of the Mechanics' and Farmers' Bank at Rochester. She d. May 22, 1858, of consumption, at Rochester, without issue.

4556. vi. Martha Ellen Foster, b. Feb. 21, 1837, d. April 24, 1837.

4557. vii. William Breck Foster, b. Nov. 11, 1838, d. Jan. 28, 1862, aet. 23, of camp fever at Somerset, Ky., after 3 months' brief service as an Union soldier, in the 17th O. Regt. He went to the war, full of eager enthusiasm to serve his country to the utmost of his ability in the hour of its great trial.

*By second wife :*

4558. viii. Wilson Parkman Foster, b. Sept. 15, 1845, Supt. of the Telegraph Office at St. Louis, Mo.

4559. ix. Theodore Newton Foster, b. Aug. 28, 1847, engaged in Telegraph Office for some years at Lexington, Ky., but of late in Cincinnati, O. He m. He has one child :

4560. 1. Clara Belle Foster, b. Aug. 1, 1871.

4551. i. Peregrine Dwight Foster, b. Feb. 18, 1819, m. Sept. 10, 1846, Margaret Mary Duble, b. Sept. 9, 1827 (dau. of Henry Duble of Lancaster, O., and Susanna McDill). She d. Aug. 27, 1850, and he m. March 19, 1857, Martha Buckingham, b. Feb. 6, 1825 (dau. of Rev. Bradford Buckingham of Newark, O., and Maria Darlington, whom he m. Aug. 15, 1809. She was b. in Winchester, Va., Jan. 5, 1790, and d. March 23, 1831. He was b. in Fairfield, Ct., June 9, 1785, and d. Feb. 7, 1850). He was grad. at Miami University, O., in 1837, and began a course of legal study which weak eyes caused him to abandon. He was a merchant in Keokuk, Iowa (1846-59), and since Sept. 1869 has been such in Glenwood Mills Co., Iowa. [Henry Duble, b. in 1797, d. May 28, 1844, aet. 47 : his wife, Susanna, b. in 1789, d. Oct. 14, 1834, aet. 45.]

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4561. i. Charles Frederic Foster, b. June 9, 1847, a merchant at Glenwood, Iowa, m. April 28, 1872, Mary Ann Haley, b. Sept. 27, 1853 (dau. of John Haley and Sarah Haley, being of the same name before marriage). He enlisted in 1864, as an Union soldier in Co. C of the 45th Iowa Regt. They have one child :

4562. 1. Frederic Dwight Foster, b. Feb. 2, 1873.

\*\*\*\* ii. Henry Arnold Foster, b. July 21, 1849, d. Aug. 28, 1850.

[Eighth Generation.]

4553. iii. Marie Louise Foster (dau. of Frederic Augustus Foster of Lancaster, O., and Sarah Arnold), b. March 25, 1825, m. July 15, 1846, James Edwin Cheney, b. April 10, 1821 (son of Col. William Cheney of Newport, N. H., and one of its founders, b. in Alstead, N. H., in 1776, and Tryphena Hatch, widow previously of Dea. Joseph Farnsworth of Newport, N. H., b. in Alstead, N. H., Feb. 29, 1784. He was a merchant and a public-spirited citizen, and an active devoted Christian (Baptist). She was full of faith and of good deeds. One of her last sayings to a friend, in parting from him here, was too good to be forgotten. "Brother!" she said, "the children of God never see one another for the last time.") He has been at different times a manufacturer and merchant for many years at Rochester, of stoves, tinware, and ironware for household uses, and of "Kedzie's Patent Filters."



To the zeal and skill of Mrs. Marie L. Cheney the full and fine account here given of the many descendants of Hon. Peregrine Foster of Belprè, O., is due.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4563. i. James Edwin Cheney, b. July 12, 1847, grad. at Rochester University in 1867, read law with Hon. Henry R. Selden of Rochester, and was admitted to the bar in Dec. 1868: is a practising lawyer at Rochester (Goddard & Cheney).

4564. ii. Foster Hallet Cheney, b. Feb. 6, 1849, is a clerk in the store of Peregrine D. Foster & Co., at Glenwood, Iowa (since 1871). He m. Oct. 2, 1873, Martha Rosanna Blackburn, b. Dec. 31, 1851 (dau. of Thomas Blackburn of Beaver City, Neb., and Sarah Counts).

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[Brief Hints of Dana Family History.]

Early Dana genealogy may be found in *The History of The Chandler Family*, recently pub. in Boston.

Richard Dana (son of William Dana, Sheriff of Middlesex, Eng., under Queen Elizabeth), came to Boston in the first half of the 17th century. He had sons, Jonathan, Samuel, Benjamin, Capt. William, Josiah and Ezra; and 3 daughters.

Captain William Dana, his son, b. in 1745, in Brighton, then Little Cambridge, Mass., d. in Belprè, O., Oct. 30, 1809. He m. Mary Bancroft, b. in New Braintree, Mass. (dau. of George Bancroft and Mary Atherton, whose father was an officer under George IV.). He commanded a company of artillery at the battle of Bunker Hill, and took part in the battles at King's Bridge and Whiteplains, N. Y. After visiting Marietta, O., with his two eldest sons, in 1788, to see "The Ohio Purchase," he removed with his family, in 1789, from Amherst, Mass., to Belprè, O., living during the Indian war in "Farmers' Castle."

He has had some 500 descendants to the present hour. He had 8 sons and three daughters: Luther, William and Stephen, which three lived in Newport, O.; Edmund B. and George, who settled in Belprè; Augustus, who settled in Mo.; and John and Charles, who lived in Mississippi: his daughters were Elizabeth (Barker), Mary (Emerson), and Frances (Shipman).

I. Luther Dana. He was a farmer in Newport, O. He m. Grace, dau. of Capt. Jonathan Stone of Belprè, and had 5 children:

1, Otis, who died young. 2, Rev. Alfred (Bapt.), who m. Ann Pratt of Adams, O. 3, Lucy, who m. Samuel Browning, and is now living (1874) at Belprè. 4, Susan, who m. Rev. Mr. Waterman (Meth.). 5, Maria, who m. Rev. Peter McGowan (Meth.).

II. William Dana, Jr. He m. Polly P. Foster, and for 2d wife

Dorcas Bent, and for 3d wife widow Maria Guiteau. He had by his 1st wife 2 sons and 4 daughters. See account already given of them. By his 2d wife he had a son and 3 daughters: Joseph; Polly, who m. Rev. Mr. Dustin; Grace, who m. T. W. Ewart, Esq.; and Dorcas, who m. Col. Melvin Clarke.

III. Stephen Dana. He m. Betsey Marietta Foster. Of their descendants a full account has been given in these pages.

IV. Edmund B. Dana. He was a farmer at Belprè, and afterwards removed to Rainbow, O., where he d. He m. Jerusha Burch, and had, beside several other children that d. early, 5 who lived to be adults.

1, Harriet. 2, Sophia, who m. Richard Hollister. 3, Elizabeth, who m. Dr. Emery of Mo. 4, Lucy, who m. a Mr. Snediker. 5, Thomas B., who d. in New Orleans.

V. George Dana. He was a farmer at Belprè, where he d. He m. Deborah, dau. of Col. Fisher of Belprè. He had 5 children:

1, Emily, who m. Dr. Israel S. Dodge, of Cincinnati. 2, Frances, who m. a Mr. Price of Cincinnati and d. some years since. 3, Mary, who m. a Mr. Linn. 4, George, who m. Lucy Byington, dau. of Rev. Cyrus Byington, and resides now (1874) at Belprè. 5, John, who d. unmarried.

VI. Augustus Dana. He lived in Missouri. He m. Polly Burch. He d. in 1872-3 without children.

VII. Elizabeth Dana (dau. of Capt. William Dana, pioneer at Belprè), m. at Amherst, Mass., in 1789, Col. Joseph Barker, a mechanic, who removed the same year to Marietta and afterwards became a farmer on the Muskingum River. He d. in 1843: she d. in 1835. His children were:

1, Joseph, who lived at Newport, O. He m. Melissa Stone, and for 2d wife widow Mary Ann Shipman. 2, Luther D., who lived at McConnellsville, O., and m. Maria Devol. 3, George W., who lives now (1874) at Newport. 4, Elizabeth, who m. Rufus D. Stone. 5, Sophia, who m. Wm. Rufus Browning of Belprè. 6, Catharine, who m. Francis A. Barker of McConnellsville. 7, Mary, who m. John C. Bennett. 8, Frances D., who m. James L. Gage of McConnellsville. 9, Charlotte.

VIII. Mary Dana, who m. July 1810, Caleb Emerson of Marietta. She d. in 1871. They had 7 children:

1, William D., now (1874) living in Marietta. 2, Charles, a banker in Colorado. 3, Luther, who lives in Mich. 4, George, a teacher in the Mo. State Institute at Rollo, Mo. 5, Mary, who m. Rev. Mr. Maddox of Va. 6, Elizabeth, who m. Wm. D. Bailey, now of Marietta.

IX. Frances Dana, who m. Charles Shipman of Marietta in 1812.

They lived at Gallipolis, O., where she d. in 1813, leaving a son, Charles Shipman of New Albany, Ind., now. The father d. in Marietta July 7, 1860.]

[Sixth Generation.] See page 634.

4176. vii. Ruth Foster (dau. of Hon. Jedediah Foster and Dorothy Dwight), b. Sept. 11, 1766, m. March 2, 1786, Gen. Thomas Ives, b. in North Haven, Ct., Feb. 2, 1753 (son of Thomas Ives, Jr., b. in 1712 and d. Nov. 17, 1752, and Anna Heaton, b. in 1711, who d. aet. 81, June 22, 1795). He was grad. at Yale 1777, and studied law at Litchfield, Ct., with Tappan Reeve, Esq., and became a lawyer as well as large farmer at Gr. Barrington, Mass. He was distinguished in his profession, and was greatly esteemed as an upright and honorable man. He held at different times various military offices, from that of a captain to that of a major general of militia. He was also a man of much public spirit. He was successively a member of both houses of the State legislature—of the Senate in 1797. He d. March 8, 1814, aet. 61, at Gr. Barrington, where she also d. Feb. 15, 1852, aet. 85, having been a widow for 38 years. "Possessing a benevolent disposition, a well-cultured mind and sprightly manners, together with an unusual degree of intelligence, she endeared herself to young and old."

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4565. i. Harriet Ives, b. Feb. 12, 1787, d. unmarried Sept. 24, 1815, aet. 28.

4566. ii. George Heaton Ives, b. April 15, 1789, d. unmarried April 29, 1825, aet. 36. He was a lawyer at Gr. Barrington.

4567. iii. Alma Cornelia Ives (twin), b. March 17, 1791, d. Oct. 1, 1792.

4568. iv. Anna Maria Ives (twin), b. March 17, 1791, m. Philo Parks, d. Feb. 25, 1863.

4569. v. Alma Cornelia Ives, 2d, b. April 14, 1793, m. Benoni C. Wells, d. Sept. 8, 1856.

4570. vi. Nancy Ives, b. June 13, 1795, m. Solomon Pitkin.

4571. vii. Elizabeth Ives, b. June 7, 1797, m. John Chatfield.

4572. viii. Dwight Foster Ives, b. June 6, 1799, was drowned Sept. 30, 1820.

4573. ix. Amanda Ives, b. July 24, 1800, m. Ralph Taylor.

4574. x. Thomas Earle Ives, b. Sept. 30, 1802, d. Nov. 30, 1843, aet. 41.

4575. xi. David Ives, b. Sept. 21, 1805, d. Jan 1, 1850.

4576. xii. Charles J. Ives, b. Feb. 8, 1807, d. Feb. 23, 1816.

4568. iv. Anna Maria Ives, b. March 17, 1791, m. May 29, 1816, Philo Parks of Salisbury, Ct. (son of James Parks and Mary Barnes). She d. Feb. 25, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4577. i. Alma Cornelia, Parks, b. April 27, 1817, m. March 28, 1844, Thomas Warner of Kalamazoo, Mich. They have several children.

4578. ii. Elizabeth Parks, b. Dec. 21, 1818, d. Feb. 26, 1835.

4579. iii. James William Parks, b. Oct. 14, 1822, m. Dec. 2, 1846, Caroline Jewell, who d. Feb. 2, 1850; and he m. afterwards Maria Jewell, her sister. No children.

4580. iv. Ruth Foster Parks, b. Feb. 7, 1827, m. a Judson. She d. leaving one child.

4581. v. Amanda Maria Parks, b. Sept. 12, 1829, is unmarried.

4582. vi. Foster Ives Parks, b. May 20, 1831, resides in Mich. Has a family.

[Seventh Generation.]

4569. v. Alma Cornelia Ives, b. April 14, 1793, m. April 17, 1821, Benoni Chaucer Wells, b. Jan. 8, 1789 (son of Ashbel Wells of W. Hartford, Ct., and Britty Chaucer, an English lady), a farmer in Stockbridge, Mass., where he d. Sept. 10, 1845, and she d. Sept. 8, 1856, aet. 63.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4583. i. Thomas Wells, b. Feb. 12, 1822, m. Oct. 20, 1847, Gertrude Perrine (dau. of Humphrey Mount Perrine, b. May 20, 1785, and Fanny Dodd, b. April 1791, whom he m. Feb. 15, 1813). They reside in Stockbridge: he is a farmer. 4 children:

4584. 1. Frances Cornelia Wells, b. Nov. 24, 1848.

4585. 2. Henry Wells, b. July 14, 1850.

4586. 3. Caroline Perrine Wells, b. Nov. 13, 1852.

4587. 4. Elizabeth Wells, b. Dec. 29, 1857.

4588. ii. Frances Wells, b. June 9, 1823, d. Feb. 24, 1851.

4589. iii. Harriet Wells, b. May 27, 1825, resides unmarried at Stockbridge.

4590. iv. Helen Wells, } d. Jan. 6, 1851.

} twins, b. Oct. 17, 1827.

4591. v. Henry Wells, } d. Sept. 26, 1845.

[Seventh Generation.]

4570. vi. Nancy Ives (dau. of Genl. Thomas Ives and Ruth Foster), b. June 13, 1795, m. Oct. 8, 1820, Solomon Pitkin, b. Sept. 15, 1797, (son of Timothy Pitkin of East Hartford, Ct., and Jerusha ———), a merchant at Ellington, Ct., and afterwards at Amherst, Mass., where he was also Prest. of a bank.

He d. at Memphis, Tenn., of consumption, about 1851. She d. at Gr. Barrington, Aug. 4, 1872, aet. 77.



## [Eighth Generation.] Children:

4592. i. Rev. Solomon Dwight Pitkin, b. June 20, 1822, grad. at Amherst in 1843, and at New Haven Theol. Sem. in 1846, a Presb. clergyman at Benton, Wis. (1847-50), and at Battle Creek, Mich. (1850-8). He d. Sept. 30, 1858. He was a man of industry and polish, and of graceful, effective elocution. He m. (whom not ascertained) and had 2 children that d. young.

4593. ii. Charles Frederic Pitkin, b. Aug. 22, 1824, was drowned at Gr. Barrington, Mass., July 10, 1846, aet. 22, a very interesting man, and remarkable for his talents and piety.

4594. iii. George Edward Pitkin, b. July 2, 1826, resides in Kansas City, Mo., and is engaged in the Auditor's Department of the Missouri River, Fort Scott and Gulf Rail Road. He is married and has a family of children.

4595. iv. James Francis Pitkin, b. March 11, 1832, d. April 11, 1836.

4596. v. Louisa R. Pitkin, b. Dec. 20, 1835, resides unmarried in Chicago.

4597. vi. Thomas Ives Pitkin, b. July 18, 1837, d. May 26, 1838.

4598. vii. William Pitkin, b. Oct. 8, 1840, d. in Chicago about 1860.

## [Seventh Generation.]

4571. vii. Elizabeth Ives (dau. of Genl. Thomas Ives and Ruth Foster), b. June 7, 1797, m. June 7, 1817, John Chatfield, b. May 30, 1793 (son of Isaac Chatfield of Oxford, Ct., and Sarah Whitmore), a carpenter and builder at Gr. Barrington, who removed in 1856 to Owego, N. Y., where he lived on a farm, and where he d. Aug. 9, 1865, aet. 72. She still resides there, aet. 76.

## [Eighth Generation.] Children:

4599. i. Hon. Thomas Ives Chatfield, b. Sept. 16, 1818, in Gr. Barrington, removed May 1839, to Owego, N. Y., where he was at first a baker (1839-45), but has been since 1845 engaged in the grocery business, and now in a large and wholesale way. He was in 1852 a (republican) member of the State legislature, and is now (since 1871) a member of the State Senate. He has been also at different times Prest. of the village of Owego, civil justice and town supervisor, and was a delegate to the National Republican Convention at Chicago which nominated Grant for the Presidency (in 1868). He m. Nov. 9, 1841, Mary Purdy Bundy, b. in Owego March 24, 1822 (dau. of David Bundy and Sarah Whipple). She d. Sept. 18, 1857. He m. for 2d wife, June 22, 1858, Lucy Benton Goodrich, b. July 15, 1830, in Tioga, N. Y. (dau. of Erastus Goodrich of Owego—b. in Glastenbury, Ct., June 10, 1787—and Hope Talcott, b. there May 1785, who were m. in Owego Feb. 27, 1812). His children:

*By first wife:*

4600. 1. John James Chatfield, b. April 7, 1845, d. of croup, Jan. 25, 1852.

*By second wife:*

\*\*\*\* 2. A son, unnamed, b. Jan. 1, and d. Jan. 2, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 3. Thomas Ives Chatfield, b. Oct. 4, 1871.

4601. ii. Charles James Chatfield, b. Aug. 23, 1820, m. Aug. 15, 1843, Sarah Delia Foster, b. Feb. 2, 1826 (dau. of Robert Walls Foster and Tammason Smith). He was a merchant at Painted Post, N. Y., where he d. March 23, 1864, aet. 43, and where his widow still (1873) resides. He had 4 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Charles James Chatfield, b. Aug. 4, 1844, m. Dec. 27, 1869, Mary Ada Blake, and lives in Rye, N. Y. Has had 2 children, viz.: Mary Ada, b. Sept. 7, who d. Sept. 23, 1871, and a son, unnamed, b. June 21, 1873.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frank Albert Chatfield, b. Aug. 24, 1848.

\*\*\*\* 3. Ida Elizabeth Chatfield, b. Oct. 8, 1850.

\*\*\*\* 4. Lilian Foster Chatfield, b. Jan. 18, 1859.

4602. iii. John R. Chatfield, b. at Gr. Barrington, Jan. 28, 1823, m. there Oct. 8, 1845, Abby Eunice Smith of Gr. Barrington, b. Feb. 11, 1827, in Bridgewater, Ct. (dau. of Orange Smith, now of Owego, and Martha Morris). He is a hardware and stove merchant at Owego. (Storrs & Chatfield). He has had 5 children.

4603. i. George Smith Chatfield, b. at Great Barrington, Aug. 1, 1847, m. Sept. 14, 1869, Ella Gertrude Fritcher, b. in Athens, Pa., Sept. 14, 1848 (dau. of George Fritcher of Owego and Lucy Loomis). He is a clerk in his father's store. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Clara Chatfield, b. Jan. 16, and d. Jan. 18, 1873.

4604. ii. Frank Edward Chatfield, b. at Owego, Jan. 1, 1859, d. March 24, 1860.

4605. iii. Harry Ives Chatfield, b. there July 1, 1862.

4606. iv. George Albert Chatfield, b. Oct. 19, 1827, d. July 9, 1829.

4607. v. Mary Elizabeth Chatfield, b. Oct. 29, 1829, m. Jan. 2, 1854, Thomas Pert, b. in Spencer, N. Y., March 10, 1829 (son of Thomas Pert and Amanda Dakin), a clerk in Owego. Two children:

4608. 1. Fred. Chatfield Pert, b. Dec. 28, 1858.

\*\*\*\* 2. Willis Ives Pert, b. May 27, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

4573. ix. Amanda Ives (dau. of Genl. Thomas Ives and Ruth Foster), b. July 24, 1800, m. May 13, 1823, Ralph Taylor, b. Oct. 21, 1796 (son of Joseph Taylor, Jr., of Colchester, Ct., and Esther Foster), an active and successful merchant at Gr. Barrington, Mass., from 1818

onwards. His grandfather, Capt. Joseph Taylor, fought under Genl. Amherst in the French war. His mother was descended from Nathaniel Foote, one of the first settlers of Wethersfield, Ct. She d. at Gr. Barrington, Jan. 23, 1870, aet. 69. They had but one child.

[Eighth Generation.] Child:

4609. i. Charles James Taylor, b. March 9, 1824, m. Aug. 14, 1846, Celeste Stanley, b. Oct. 27, 1824 (dau. of George Stanley of Goshen, Ct., and Clara Wadhams—one of a family of 16 children, of whom 15 arrived at maturity). He was a merchant until 1866 at Gr. Barrington, since 1867 he has been a manufacturer of pig-iron at "Lenox Furnace" (16 miles distant—going to and fro daily by rail), while yet residing as before at Gr. Barrington. He has aided the author much in this part of his work.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4610. i. Clara Stanley Taylor, b. Sept. 25, 1849.

4611. ii. Ralph Ives Taylor, b. May 29, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

4574. x. Thomas Earle Ives (son of Genl. Thomas Ives and Ruth Foster), b. Sept. 30, 1802. He m. about 1839 Jessie A. Vaughn of Louisiana, b. in 1821. He was grad. at Yale in 1822, and was a lawyer first at Iberville, La., and afterwards at New Orleans, La. She d. Aug. 19, 1840, aet. 19. He d. Nov. 30, 1843. No issue.

4575. xi. David Ives (son of Genl. Thomas and Ruth Ives), b. Sept. 21, 1805, m. June 24, 1828, Pamela Bushnell of Sheffield, Mass. He was a merchant at Gr. Barrington, and very energetic and determined. He was for many years laid by as a cripple from rheumatic ossification of the joints of his body. He d. Jan. 1, 1850. She still (1873) resides at Great Barrington. He had one child.

[Eighth Generation.]

4612. i. Estelle Ives, b. June 13, 1831. She m. John Milton Mackie, b. in Wareham, Mass. (son of Peter Mackie), an amateur farmer in Great Barrington, and raises cattle of superior stocks, and is an author. They have one child:

4613. 1. David Ives Mackie.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 628.

4160. iii. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Genl. Joseph Dwight and Mary Pyncheon), b. Jan. 3, 1731–2, m. Nov. 24, 1758, Rev. Dr. John Willard, b. Feb. 8, 1733 (son of Rev. Samuel Willard of Biddeford, Me., and Abigail Wright, dau. of Capt. Samuel Wright of Rutland, Mass., and Mary Stevens). His grandfather, John Willard, grad. at Harvard in 1690, settled as a merchant in Kingston, Jamaica, W. I. His younger brother, Rev. Dr. Joseph Willard, was for 23 years (1781–1804) Prest.

of Harvard College (see Sprague's *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. ii. pp. 23-30).

Rev. Dr. John Willard, grad. at Harvard in 1751, was ordained pastor in Stafford, Ct., March 23, 1757, where he d. Feb. 16, 1807, aet. 74, having been pastor there for 50 years of the Cong. Church. Mrs. Lydia Willard, d. Jan. 23, 1778, aet. 66. [He m. for a 2d wife widow Hannah Fiske, *née* Wells, b. in 1734, who d. in 1824, aet. 90. He was her 3d husband: the first having been Peter Reynolds of Enfield, Ct.; and the second, Rev. Dr. Fiske of Brookfield, Mass.] "He was a little above medium size, sedate in manner and of a benignant countenance. From his stony farm of some 30 acres, and his small salary, he was able to give his three sons a collegiate education, and to leave at his death some property to his children. He fitted young men from time to time for college, and sometimes took boarders into his family who visited the Mineral Springs." So writes his grandson, John H. Willard of Wilton, Me., concerning him, himself now (1874) 78 years old. Such were the men for energy and thrift who, under God, cast the mould of our national character in its earlier days. Says Allen of him in his *Biog. Dict.*: "For more than 50 years he was a faithful minister, with little compensation for his services, toiling with his own hands for his subsistence. He was respected for his talents and acquirements, and generous kindness to the young who needed his aid in acquiring an education."

[Rev. Samuel Willard of Biddeford, Me., b. in 1706, who d. in 1741, was grad. at Harvard in 1723. He was the son of John Willard, a merchant at Kingston, Jamaica, and grandson of Rev. Samuel Willard of Boston.]

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

4614. i. Rev. John Willard, Jr., b. Nov. 19, 1759, d. June 20, 1826.

4615. ii. Rev. Joseph Willard, b. May 31, 1761, d. July 22, 1827.

4616. iii. Samuel Willard, b. March 25, 1763, d. Oct. 16, 1765.

4617. iv. Josiah Willard, b. March 13, 1765, d. July 11, 1766.

4618. v. Samuel Willard, 2d, b. Dec. 26, 1766, d. Feb. 16, 1820, aet. 53.

4619. vi. Lydia Willard, b. Jan. 8, 1769, was subject to fits for many years, and d. unmarried, Jan. 9, 1848, aet. 79.

4620. vii. Abigail Willard, b. March 13, 1771, d. Sept. 13, 1832, aet. 51. She m. Samuel Alden of Hanover, N. H.

4614. i. Rev. John Willard, Jr., b. Nov. 19, 1759, grad. at Yale in 1782, m. Jan. 17, 1788, Huldah Langdon of Berlin, Ct.

He was settled in the ministry at Meriden, Ct. (1786-1803), and at Lunenburg, Vt. (1803-26). He d. June 20, 1826, aet. 66. She d. May 9, 1842.



John H. Willard, Esq., of Wilton, Me., his nephew, thus describes him: "He was the most like what I have imagined the beloved disciple to have been of any man of my acquaintance." Of his wife he says: "She had many excellent properties, which, in my estimation, were somewhat balanced by aristocratic and romantic notions."

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4621. i. Samuel Langdon Willard, b. Oct. 28, 1788, d. July 26, 1790, scalded to death.

4622. ii. Eliza Dwight Willard, b. Nov. 19, 1790, m. George Parsons, and d. Feb. 6, 1855.

4623. iii. Julius Alphonzo Willard, b. Feb. 2, 1793, is now (1874) living.

4624. iv. Frances Langdon Willard, b. Oct. 31, 1797, m. as his 2d wife, about June 1852, Rev. John Ingersoll, Presb., an evangelist in various parts of N. Y. State some years since. She d. March 24, 1854. He was the father, by a previous marriage, of Hon. Robert Ingersoll, late Attorney Genl. of Illinois. No further facts could be ascertained of Rev. Mr. Ingersoll.

\*\*\*\* v. John Langdon Willard, b. June 6, and d. June 7, 1802.

4622. ii. Eliza Dwight Willard, b. Nov. 19, 1790, m. Dec. 15, 1819, George Parsons of Enfield, Ct., b. Oct. 1798. She d. in New York Feb. 6, 1855, aet. 64.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4625. i. John Willard Parson, b. Nov. 1, 1820, resides in New York, m. wife Kate and has had children: Charles Willard, Mary Elizabeth and Kate.

4626. ii. Charlotte Cerussa Parsons, b. July 6, 1822, m. Oct. 12, 1846, Otis Freeman Hill, M.D., of W. Falmouth, Mass., b. in 1816. They removed to Knoxville, Tenn. They have had 5 children: Laura Willard, Edward Freeman, Lilla Langdon—who all d. early; and Emma and Willie. Mrs. Hill d. about 1863.

4627. iii. Clara Susanna Parsons, b. Dec. 1, 1823, d. Oct. 10, 1824.

\*\*\*\* iv. Francis Parsons, b. Oct. 26, 1825, d. Jan. 9, 1826.

\*\*\*\* v. Elizabeth Frances Parsons, b. Nov. 17, 1826, d. unmarried in New York, Aug. 7, 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

4623. iii. Julius Alphonzo Willard (son of Rev. John Willard, Jr., and Huldah Langdon), b. at Meriden, Ct., Feb. 2, 1793, m. Jan. 8, 1821, Almira Cady of Bradford, Vt., b. at Orange, Me., Sept. 11, 1798 (dau. of Cyril Cady, a potter and farmer at Bradford, and Joanna Paddock, whom he m. Feb. 29, 1796. She d. Sept. 24, 1829, and he d. March 21, 1854). He was postmaster at Lunenburg, Vt. (1821-3);

hotel-keeper and postmaster at Franconia, N. H. (1823-5), and was bookkeeper in banks, wholesale houses and R. R. offices afterwards, at various places successively, as Boston and Newton, Mass. (1825-9); Carrollton, Ill. (1831-4); Alton, Ill. (1834-41); Jacksonville, Ill. (1841-5); Quincy, Ill. (1845-51); Alton, Ill. (1851-64); and Springfield, Ill. (1864-71). Since 1871 he has resided at Chicago, where he now lives, hale and hearty, aet. 80, with his son, Dr. Samuel Willard. She d. Oct. 5, 1873, aet. 75, remarkable for her energy and activity throughout life, although suffering from ill health and a nervous temperament.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4628. i. Samuel Willard, M.D., b. Dec. 30, 1821, at Lunenburg, Vt.

4629. ii. Jane Augusta Willard, b. at Lunenburg, June 9, 1824, d. at Newton, Mass., of typhus fever, Sept. 20, 1827.

4630. iii. John Willard, b. at Newton, Mass., June 6, 1827, d. of cholera at Carrollton, Ill., July 5, 1833.

4631. iv. Charles Willard, b. at Boston, Mass., Sept. 27, 1829, d. of cholera at Carrollton, June 25, 1833.

4628. i. Samuel Willard, M.D., b. Dec. 30, 1821 (son of Julius A. Willard and Almira Cady), grad. at Ill. Coll., Jacksonville, Ill., in 1843, tutor there 2½ years (1844-6), grad. in Med. Department of Ill. Coll. in 1848, practised medicine in Collinsville, Ill. (1850-7), removed to Jacksonville, Ill., in 1857, where he became Grand Secretary of the Illinois Order of Odd Fellows, and for 6 years became associate or chief editor of "The Illinois Teacher." In 1858-9 he was Prof. of languages (chiefly Latin and English) in the State Normal School at Bloomington, Ill., and removed to that place as a residence. On Aug. 26, 1862, he entered the 97th Ill. Regt. as surgeon (Col. F. S. Rutherford), served in Kentucky, and Tennessee, and in the campaign against Vicksburgh, Miss. He nearly lost his life by sickness, and became helplessly paralyzed, and resigned his commission Feb. 2, 1863. In Oct. 1863 he removed to Springfield, Ill., and became chief clerk of Genl. James Oakes, in the U. S. recruiting service in Ill. until Nov. 1866, and Grand Secretary again of the I. O. O. F. (1864-9) and prepared "A Digest of the Laws of that Society for Illinois," pp. 244, which in 1871 he enlarged and published anew, pp. 441, 16mo. He was Supt. of Public Schools at Springfield, Ill. (1869-70). In 1870 he became Prof. of History in the Chicago High School, and has since that time resided in that city. Beside these manifold employments he has been fond of teaching singing schools, leading choirs and concerts, and has been active in promoting many public enterprises and improvements of a local sort in the various places where he has lived.

He m. July 10, 1851, Harriet Jane Edgar, b. in Rahway, N. J., Feb. 25, 1829 (dau. of Alexander Edgar of that place and afterwards (1834- ) of Ill., and Sarah Crowell of Newark, N. J.).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. John Frederic Willard, b. at Collinsville, Sept. 24, 1852, is a machinist.

\*\*\*\* ii. Sarah Almira Willard, b. at Jacksonville, Sept. 17, 1857.

\*\*\*\* iii. Charles Henry Willard, b. at Bloomington, Jan. 22, 1860.

\*\*\*\* iv. Harriet Jane Willard, b. there July 16, 1862.

\*\*\*\* v. Samuel Edgar Willard, b. at Springfield, Sept. 7, 1864.

\*\*\*\* vi. Mary Frances Willard, b. there Dec. 15, 1867.

\*\*\*\* vii. Alice Carafilia Willard, b. there July 31, 1870.

\*\*\*\* viii. Paul Willard, b. at Chicago, March 24, 1873.

[Sixth Generation.]

4615. ii. Rev. Joseph Willard (son of Rev. Dr. J. Willard of Stafford, Ct., and Lydia Dwight), b. May 31, 1761, grad. at Harvard in 1784, m. in 1787 Olive Haven (dau. of John Haven). He settled at Wilbraham, Mass., May 23, 1787, and Sept. 18, 1794, at Lancaster, N. H. He d. July 22, 1827, aet. 66. She d. in 1843, aet. 83.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4632. i. Mary Haven Willard, b. Feb. 27, 1789, d. unmarried May 5, 1866, aet. 77.

4633. ii. Joseph Alonzo Willard, b. March 31, 1791, d. Jan. 22, 1803.

4634. iii. Lydia Willard (twin), b. Dec. 11, 1792, d. Jan. 8, 1803.

4635. iv. Fanny Willard (twin), b. Dec. 11, 1792, d. Feb. 21, 1831, unmarried.

4636. v. John Haven Willard, b. Feb. 4, 1795, still living (1873).

4637. vi. Hon. John Dwight Willard, LL.D., b. Nov. 4, 1799, d. Oct. 9, 1864.

4636. v. John Haven Willard, b. Feb. 4, 1795, m. Feb. 11, 1816, Beede Mary Cooper (dau. of Hon. Jesse Cooper of Canaan, Vt., and ——— Beach). She d. April 18, 1837. He m. for 2d wife, Nov. 2, 1837, Eliza Parrot Stephenson of Lancaster, N. H. (dau. of Capt. Bryant Stephenson and Deborah Turner). He was a farmer at Lancaster, N. H., previously to 1836, since which time he has lived at Wilton, Me., being now 79 years old (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4638. i. Alonzo Joseph Willard, b. Feb. 11, 1817, has resided since 1838 in Chicago, Ill., where he has been since 1859 a dealer in ice. He m. Aug. 9, 1855, widow Laura Anna Wooster of Avon, Mo., *née* Walter, b. Aug. 9, 1817, widow of David A. Wooster, b. in Goshen, Ct. (dau. of Ethan Walter of Goshen, Ct., and Anna Collins). Children:

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4639. 1. Jessie Willard, b. June 27, 1856.  
4640. 2. John Willard, b. July 27, 1858.  
4641. ii. Sarah Jane Willard, b. at Lancaster, N. H., Dec. 16, 1818, m. Rev. Sereno W. Streeter.  
4642. iii. Louisa Olive Willard, b. at Canaan, Vt., Aug. 15, 1821, m. July 14, 1847, Rev. Jeremiah Butler, b. May 29, 1812, at Onondaga Hill, N. Y. (son of Stephen Butler and Hannah Ward), grad. from Oberlin Coll., O., in 1842, and the Oberlin Theol. Sem. in 1845, a Cong. clergyman, settled at Bellevue, O. (1845-64), and since 1864 at Fairport, N. Y. One child:  
4643. 1. Clarence Willard Butler, M.D., b. at Bellevue, O., May 1, 1848, educated at Oberlin, O., and grad. at the N. Y. Homeopathic Med. Coll. in New York in 1872. He is a physician at Montclair, N. J.  
4644. iv. Jesse Cooper Willard, b. at Canaan, Vt., Dec. 4, 1823, lost overboard at sea, May 1, 1846.  
4645. v. Beede Mary Willard, b. at Lancaster, N. H., April 10, 1826, m. Dr. James L. Brooks, and d. April 1854.  
4646. vi. John Haven Willard, b. April 11, 1828, d. June 12, 1828.  
4647. vii. Francis Lawrence Willard (twin), b. March 21, 1830, d. March 24, 1830.  
4648. viii. Frances Lydia Willard (twin), b. March 21, 1830, d. Sept. 21, 1856.  
4649. ix. Laura Dwight Willard, b. Sept. 11, 1834, d. Dec. 2, 1834.  
4641. ii. Sarah Jane Willard, b. Dec. 16, 1818, m. Feb. 15, 1844, Rev. Sereno Wright Streeter (son of Rufus Streeter), grad. at Oberlin, O., a Cong. clergyman, settled formerly at Union City, Mich., but now (since 1869) at Austinburgh, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4650. i. Albert Taylor Streeter, b. Dec. 22, 1844, grad. at Olivet Coll., Mich.  
4651. ii. Mary Louisa Streeter, b. March 9, 1847.  
4652. iii. Sarah Jane Streeter, b. Sept. 22, 1850, m. May 1871, Charles C. Tucker. They have one child, Edna Louisa Tucker, b. July 12, 1873.  
4653. iv. Harriet Putnam Streeter, b. Oct. 11, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

4645. v. Beede Mary Willard, b. April 10, 1826, m. Aug. 29, 1842, James Lowell Brooks, M.D. (son of John Brooks of Farmington, Me. and Ellen Cony), a physician in Aurora, Ill., and previously in Wilton and Skowhegan, Me. She d. April 1854. He m. for 2d wife, July 1866, widow Nancy McNaught. He d. at Lexington, Ill., Sept. 15, 1866.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:



4650. i. Carey Augustus Brooks, b. in 1845, was drowned at Aurora, Ill., about 1855.

4651. ii. Mary Louisa Brooks, b. in Skowhegan, Me., April 1847, m. May 27, 1866, Noah Franklin McNaught of Lexington, Ill. They have 2 children:

1. George Lowell McNaught, b. Feb. 24, 1867.

2. Beede Alice McNaught, b. Feb. 19, 1870.

4652. iii. Caroline Brooks (nothing more known of her).

4653. iv. A child, unnamed, that d. soon.

4654. v. Samuel Brooks, b. and d. in Aurora, Ill., in 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

4637. vi. Hon. John Dwight Willard, LL.D. (son of Rev. Joseph Willard of Lancaster, N. H., and Olive Haven), b. Nov. 4, 1799, at Lancaster, m. Nov. 16, 1829, Laura Barnes of Berlin, Ct., b. May 13, 1808 (dau. of Blakeslee Barnes and Almira Porter). He was grad. at Dartmouth in 1819, and was tutor there for one year (1822-3). He removed in 1824 to Troy, N. Y., and began the practice of law there in 1826. He was for several years editor of the Troy Sentinel, and was made judge of the court of common pleas and State senator for two years. He spent two years in Europe at two different times. "His office was thronged with clients; his whole soul was absorbed in his business; probity and promptness, energy and perseverance were prominent traits of his character. He was richly endowed by nature; and to a capacious and well-balanced mind he added the advantages of extensive and varied learning." He d. Oct. 9, 1864, and left at his death \$10,000 to Dartmouth College. His widow still (1874) resides at Troy.

[Eighth generation.] Children:

4655. i. Rev. Henry Willard, b. Sept. 11, 1830, grad. at Dartmouth in 1851, and at Princeton Theol. Sem. in 1858, preached at Monroeville, O. (1858-9), and at Zumbrota, Minn. (1859-63). Since 1863 he has been settled at Plainview, Minn. He m. Dec. 6, 1858, Jeanie Wells of Mt. Vernon, O., b. at Cuyahoga Falls, O., April 11, 1834 (dau. of Epaphroditus Wells and Emma B. Linsted). They have had 6 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Clarence Wells Willard, b. at Zumbrota, Nov. 20, 1859, d. Aug. 13, 1860.

\*\*\*\* 2. Norman Porter Willard, b. there March 10, 1861.

\*\*\*\* 3. Emma Willard, b. at Mt. Vernon, O., Nov. 30, 1862.

\*\*\*\* 4. Laura Willard, b. at Plainview, Minn., Nov. 4, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 5. Rose Willard, b. there Oct. 15, 1866.

\*\*\*\* 6. Edward Willard, b. there June 20, 1868.

4656. ii. Edward Willard, b. March 21, 1832, d. April 3, 1844.

4657. iii. Clarence Willard, b. March 15, 1837, m. June 16, 1863, Sarah Frances McDowell, b. Aug. 30, 1841 (dau. of Peter McDowell of Cambridge, N. Y., and Ann McClellan). He was a wholesale manufacturer of boots and shoes at Troy, N. Y., and was at different times Prest. of the Young Men's Christian Association, and Bank Director, etc. He d. without issue June 11, 1870, aet. 33. She d. Jan. 19, 1867, aet. 25.

[Sixth Generation.]

4618. v. Samuel Willard, M.D. (son of Rev. Dr. John Willard of Stafford, Ct., and Lydia Dwight), b. Dec. 26, 1766, grad. at Harvard in 1787, m. Aug. 1798, Abigail Perkins (dau. of Isaac Perkins of Ashford, Ct. and Tamisen Chaplin). He was a physician at Stafford, Ct., and was the proprietor of a mineral spring of some note in that place. He d. in Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16, 1820. She d. in Greene, N. Y., Feb. 22, 1839.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

4658. i. Augustus Willard, M.D., b. June 29, 1799, d. March 12, 1868.

4659. ii. John Willard, b. June 6, 1806, d. unmarried Nov. 9, 1847, at Barker, N. Y., aet. 41, a man of decided intellect and strong character.

4660. iii. Martha Emilia Willard, b. Nov. 16, 1808, m. Frederic W. Meloy.

4658. i. Augustus Willard, M.D., b. June 29, 1799, grad. in his medical studies at Dartmouth. He m. Dec. 12, 1827, Catharine Scaife Ringer, b. Sept. 15, 1806 (dau. of John Ringer of Geneva, N. Y., and Isabella Mullender). She d. April 3, 1845, and he m. for 2d wife, Aug. 19, 1850, Laura Perry of Oxford, N. Y., b. Oct. 22, 1813 (dau. of John Perry and Mary Welch). He was a physician at Greene, Chenango Co., N. Y., where he d. March 12, 1868. He was an efficient gatherer of facts for this work, in respect to his branch of the family.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4661. i. Charles Cameron Willard, M.D., b. Nov. 4, 1828, pursued his medical studies at "The N. Y. College of Physicians and Surgeons," in New York. He m. March 9, 1853, Julia Ann Palmer, b. May 10, 1831 (dau. of Ira Palmer and Harriet Carter). He was a physician in Greene, and d. there Sept. 24, 1862, aet. 34. He had one child :

4662. 1. Sarah Isabella Willard, b. Jan. 12, 1854.

4663. ii. Mary Isabella Willard, b. Oct. 11, 1832, m. Richard G. Lewis.

4664. iii. Samuel Augustus Willard, b. Aug. 9, 1837, m. July 31, 1862, Amelia Mary Johnson, b. Jan. 31, 1838 (dau. of Alonzo and Maria Johnson of Greene).

*By second wife:*

4665. iv. Annie Hunt Willard, b. July 5, 1852.

4666. v. John Willard, b. July 6, 1856.

4663 ii. Mary Isabella Willard, b. Oct. 11, 1832, m. Oct. 11, 1853, Richard Gains Lewis, b. May 16, 1830 (son of Ellis Lewis and Mary Thomas), a trader in Chenango, Broome Co., N. Y. Children:

4664. 1. Catharine Willard Lewis, b. in Greene, N. Y., July 2, 1855, d. Jan. 1, 1859.

4665. 2. Elizabeth Isabella Lewis, b. Dec. 26, 1859, in Greene.

[Seventh Generation.]

4660. iii. Martha Amelia Willard (dau. of Dr. Samuel Willard of Stafford, Ct., and Abigail Perkins), b. Nov. 16, 1808, m. Dec. 8, 1833, Frederic William Meloy, b. at New Haven, Ct., Feb. 6, 1805 (son of Henry Meloy and Anna Dawson), a farmer at Ellicottville, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4666. i. William Augustus Meloy, b. Aug. 26, 1832.

4667. ii. John Willard Meloy, b. Sept. 8, 1834.

4668. iii. Samuel Henry Meloy, b. Sept. 8, 1836.

4669. iv. Abigail Meloy, b. Dec. 9, 1838, m. Nov. 30, 1865, George M. Rider.

4670. v. Anna Meloy, b. Aug. 8, 1841.

4671. vi. Charles Frederic Meloy, b. Dec. 17, 1843, a printer.

4672. vii. Edward Richmond Meloy, b. June 12, 1846.

4673. viii. Theodore Dwight Meloy, b. April 18, 1849, d. April 3, 1858.

4674. ix. Martha Emilia Meloy, b. May 26, 1854.

4667. ii. John Willard Meloy, b. Sept. 8, 1834, m. June 12, 1860, Frances Abigail Williams (dau. of Dr. Thomas J. Williams of Ellicottville, N. Y., and Abigail Day): a merchant at Ellicottville.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4675. i. Francis Williams Meloy, b. April 4, 1863.

4676. ii. Frederica Williams Meloy, b. Dec. 8, 1864.

[Sixth Generation.]

4620. vii. Abigail Willard (dau. of Rev. Dr. John Willard of Stafford, Ct., and Lydia Dwight), b. March 13, 1771, m. about 1800, Samuel Alden, b. at Stafford, Ct., in 1768 (son of Dea. Daniel Alden and Jane Turner) grad. at Dartmouth in 1795, a druggist at Hanover, N. H., and much esteemed for his worth. She d. Sept. 13, 1832; and he

m. for a 2d wife, Aug. 1834, widow Sarah Pearson, *née* Boardman. He d. March 3, 1842, aet. 71. They had one child:

4677. 1. Abigail Alden, b. in 1809, who m. a Dr. Freeman of New Jersey.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 628.

4162. v. Mary Dwight (dau. of Genl. Joseph Dwight and Mary Pyncheon), b. Jan. 26, 1735-6, m. about 1756 Capt. Jonas Locke, b. Jan. 13, 1726-7 (son of William Locke of Lexington, Mass., and Jemima Russell, dau. of Philip Russell of Lexington). He was a revolutionary soldier, and served in several campaigns. He resided at Shutesbury, Mass., at a place called then Locke's Mills, but now Locke's Village. Between 1780 and 1790 he removed to Deerfield, Mass. He was a millwright, and built several mills at Deerfield and in its vicinity. She d. Feb. 7, 1812, aet. 76. He d. at Deerfield, March 5, 1812, aet. 85, leaving considerable property. He was highly respected for his intellect and excellence. They had one child:

4678. i. Lois Locke (date of birth not ascertained), who m. (when not discovered) Ebenezer McKenney of Keene, N. H. (whose mother was Abigail Mitchell). He removed to Black River, N. Y., and d. there. They had a daughter who m. Aaron Rand, afterwards of New York city, who d. there, leaving several children.

228 Much effort was bestowed at different times and in diverse forms to remove the darkness that hangs in this record over the history of the Dwight-Lockes, but always, to the author's great disappointment, in vain. Any of Aaron Rand's descendants who may at any time ere long read this meagre account of their immediate maternal lineage will confer a favor upon the author, if not also upon others, by communicating such information as they can concerning their Rand, McKenney and Locke ancestry.

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[Fifth Generation.]

4164. vii. Col. Elijah Dwight (son of Genl. Joseph Dwight and Mary Pyncheon), b. at Brookfield, Mass., April 23, 1740, resided at Gr. Barrington, Mass., in the old homestead.

He was the first clerk of court for the county of Berkshire, and afterwards judge of the Court of Common Pleas in that county, and for several years previous to his death a member of the State Senate.

At the early age of 18 he was lieutenant in his father's brigade sent to reduce Ticonderoga, and held several important offices, both civil and military, during and following the revolutionary war.

He m. (date not ascertained) Anna Williams, b. Sept. 16, 1743 (dau. of Dr. Thomas Williams of Deerfield, Mass., and Ann Childs—



sister of Dr. Timothy Childs of Pittsfield, who was father of Prof. Henry W. Childs, Lt. Gov. of Mass.)

He d. at Brookfield, Mass., when on his way to Boston, June 12, 1794, aet. 54. "He was an able magistrate, and a very gentle, kind-hearted, good man." His epitaph at W. Brookfield, reads thus:

"Hon. Elijah Dwight, Esq., of Gr. Barrington, an honest man, a respected citizen, an exemplary Christian, d. at Brookfield, June 12, 1794, aet. 54.

Death is the crown of life.

Were death denied, poor

Man would live in vain.

Death wounds to cure."

Mrs. Anna Dwight d. at Deerfield, Feb. 21, 1810, aet. 66. "She sustained through life the character of a highly sensible and religious woman. Active, universal benevolence was her prominent characteristic."

[Dr. Thomas Williams was a son of Ephraim Williams of Newton, Mass., and Elizabeth Jackson. He was brother to Col. Ephraim Williams, Jr., the founder of Williams College, who was b. Feb. 23, 1715, and d. Sept. 8, 1755, and to Abigail Williams, whose first husband was Rev. John Sargeant, and whose second husband was Genl. Joseph Dwight, father of Col. Elijah Dwight. A full account of Dr. Thomas Williams and family may be found in Miss Electa Jones' Hist. of Stockbridge, pp. 146-8].

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

Sad indeed was the mortality in this family. Out of nine children only one lived long enough to have a family of his own, and he left neither wife nor child to survive him. The first five children died so soon after birth, successively, that they were unnamed, and no record has been anywhere found of the few short hours that they spent upon the earth. Number one, in the subjoined enumeration of them, should be properly, therefore, number six.

4679. i. Elijah Dwight, b. Jan. 12, 1778, d. May 28, 1788, aet. 10.

4680. ii. Horace Dwight, b. Sept. 19, 1780, d. Dec. 25, 1780.

4681. iii. Thomas Dwight, b. June 22, 1782, d. Oct. 4, 1782.

4682. iv. Capt. Joseph Hawley Dwight, b. at Gr. Barrington, Sept. 13, 1785, m. Oct. 29, 1814, Catharine Clarke, b. at Stonington, Ct., April 17, 1793 (da. of Rev. Henry Clarke of Brookfield, Madison Co., N. Y.). She d. at Oxford, Chenango Co., N. Y., June 11, 1840. She is described as having been "the counterpart of her sainted mother," although her mother's name is not given. He resided for some years at Utica, N. Y., and afterwards at Oxford, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 6,

1845, act. 59, from the effects of injuries received by being thrown from a wagon, which he survived but a day or two. He became a Roman Catholic. An obituary notice of him, prepared by Judge Ezekiel Bacon of Utica, contains the following statements: "He bore with reputation a commission in the military service of his country during the last war with Great Britain (1812-15). He was a man of undaunted firmness of character, of high honor and integrity, and of the most correct business qualifications and habits. He had experienced much of the varying vicissitudes of life, which he ever met with great equanimity and firmness. He many years since embraced the Roman Catholic faith, in which he died." He left his property, supposed to amount to some \$20,000, to the Roman Catholic Church, to promote education in its faith—the bequest being applied to such an use at Utica, as it is understood.

He took great interest in tracing out records of the history of the Dwight Family. These the author has seen and examined with care. Although very narrow in their range, and full of mistakes, they are by far the most valuable collection of family statistics that had ever been prepared up to his day. They are in the possession of Mrs. Frances Fowler Dwight of Stockbridge, Mass., who generously transmitted them to the author, by express, for his free and full use in the early part of his long and wide researches. He left them at his death, by his will, to Rev. Louis Dwight of Boston, Mass., who himself made some additions of value to its mere skeleton-like outlines of a general kind.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4679. i. Henry Williams Dwight, b. April 29, 1816, d. Jan. 15, 1817.

4680. ii. A son unnamed, b. June 1, who d. June 4, 1820.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 628.

4166. ix. Joseph Dwight, Jr. (son of Genl. Joseph Dwight and Mary Pynchon), b. Jan. 23, 1744-5, m. about 1767, Lydia Dewey of Gr. Barrington, Mass., b. Oct. 1, 1745 (dau. of Israel Dewey and Lydia Moseley). He was a farmer at Gr. Barrington (1765-76), at Lenox, Mass. (1776-), and at Cincinnatus, Courtland Co., N. Y., whither he had removed many years before (the year of his doing so being, as the author thinks, 1801), and where he d. July 1826, aet. 81. He was a man of intelligence and enterprise, and a member of the Episcopal Church.

Of Mrs. Lydia Dwight, her son Horace, then 80 years of age, wrote to the author in 1867: "She was cheerful, diligent and firm. Early on Saturday evening all work was suspended in the household: the children were called together and the evening was spent in reading and singing, which habit the children themselves imitated and perpetuated

long after their several marriages in their own homes, she was always attentive at church, economical and neat, and she clothed her family from the products of the farm " (that is, from wool of their own raising, brought into shape by her busy loom and needle). How busy she must have been by day and by night may be easily guessed when it is remembered that beside the household cares of a large farm, she had 13 children, 9 of them sons, to feed and clothe. All honor to the earnest, industrious and determined women of the early days of our Republic. No self-indulgent, sickly, feeble specimens of their sex were they. Nor were their children a puny, low-browed, dead-alive race of mortals. She d. July 29, 1811, aet. 65.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

4681. i. Mary ("Polly") Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1768, m. Jacob Harrison, d. Feb. 21, 1846, aet. 78.

4682. ii. Solomon Dwight, b. Sept. 9, 1769, at Gr. Barrington, d. April 7, 1813, aet. 43.

4683. iii. Israel Dwight, b. Nov. 11, 1770, at Gr. Barrington.

4684. iv. Josiah Dwight, b. Aug. 15, 1772, at Gr. Barrington.

4685. v. Lydia Dwight, b. Aug. 17, 1774, at Gr. Barrington, m. Salmon Harrison, d. Feb. 15, 1850, aet. 75.

4686. vi. Pyncheon Dwight, b. at Lenox, Mass., July 15, 1776, d. Aug. 23, 1777.

4687. vii. Joseph Dwight, b. June 8, 1778, at Lenox, Mass., d. June 28, 1861, aet. 83.

4688. viii. Pyncheon Dwight, 2d, b. June 24, 1780, at Lenox, d. Aug. 3, 1855, aet. 75.

4689. ix. Adolphus Dwight, b. July 13, 1782, at Lenox, d. Dec. 31, 1859, aet. 77.

4690. x. Henry Dwight, b. May 6, 1784, at Lenox, d. March 20, 1842, aet. 58.

4691. xi. Horace Dwight, b. June 12, 1786, at Lenox, d. Sept. 29, 1872, aet. 86.

4692. xii. Clarissa Dwight, b. at Lenox, July 15, 1788, m. Reuben Delano, d. Nov. 14, 1859, aet. 71.

4693. xiii. Anna ("Nancy") Dwight, b. Nov. 27, 1790, m. Ephraim F. Williams, and for a 2d husband William McClary.

#### Dewey Lineage.

[Israel Dewey, son of Thomas Dewey of Westfield, Mass., and Abigail Ashley, was b. March 3, 1712-13. Thomas Dewey of Westfield, b. June 29, 1682, was son of Jedediah Dewey, Senior, and Sarah Orton. He was b. Dec. 15, 1647, and m. in 1671, Sarah Orton of Hartford, Ct. They lived at first at Farmington, Ct., for a short period, and afterwards at Westfield, Mass. She d. Nov. 20, 1711 : he d. in 1718. His

father was Thomas Dewey, the settler, who came to Dorchester, Mass., in 1633, from Sandwich, Kent Co., Eng., near the ancient town of Dover. About 1638 he removed to Windsor, Ct., the first white settlement made in that State. He m. there March 22, 1638-9, widow Frances Clark, previously wife of Joseph Clark of Windsor. Her daughter, Mary Clark, by her first marriage, bapt. Sept. 30, 1638, m. Nov. 26, 1656, John Strong of Windsor (son of Elder John Strong, afterwards of Northampton, Mass. See for account of 4,000 and more of her descendants, etc., *Hist. of Strong Family* by the author, vol. i. pp. 20-227). Thomas Dewey d. at Windsor, April 27, 1648. His widow, Frances (Clark) Dewey, m. for a 3d husband, Nov. 30, 1648, George Phelps, and removed in that year to Westfield, with all her Dewey children, except Israel, who remained at Windsor and d. there without issue. She had a son, Jacob Phelps, who m. in 1672 Dorothy Ingersoll, and had 6 children :

I. *Thomas and Frances Dewey* of Windsor had 5 children, 4 of them sons: Thomas, Josiah, Anna, Israel and Jedediah.

II. *Jedediah Dewey and Sarah Orton* had 10 children: 1. Sarah, b. March 28, 1672, who m. Sept. 8, 1692, John Ashley of Westfield. 2. Margaret, b. Jan. 10, 1673-4, who m. Sept. 29, 1693, Daniel Bissell of Windsor, and had 5 children. 3. Jedediah Dewey, Jr., b. June 14, 1676, who lived in Westfield, and m. June 1703, Rebecca Williams, and had 8 children. 4. Daniel Dewey, b. March 9, 1679, who lived in Farmington, Ct. 5. *Thomas Dewey*, b. June 29, 1682, a farmer at Westfield, who m. Nov. 7, 1706, *widow Abigail Ashley*. They had 6 children. They removed in 1737 from Westfield to Sheffield, Mass. He d. March 15, 1758, aet. 76. She d. Dec. 20, 1747, aet. 55, and he m. for a 2d wife, in 1749-50, Elizabeth Harmon of Sheffield. 6. Joseph Dewey, b. May 10, 1684, who lived at Westfield, where he d. Jan. 1757, aet. 72. He had by his wife Sarah 6 children. 7. Hannah, b. March 14, 1685. 8. Mary Dewey, b. March 1, 1688, d. June 19, 1740, aet. 52. 9. James Dewey, b. April 3, 1692, m. May 15, 1718, Elizabeth Ashley, b. in 1697 (dau. of Dea. Daniel Ashley of Westfield), who d. Sept. 25, 1737, and he m. for 2d wife, Dec. 20, 1738, Joanna Taylor of Westfield, who d. May 12, 1782, aet. 59. He d. of small-pox Aug. 28, 1767. 10. Abigail Dewey, b. Nov. 17, 1694.

III. *Thomas Dewey* of Westfield (son of Jedediah and Sarah Orton Dewey) had by his wife *Abigail Ashley* 6 children. They were—1. Thomas Dewey, Jr., b. April 20, 1708, d. July 20, 1709. 2. Abigail Dewey, b. April 24, 1710. 3. *Israel Dewey*, b. March 3, 1712-13, who m. *Lydia Moseley*. 4. Hannah Dewey, b. June 22, 1715. 5. Bathshua Dewey, b. Aug. 12, 1718, who m. April 19, 1744, James Bagg of Springfield, Mass. 6. Thomas, b. Nov. 1721.



IV. *Israel Dewey* (son of Thomas and Abigail Dewey of Westfield, Mass., and afterwards of Sheffield, Mass.), b. March 3, 1712-13, m. Sept. 19, 1734, *Lydia Moseley*, b. Feb. 19, 1715-16 (dau. of *Consider Moseley*, b. Nov. 21, 1675, and *Elizabeth Bancroft*, whom he m. July 7, 1709, and who was dau. of *Nathaniel Bancroft* and *Hannah Gardner*). He was a farmer and miller at Sheffield, Mass., and Gr. Barrington (1755-73), and "a man of consequence in the town." He was the ancestor of the Gr. Barrington and Lenox Deweys. He d. at Gr. Barrington, Mass., May 23, 1773, aet. 60. His first ten children are all recorded at Westfield as having been born there, so that he must have removed to Sheffield about 1754-5. She d. June 19, 1787, aet. 71. *John Maudsley*, or *Moseley*, of Windsor, Ct., and afterwards of Westfield, Mass., m. *Mary Newberry*, dau. of *Benjamin Newberry*. They had 10 children, 5 of them born in Windsor—*Benjamin*, *Margaret*, *Joseph*, *Mary* and *Consider*; and 5 in Westfield—*John*, *Comfort*, *Margaret*, *Elizabeth* and *Hannah*. The children of *Consider Moseley* and *Elizabeth Bancroft* were—*Rhoda*, who m. *Nathaniel Wells*; *Israel*, *Daniel*, who m. *Ann Abbot* of Windsor; *Elizabeth*, twin with *Daniel*; *Lydia*, who m. *Israel Dewey*; *Ruth*, who m. *Thomas Root*; and *Mary*, who m. *Aaron King*.

V. The children of *Israel Dewey* of Gr. Barrington and *Lydia Moseley* were 12 in number:

1. *Israel Dewey, Jr.*, b. June 21, 1735, m. Nov. 1761, *Mary Pixley*, b. June 2, 1739 (dau. of *David Pixley* of Sheffield, and afterwards of *Stockbridge, Mass.*). They had 10 children. See for some account of his descendants, pp. 371-2 of *Hist. of the Strong Family* by the author.

2. *Benedict Dewey*, b. Dec. 1, 1736, a farmer in Gr. Barrington, m. wife *Ruhamah*, and had 5 children. He d. Feb. 19, 1796, aet. 59.

3. *Paul Dewey*, b. March 16, 1739, m. about 1763, *Susan Reed*, who d. in 1786, and he m. for 2d wife widow *Hannah Crawford*, *née Sabin*. He was a farmer in Lenox, Mass. He d. Aug. 19, 1827, aet. 88. He had 13 children, of whom 12 were by the first wife.

4. *Eleanor Dewey*, b. Jan. 5, 1740-1, m. *John Burghardt*. She d. Dec. 8, 1816, aged 75.

5. *Solomon Dewey*, b. March 1, 1742-3. He was one of the first settlers of *Whitestown, Oneida Co., N. Y.*, where he d. Dec. 1818, aet. 75. He had 6 children.

6. *Lydia Dewey*, b. Oct. 1, 1745, m. *Joseph Dwight, Jr.*, of Gr. Barrington, and afterwards of *Lenox, Mass.*, and *Cincinnati, N. Y.* She d. July 29, 1811, aet. 65.

7. *Abigail Dewey*, b. Oct. 12, 1747, m. May 3, 1770, *Dea. Daniel Nash* of Gr. Barrington, and had 3 children. She d. May 29, 1836, aet. 88.

8. Josiah Dewey, b. and d. Aug. 3, 1749.

9. Justin Dewey, b. Jan. 5, 1751, a farmer in Gr. Barrington, m. Sept. 9, 1782, Lucy Mears of Poultney, Vt., b. Sept. 3, 1763. They had 10 children. "He was a fine, jovial old man, with a great fund of sociability and humor." He d. Aug. 31, 1832, aet. 81. She d. April 6, 1845, aet. 81.

10. Hugo Dewey, b. Dec. 4, 1753, in Westfield, was a farmer in Gr. Barrington. He m. his wife Hannah about 1781, who was b. in 1757, and d. Nov. 28, 1813, aet. 56. He d. April 17, 1833, aet. 79. He had 9 children.

11. Josiah Dewey, b. in Sheffield, Mass., in 1756, m. a Miss Fitchin. He lived at Van Deusenville, Mass. He d. Feb. 9, 1811: had 6 children.

12. Elizabeth Dewey, b. in 1758, m. a Mr. Ingersoll, who was a hatter in Lenox. She d. Jan. 20, 1784, aet. 26. ]

[Sixth Generation.]

4681. i. Polly Dwight (dau. of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey, b. Jan. 30, 1768, at Gr. Barrington, m. Sept. 26, 1799, Jacob Harrison, b. Aug. 8, 1770 (son of — Harrison of — and Betsey Plumb). His father d. in the revolutionary war, when Jacob was less than a year old. Jacob Harrison was a farmer at Laurens, Otsego Co., N. Y., a man of piety and of successful business habits. He d. Nov. 7, 1841: she d. Feb. 21, 1846, aet. 78.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4694. i. Julia Harrison, b. July 9, 1800, m. Reed Baker, and d. Jan. 15, 1857.

4695. ii. Hiram Harrison, b. Nov. 30, 1801, a farmer, and a man of piety, affluence and influence at Laurens, m. July 4, 1832, Maria Marlette, dau. of Peter and Elizabeth Marlette of Laurens. He d. May 10, 1853, aet. 51. He had but one child:

4696. 1. Oscar Harrison, b. Feb. 16, 1850, d. May 10, 1853.

4697. iii. Samuel Harrison, b. Aug. 7, 1803.

4698. iv. Joseph Dwight Harrison, b. Feb. 9, 1805.

4699. v. Diadema Harrison, b. June 13, 1807, m. Jan. 5, 1832, Chester Griswold Whitford, b. Nov. 7, 1806 (son of William Whitford of Hartwick, N. Y., and Jerusha Houghton), a saddler and harness-maker in Binghamton, N. Y. Have one child:

4700. 1. Frances Harrison, b. Feb. 16, 1835, who resides unmarried at home.

4701. vi. Clarissa Harrison, b. Aug. 5, 1809, d. Feb. 28, 1815.

Of the parents and children of this family it is stated that "they were all, as many as came to maturity, pious, and members of the Presbyterian church."

4694. i. Julia Harrison, b. July 9, 1800, m. June 8, 1820, Reed Baker, b. in Milford, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1795 (son of Thomas Baker and Sarah Watson), a blacksmith at Laurens, but after 1850 at Colesville, Broome Co., N. Y. She d. there Jan. 15, 1857, "a woman of uncommon excellence." He d. there Jan. 9, 1872, aet. 76.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4702. i. Jacob Harrison Baker, b. in Milford, Ostego Co., N. Y., Aug. 18, 1821, m. Sept. 2, 1844, Amanda Thrall of Hartwick, N. Y. (dau. of Roger Thrall). He was a lawyer at Titusville, Pa., where he d. without issue Aug. 2, 1870, and she d. Aug. 28, 1871.

4703. ii. Sarah Ann Baker, b. Feb. 18, 1824, m. Micajah Pride, and for a 2d husband Chauncey Newell.

4704. iii. Clarissa Catharine Baker, b. Nov. 19, 1827, m. Allen H. Gardiner.

4705. iv. Mary Annette Baker, b. Nov. 9, 1830, m. June 17, 1856, Ephraim M. Norcutt, b. May 30, 1829 (son of Ephraim Norcutt of Colesville, N. Y., and Catharine Ross), a farmer at Colesville, N. Y. He d. at Washington, D. C., Oct. 19, 1863, in a military hospital, being a soldier in the Union Army. No children. His widow resides at Hornellsville, N. Y.

4706. v. Egbert Allen Baker, b. Aug. 24, 1837, m. Aug. 16, 1856, Elizabeth M. Holcomb of Colesville, b. April 28, 1835 (dau. of Alvin Holcomb and Lucy Watrous), a farmer at Colesville.

4703. ii. Sarah Ann Baker, b. Feb. 18, 1824, m. Oct. 19, 1843, Micajah Pride, a farmer at Laurens, and Union, N. Y., b. in Hartwick, N. Y., Sept. 16, 1819 (son of Hibbard Pride and Ruth Bow). He d. at Union, Broome Co., N. Y., Nov. 6, 1859. She m. for 2d husband, Oct. 31, 1861, Chauncey Newell of Union, b. there March 5, 1816 (son of Manna Newell of Farmington, Ct., and Sally Saltmarsh of W. Stockbridge, Mass.), an insurance agent.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

4707. i. Adelaide A. Pride, b. in Laurens, Aug. 2, 1844, m. Feb. 1864, George N. Strong (son of Daniel Strong and — Black), a farmer at Ellicottville, N. Y.

4708. ii. Vernon S. Pride, b. Dec. 20, 1848, d. Feb. 26, 1854.

4709. iii. Mary Pride, b. in Laurens, June 5, 1851, m. Feb. 23, 1868, William C. Armstrong (son of Andrew Armstrong of Glasgow, Scotland, and Isabella Frame), a tailor at Susquehanna Depot, Pa. He was an Union soldier in the late war, and took part in 23 battles, and was twice severely wounded.

4710. iv. Benjamin Franklin Pride, b. in Union, Oct. 19, 1853, m. Dec. 26, 1872, Ann Tenney, b. June 4, 1854 (dau. of Edward L.

Tenney and Semantha Gilbert): editor and publisher of the *Susquehanna Journal*, at Susquehanna Depot, Pa.

4711. v. Frederic Harrison Pride, b. at Union, Sept. 13, 1856, is a printer at Susquehanna Depot.

*By the second marriage:*

4712. vi. Bertie C. Newell, b. Aug. 23, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

4704. iii. Clarissa Catharine Baker, b. Nov. 19, 1827, m. Feb. 5, 1849, Allen H. Gardiner (son of David Gardiner), a farmer at New Lisbon, Otsego Co., N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4713. i. Julia Gardiner, b. Nov. 1849, m. in 1869 Albert Brimmer.

4714. ii. Laselle D. Gardiner, b. June 1852.

[Seventh Generation.]

4697. iii. Samuel Harrison (son of Jacob Harrison and Polly Dwight), b. Aug. 7, 1803, m. March 14, 1833, Semantha Whitford (dau. of William Whitford of Hartwick, N. Y., and Jerusha Houghton): a farmer at Laurens, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4714. i. Delos Harrison, b. Oct. 6, 1839.

4715. ii. Harlan Page Harrison, b. Sept. 27, 1842.

4716. iii. Mary Diadema Harrison, b. March 15, 1850.

[Seventh Generation.]

4698. iv. Joseph Dwight Harrison (son of Jacob Harrison and Polly Dwight), b. Feb. 9, 1805, a farmer at Hornellsville, N. Y., m. March 1831, Abigail Comstock, b. July 20, 1806 (dau. of Solomon Comstock of Hartwick, N. Y., and Abigail Gorham).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4717. i. Henry Jacob Harrison, b. Sept. 17, 1834.

4718. ii. Salmon Dwight Harrison, b. Oct. 19, 1838, a conductor on the Erie R. Road.

4719. iii. Gilbert Laselle Harrison, b. Oct. 21, 1842, a farmer at Hornellsville.

4720. iv. Abigail Amelia Harrison, b. Feb. 26, 1844, a teacher in the public school at Hornellsville.

4717. i. Henry Jacob Harrison, b. Sept. 17, 1834, m. June 10, 1857, Josephine Langdon, b. at Salisbury, Ct., April 6, 1839 (dau. of David Moore Langdon and Harriet Whitmore). He is a farmer at Hornellsville.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4721. i. Niles Langdon Harrison, b. July 11, 1859.



4722. ii. Eloise Harrison, b. Oct. 6, 1863.

[Sixth Generation.]

4682. ii. Solomon Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey), b. Sept. 9, 1769, at Gr. Barrington, Mass. m. in 1796 Venina Foster. [Her parentage and the dates of her birth and death were sought for in vain.] He was a farmer in Hartwick, N. Y., where he d. April 7, 1813, aet. 43.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4723. i. Elijah Dwight, b. Nov. 29, 1797.

4724. ii. Olive Dwight, b. Aug. 15, 1799, m. without issue Daniel Armstrong of Owego, Tioga Co., N. Y. He was a man of ability, and filled worthily several offices of honor and trust. He d. in 1865. She was a milliner in Owego for several years preceding her marriage.

4725. iii. Reuben Dwight, b. Dec. 15, 1802, m. Melinda Jackson. He is a resident of Byron, Ill.

4726. iv. Joseph Dwight, b. Aug. 28, 1804, d. March 27, 1872.

4727. v. Adelia Dwight, b. June 15, 1806, m. James Cameron, and d. in 1847.

4728. vi. Abigail Dwight, b. Aug. 1807, m. David Manning of Owego, N. Y.

4729. vii. Ambrose Dwight, b. about 1809, d. aet. 4.

4730. viii. Henry Dwight, b. about 1811, d. aet. 6.

4731. ix. Polly Dwight, b. about 1812, d. aet. 2.

4723. i. Elijah Dwight, b. Nov. 29, 1797, m. April 9, 1818, Olive Standish, b. Feb. 22, 1795 (dau. of Daniel Standish and Susan King), a blacksmith at Owego, N. Y., for several years, and after 1835 at Dryden, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4732. i. Hon. Jeremiah Wilbur Dwight, b. April 17, 1819.

4733. ii. Clarissa Venina Dwight, b. July 14, 1822, m. Enos S. Farnham.

4734. iii. Roswell Randall Dwight, b. Feb. 22, 1825, a farmer at Dryden.

4732. i. Hon. Jeremiah Wilbur Dwight, b. April 17, 1819, m. Rebecca Anne Cady (dau. of Elias W. Cady). He is a merchant at Dryden, N. Y., has been several times supervisor of the town, and for three successive terms a member of the N. Y. legislature (1859-60 and 61).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4735. i. Mary Mehitable Dwight, b. 1846.

4736. ii. Olive Adelia Dwight, b. 1848.

4737. iii. Julia Rebecca Dwight, b. 1851.

4738. iv. Anna Amelia Dwight, b. 1856.

4739. v. John Wilbur Dwight, b. 1859.

[Seventh Generation.]

4726. iv. Joseph Dwight, 3d (son of Solomon Dwight and Venina Foster), b. Aug. 28, 1804, m. May 15, 1830, Achsah Seaman, b. Aug. 20, 1810. She d. March 4, 1840, aet. 29.

He m. for 2d wife, May 18, 1843, widow Anne Osborn Truesdell, b. May 26, 1807.

She d. March 28, 1848, aet. 40. He m. for 3d wife, June 21, 1850, Mary Ann Hayes, b. in Cincinnatus, N. Y., Feb. 6, 1817.

She d. April 9, 1859, aet. 42; and he m. for 4th wife, Nov. 2, 1859, widow Amanda Kenyon Greene. He d. of paralysis March 27, 1872, aet. 67. He was a manufacturer of boots and shoes at Cincinnatus, N. Y. No children by his 2d and 4th wives.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4740. i. Ambrose Dwight, b. Oct. 10, 1831.

4741. ii. Mary Helen Dwight, b. Feb. 28, 1835, d. Feb. 24, 1840.

4742. iii. Simeon Seaman Dwight, b. July 4, 1837, d. April 4, 1842.

*By third wife:*

4743. iv. Helen Elizabeth Dwight, b. July 28, 1851.

4740. i. Ambrose Dwight, b. Oct. 10, 1831, m. Sept. 1857, Abigail Burlingham of Solon, Courtland Co., N. Y. (dau. of John Burlingham). He is a boot and shoe manufacturer at Waterville, Oneida Co., N. Y., having removed thither recently from Courtland, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4744. i. Huldah Losett Dwight, b. at Cincinnatus.

4745. ii. Henrietta Dwight, b. at Courtland.

4746. iii. Kirk Ambrose Dwight.

[Seventh Generation.]

4727. v. Adelaide Dwight (dau. of Solomon Dwight and Venina Foster), b. June 15, 1806, m. James Cameron of Owego, N. Y., a dry-goods merchant. He has been justice of the peace also.

She d. in 1847-8, and he m. for 2d wife, Feb. 28, 1849, Diana Priscilla Merchant (dau. of Nathan Smith Merchant and Chloe Holcomb).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4747. i. Josephine Adelia Cameron, b. Oct. 10, 1838, m. March 19, 1863, Sylvester James Finley, M.D., of Castle Fin, Pa. (son of John Finley, a builder, and Mary Cameron). Their children are:

4748. 1. John Armstrong Finley, b. June 13, 1865.

4749. 2. Mary Olive Finley, b. in 1867.

4750. 3. Sylvester James Finley, b. in 1869.

4751. ii. Imogene Cameron, b. about 1841, d. soon.

[Sixth Generation.]

4683. iii. Israel Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey), b. Nov. 11, 1770, at Gr. Barrington, Mass., m. March 1795, Phebe Warriner of Canaan, N. Y. She d. in Hartwick, N. Y., March 1802, and he m. March 22, 1804, Sarah Porter, b. in Litchfield, Ct., July 24, 1781 (dau. of Eleazer Porter and Susannah Rowley).

He was a hatter at first for 10 years (1791-1801), but became afterwards a farmer all his life, residing at Hartwick, N. Y., until 1806, and from that time onwards at Windsor, Broome Co., N. Y.

"He was a man of strong mind and sound judgment, and of a noble soul, a wise counsellor, a firm friend and a judicious, loving father." So writes an affectionate daughter of him.

Once, when on his way to the house of a neighbor, whence death had within a few days removed, one after the other, father and mother and eldest son, he met an invalid lad, some 12 years of age, belonging to the family, who was then in pursuit of him for counsel and comfort and aid in his horrible bereavement, and bade him, whole-heartedly, make his home henceforth with him, which he did, being ever treated as if a son until some 13 years afterwards he died.

He d. March 18, 1860, aet. 89, in Windsor, N. Y., on the spot where 50 years before he had settled, and where he had reared all of his large family. His children love to remember the venerable patriarch with filial reverence for his many virtues, and grateful praise for the grace from above that abounded in his heart and life.

Phebe Warriner is said to have been "a woman of large-hearted generosity and of a winning and affectionate disposition." For 56 years, wanting but 4 days, Sarah Porter sat and stood, and walked by his side in life, as the loving and beloved partner of his joys and sorrows, and of his cares and prayers and toils in the high endeavor to train his household for God and glory. She was remarkable for her very sensitive nature, her quick perceptions, her generous sentiments, her affectionate feelings, and her determined energy of character. She d. June 6, 1860, within less than three months after her husband. A venerable godly pair! Blessed, thrice blessed are the children of such parents! Blessed in their lives and blessed in their deaths, and blessed will they be in their resurrection!

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By his first wife:*

4752. i. Eliza Dwight, b. Oct. 7, 1795, m. Orrin Stillson.

4753. ii. Lyman Dwight, b. July 3, 1797, d. Oct. 5, 1839.

*Son of Timothy, Son of John, both of Dedham, Mass.* 701

4754. iii. Harriet Dwight, b. Jan. 15, 1799, m. Spicer Sanders.

4755. iv. Jedediah Bushnell Dwight, b. Aug. 1, 1801.

*By second wife:*

4756. v. Sylvester Warriner Dwight, b. at Hartwick, N. Y., Nov. 26, 1804.

4757. vi. Horace Dewey Dwight, b. at Windsor, N. Y., May 25, 1806.

4758. vii. Alonzo Dwight, b. April 22, 1808, d. Oct. 25, 1867, aet. 59.

4759. viii. Lydia Dwight, b. May 21, 1810, m. George W. G. Judd.

4760. ix. Clarissa Dwight, b. June 18, 1812, m. Lyman Wilmot.

4761. x. Roswell Dwight, b. Jan. 10, 1815, d. June 7, 1822.

4762. xi. Mary Dwight, b. July 4, 1817, is unmarried (1874).

4763. xii. Norman Dwight, b. May 5, 1819.

4764. xiii. Chester Dwight, b. Sept. 27, 1821.

4765. xiv. Orson Dwight, b. Aug. 10, 1824.

The eldest and youngest of these children were 29 years apart in age.

4752. i. Eliza Dwight, b. Oct. 7, 1795, m. Jan. 12, 1815, Orrin Stillson, b. Dec. 9, 1793 (son of Daniel Stillson of Woodbury, Ct., and Hannah Warner). He is a farmer and resided in Sennett, N. Y. (1814-25), at first, and afterwards in Victory, N. Y. (1825-8), and after 1828 in Windsor, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4766. i. Israel Dwight Stillson, b. at Sennett (then called Brutus), Feb. 15, 1817.

4767. ii. Lyman Stillson, b. Nov. 20, 1818, d. April 1862.

4768. iii. Garry Stillson, b. April 21, 1821.

4769. iv. Reed Alonzo Stillson, b. Sept. 20, 1824, in Sennett, d. Feb. 22, 1826.

4770. v. Roswell Stillson, b. in Victory, N. Y., Nov. 8, 1826, m. May 10, 1860, Sarah Pitt of Sheboygan Falls, Wis., b. April 29, 1837 (dau. of Simeon Pitt and Betsey Blair). He is a cabinetmaker at Oshkosh, Wis. (since 1872), having previously lived at Sheboygan, Wis.

4771. vi. Sylvester Orrin Stillson, b. in Conklin, N. Y. (now Kirkwood), May 22, 1829.

4772. vii. William Cummings Stillson, b. in Kirkwood, Broome Co., N. Y., Jan. 30, 1833, m. March 4, 1859, Rachel Slaggy of Sparta, Wis., where he now resides. He enlisted as a soldier in the late war, in the 33d Wis. Regt., and served his country as such for two years.

4766. i. Israel Dwight Stillson, b. Feb. 15, 1817, m. Feb. 17, 1841, Mary Ann Knowlton, b. March 26, 1824, in Ashford, Ct. (dau. of John Knowlton and Polly Lamb): a farmer and business operator in Windsor, N. Y.



[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4773. i. Ellen Auverna Stillson, b. Aug. 13, 1846, a teacher in the public school at Windsor, N. Y.

4774. ii. Hannah Jane Stillson, b. May 18, 1850, m. Oct. 15, 1871, Granville Sherwood, a farmer in Windsor, b. in Kirkwood, N. Y., Dec. 31, 1847 (son of Wilson Sherwood and Julia Heath). They have one child :

4775. 1. Emma Grace Sherwood, b. Oct. 21, 1872.

4776. iii. Josephine Stillson, b. Jan. 10, 1857.

4777. iv. Effie May Stillson, b. Aug. 26, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

4767. ii. Lyman Stillson (son of Orrin Stillson and Eliza Dwight), b. Nov. 20, 1818, m. Oct. 18, 1847, Theodosia Fluno, b. March 8, 1821 (dau. of Jacob Fluno of Plainfield, Otsego Co., N. Y., and Sarah Ladd). He resided in Lindinah, Juneau Co., Wis. (1850-62). He was a man of nerve and perseverance, and a true patriot. He enlisted as an Union soldier in the late war, in the 16th Wis. Regt., and fell in the battle of Shiloh, at Pittsburgh Landing, April 1862. Deep was his love of country to leave, at the age of 44, his wife and three young children, in order to enter the rank and file, and run the hazards of the camp and the battle-field in the great conflict of the hour.

She d. Feb. 1866.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4778. i. Alonzo Dwight Stillson, b. in Cedarville, Herkimer Co., N. Y., March 3, 1850.

4779. ii. Lorenzo Daniel Stillson, b. Oct. 19, 1851, in Lindinah, Wis.

4780. iii. Flora Annette Stillson, b. Dec. 13, 1856.

[Eighth Generation.]

4768. iii. Garry Stillson (son of Orrin Stillson and Eliza Dwight), b. April 21, 1821, m. Nov. 11, 1847, Emily Desire Edson, b. Sept. 1, 1829, at Windsor, N. Y. (dau. of Harley Edson and Phebe Heath). He is a farmer and a man of active business pursuits at Binghamton, N. Y., where he has resided since 1857.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4781. i. Austin Brenville Stillson, b. in Kirkwood, N. Y., Sept. 7, 1849, m. Oct. 26, 1870, Frances Eliza Shane, b. in 1847 in Laurens, N. Y. (dau. of Jeremiah Shane and Mary Haight). They reside in Windsor, N. Y.

4782. ii. Garry Eugene Stillson, b. March 7, 1854, at Windsor.

4783. iii. Francelia Eliza Stillson, b. Aug. 31, 1856, at Windsor.

4784. iv. Robert Lincoln Stillson, b. at Binghamton, Nov. 12, 1864

[Eighth Generation.]

4769. iv. Reed Alonzo Stillson (son of Orrin Stillson and Eliza Dwight), b. Sept. 20, 1824, m. Oct. 21, 1846, Mary Ann Tracy, b. in Georgetown, Madison Co., N. Y., Nov. 23, 1829 (dau. of David Tracy and Martha Babcock). He was a dealer in jewelry and "an amiable and generous man," and resided at Plainfield, N. Y., where he d. Feb. 22, 1856. His widow has lived since 1862 in Binghamton, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4785. i. Clarence Delmont Stillson, b. April 1, 1850, m. Aug. 1, 1870, Margaret Thompson, b. July 17, 1851, at Wilson Hill, Chenango Co., N. Y., (dau. of John Thompson and Jeanette Colvell). He is in the employment of The American Express Co. at Binghamton, N. Y. They have one child:

4786. 1. Dwight Reed Stillson, b. April 7, 1871.

4787. ii. Mary Amelia Stillson, b. Nov. 15, 1853, d. Feb. 24, 1854.

[Eighth Generation.]

4771. vi. Sylvester Orrin Stillson, b. May 22, 1828, m. Feb. 21, 1851, Lucy Armlin, b. April 7, 1835 (dau. of Tunis Armlin of Huntersland, Schoharie Co., N. Y., and Charity Dexter): a farmer at Lindinah, Wis.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4788. i. Clara Deete Stillson, b. April 4, 1855.

4789. ii. Frank Arthur Stillson, b. Feb. 22, 1859.

4790. iii. Leon Sylvester Stillson, b. May 27, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

4753. ii. Lyman Dwight (son of Israel Dwight of Hartwick, N. Y., and Phebe Warriner), b. July 3, 1797, m. Jan. 2, 1822, Beulah Hamlin (dau. of Solomon Hamlin and ——— Monroe). He was a farmer at Sennett (Brutus), N. Y., and after 1837 at Troy Grove, La Salle Co., Ill., where he d. Oct. 5, 1839, "a man of rigid integrity and fidelity."

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

4791. i. Solomon Dwight, b. June 14, 1823.

4792. ii. Harriet Dwight, b. Sept. 24, 1825, m. William Youmans.

4793. iii. Lyman Dwight, Jr., b. July 18, 1831.

4791. i. Solomon Dwight, b. June 14, 1823, in Victory, N. Y., m. in 1848 Mariette Potter of Savannah, N. Y. She d. May 4, 1853, and he m. for 2d wife, in 1854, Mary Jane Cornell of Mentz, Wayne Co., N. Y. He is a mechanic in Jordan, Wayne Co., N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4794. i. James Henry Dwight, b. in Savannah, N. Y., June, 1850.

4795. ii. Harriet Dwight, b. there, Jan. 30, 1853.

*By second wife :*

4796. iii. Myron Dwight, b. in Clyde, N. Y., Dec. 1855.

4797. iv. Alice B. Dwight, b. in Savannah, Dec. 1857, d. in 1859.

4798. v. Alice Dwight, 2d, b. in Cato, N. Y., April 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

4792. ii. Harriet Dwight (dau. of Lyman Dwight and Beulah Hamlin), b. in Stirling, N. Y., Sept. 24, 1825, m. March 5, 1843, William Youmans of Kirkersville, Licking Co., O. He d. (date not given), and she m. for 2d husband, June 8, 1853, John James Hutchins, a mechanic in Savannah, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first marriage :*

4799. i. Ashley Youmans, b. in Savannah, N. Y., Feb. 21, 1846.

*By second marriage :*

4800. ii. Alice Hutchins, b. Jan. 15, 1854.

4801. iii. Arvilla Hutchins, b. Dec. 17, 1855.

[Eighth Generation.]

4793. iii. Lyman Dwight, Jr., b. in Sennett, N. Y., July 18, 1831, m. Feb. 7, 1854, Sarah A. Woodworth of Clyde, N. Y., b. at Princeton, Ind., July 29, 1831 (dau. of Samuel Woodworth and Hannah Sprague). He is a farmer, and has resided since 1866 at Battle Creek, Mich., where he has become of late a dealer in stock and shipper of provisions and fruit.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4802. i. Orrin Edgar Dwight, b. at S. Butler, N. Y., Oct. 30, 1854, and d. Nov. 29, 1854.

4803. ii. Flora Adeline Dwight, b. at Savannah, N. Y., April 6, 1856.

4804. iii. Frederic Lyman Dwight, b. at E. Leroy, Mich., May 5, 1864.

4805. iv. Eva Melissa Dwight, b. at Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 7, 1871.

4806. v. George Edward Dwight, b. there Sept. 11, 1868, d. Feb. 18, 1871.

[Seventh Generation.]

4754. iii. Harriet Dwight (dau. of Israel Dwight and Phebe Wariner), b. Jan. 15, 1799, m. Feb. 22, 1826, Spicer Sanders, b. March 10, 1799, in Westerley, R. I. (son of Stephen Sanders and Dorcas Sanders, dau. of Isaac Sanders). He was a farmer at Plainfield, N. Y., all his life except 4 years spent at New Brunswick, N. J. (1862-6). He d. aet. 72, May 24, 1871, in consequence of a fall from an apple-tree. He was a man of a quick and active mind and a close thinker, and suffered much in his later years from dyspepsia.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4807. i. Andrew Jackson Sanders, b. July 31, 1829, at Plainfield.

4808. ii. Dwight Sanders, b. Nov. 16, 1830, m. Oct. 3, 1860, Julia Parthena Robinson of Richfield, N. Y., b. in 1836 (dau. of John Robinson and Rebecca Smith). No issue. He was a farmer at Plainfield, N. Y. He d. Oct 12, 1865. "He was a man of quiet retiring habits, but firm in his principles and known only to be esteemed."

4809. iii. Harriet Sanders, b. there Sept. 13, 1832, m. Joseph S. Clark.

4810. iv. Ann. Sanders, b. Sept. 4, 1836, m. Samuel L. Smith.

4811. v. Eliza Sanders, b. March 29, 1841, m. William M. Johnston.

4807. i. Andrew Jackson Sanders, b. July 31, 1829, m. Oct. 2, 1855, Ann Augusta Hutchinson of Lassellsville, N. Y. (dau. of Major William Hutchinson and Elizabeth Lassell). He is a farmer and mechanic at Plainfield, N. Y. : has been town-clerk for 2 years and justice of the peace for 9.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4812. i. Lina Frances Sanders, b. Nov. 6, 1857.

4813. ii. John Carl Sanders, b. Dec. 12, 1859.

4814. iii. Kate Elizabeth Sanders, b. Jan. 19, 1864.

4815. iv. Twin sons, } d. Oct. 1, 1869.  
                  unnamed, } b. Sept. 20, 1869.

4816. v. — } d. Oct. 2, 1869.

[Eighth Generation.]

4809. iii. Harriet Sanders (dau. of Spicer Sanders and Harriet Dwight), b. Sept. 13, 1832, m. Oct. 13, 1852, Joseph Sherrill Clark, b. in Plainfield Dec. 8, 1827 (son of Alvit Clark and Sarah Davis), a mechanic in Milton, Wis. (since 1856), and previously in Leonardsville, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4817. i. Irving Benton Clark, b. Nov. 4, 1855, in Leonardsville.

4818. ii. Judson Dwight Clark, b. Sept. 21, 1867, in Milton, Wis.

4819. iii. Cora Clark, b. there July 12, 1869.

[Eighth Generation.]

4810. iv. Ann Sanders, b. Sept. 4, 1836, m. Sept. 6, 1859, Samuel Lyman Smith, b. Sept. 16, 1831 (son of Samuel Smith of Winfield, N. Y., and Mary Ann Bartlett), a farmer at West Winfield, Herkimer Co., N. Y., where his children were all born.

[Ninth Generation.]

4820. i. Eva Anna Smith, b. Aug. 30, 1862.

4821. ii. Arthur Larkin Smith, b. Oct. 3, 1863.

4822. iii. Harriet Dwight Smith, b. Aug. 14, 1865.

4823. iv. Laura Bertha Smith, b. Dec. 29, 1868.



4824. v. Cora Ermina Smith, b. Feb. 10, 1872.

[Eighth Generation.]

4811. v. Eliza Sanders (dau. of Spicer Sanders and Harriet Dwight), b. March 29, 1841, was associate-principal of a seminary for young ladies at Hornellsville, N. Y., with Miss Mary Dwight (1865-7). She m. Aug. 25, 1870, William McCollum Johnston (son of William Johnston, of Glasgow, Scotland formerly, and more recently of St. Charles, Ill., and Jean Beath), b. in Glasgow, Feb. 19, 1839, a lawyer at Chicago, Ill., of the firm, previously to the great fire, of "Vervev, Anthony & Galt." They have one child:

4825. 1. William Sanders Johnston, b. May 12, 1871.

[Seventh Generation.]

4755. iv. Jedediah Bushnell Dwight (son of Israel Dwight and Phebe Warriner), b. Aug. 1, 1801, m. May 15, 1829, Sarah Marvin, b. at Laurens, N. Y., Aug. 29, 1806 (dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth Marvin of Kirkwood, N. Y.). He was a farmer at Kirkwood, where his children were all born, but since 1870 has resided at Binghamton, N. Y. She d. July 1873 of apoplexy.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4826. i. Mary Elizabeth Dwight, b. April 12, 1830, m. John D. Rush.

4827. ii. Martha Louisa Dwight, b. Sept. 15, 1831, m. Dec. 1849, William James Johnson, b. Dec. 25, 1822 (son of James Johnson and Harriet Taber), resides in Binghamton. They have had one child:

4828. 1. Alice Johnson, b. Jan. 1, 1852, m. Jan. 1, 1869, Oliver Watson, a shoe manufacturer in Binghamton, N. Y.

4829. iii. Joseph Bushnell Dwight, b. June 19, 1833, d. Dec. 26, 1861.

4830. iv. Amanda Melvina Dwight, b. Sept. 15, 1836, m. S. Green.

4831. v. Harriet Eliza Dwight, b. Sept. 24, 1840, m. W. D. Rush.

4832. vi. Sarah Maria Dwight, b. Aug. 4, 1843, m. G. H. Roberts.

4826. i. Mary Elizabeth Dwight, b. April 12, 1830, m. Nov. 25, 1853, John De Grasse Rush, b. in Vestal, N. Y., Nov. 15, 1825 (son of John Rush and Susan Weston), a farmer at Vestal, Broome Co., N. Y., and engaged in lumbering there. He was an Union soldier in the late war.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4833. i. Lois Amanda Rush, b. at Vestal, Aug. 23, 1855.

4834. ii. Devolson Joseph Rush, b. June 9, 1858.

4835. iii. John Henry Rush, b. Dec. 16, 1860.

4836. iv. Martha Lettie Rush, b. May 21, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

4829. iii. Joseph Bushnell Dwight (son of Jedediah Bushnell Dwight and Sarah Marvin), b. June 19, 1833, enlisted Sept. 1861, as

an Union soldier in the late war, in the 27th N. Y. Regt., and was engaged in active duty under Genl. Slocum until Dec. 1861, when he d. (Dec. 26) of fever at Alexandria, Va. His remains were deposited among those of his kindred at Windsor, N. Y.

He left a pleasant home, abounding in every comfort, because desiring and determined to do his whole duty to his country. When he met at last that foe which no man can conquer and laid down his life among strangers, it was with the strong regret that he could serve the great cause at stake no longer. "He was doing a good business and had held already several positions of importance in his native town, but these and whatever else was outwardly agreeable to him he nobly sacrificed at once to the call which he felt that his country made for the best possible service of his heart and hand. He himself wrote to a dear relative after reaching Washington that *he thought it to be as much one's duty, to support the government and institutions of the country, as it was to support one's own family.*"

[Eighth Generation.]

4830. iv. Amanda Melvina Dwight (dau. of Jedediah Bushnell Dwight and Sarah Marvin), b. Sept. 15, 1836, m. April 29, 1855, Samuel Green, b. Feb. 2, 1831, in Liberty, Pa. (son of Samuel Buskirk Green, b. in Baltimore, Md., Oct. 28, 1790, and Sarah Hart, b. in Brandywine Hundred, Del., Aug. 1, 1792), a farmer in New Milford, Susquehanna Co., Pa.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4837. i. Joseph Adelbert Green, b. at Kirkwood, N. Y., July 11, 1856.

4838. ii. John Byron Green, b. Aug. 3, 1859, at New Milford, Pa.

4839. iii. Lois Anna Green, b. there March 23, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

4831. v. Harriet Eliza Dwight (dau. of Jedediah Bushnell Dwight and Sarah Marvin), b. Sept. 24, 1840, m. Dec. 10, 1858, William De La Fayette Rush, a farmer in Vestal, N. Y., b. Nov. 17, 1829 (son of John Rush and Susan Weston, and brother to John D. Rush, who m. her sister, Mary Elizabeth). He was for 2 years an Union soldier in the late war.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4840. i. Sarah Serena Rush, b. May 9, 1861.

4841. ii. Joseph Adelbert Rush, b. March 17, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

4832. vi. Sarah Maria Dwight (dau. of Jedediah Bushnell Dwight and Sarah Marvin), b. Aug. 4, 1843, m. Dec. 28, 1863, Gilbert Hamilton Roberts, then of Kirkwood, N. Y., b. in Bridgewater, Pa., April

29, 1831 (son of Hart Roberts and Celinda Latserd), a blacksmith at Montrose, Pa.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

4842. i. Nelly Deete Roberts, b. April 29, 1865, in Kirkwood.

4843. ii. Harriet Roberts, b. in Rush, Pa., Oct. 16, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 701.

4756. v. Sylvester Warriner Dwight (son of Israel Dwight and Sarah Porter, his 2d wife), b. Nov. 26, 1804, m. March 27, 1833, Elizabeth Stewart, b. in Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 15, 1807 (dau. of Josiah Stewart and Mercy Chapman). He is a farmer at Addison, Steuben Co., N. Y. She d. Aug. 19, 1865, aet. 58. "She was an intellectual woman with fine sensibilities, and full of sunshine in her household." He m. Oct. 20, 1869, for a 2d wife, widow Seraphina Baker, *née* Smith of Corning, N. Y., b. Dec. 1, 1837, at Watertown, N. Y., widow of George Payne Baker of Corning, N. Y. (only son of Dea. David Baker of that place), and dau. of Elias Howard Smith, now of Corning, and Polly Parker.

Her first marriage occurred Sept. 8, 1858, and her first husband d. at Washington, D. C., Aug. 4, 1862. He was Quartermaster Sergeant in the 186th N. Y. Regt. in the late war.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4844. i. Sylvester Frederic Dwight, b. March 27, 1836.

4845. ii. Martha Stewart Dwight, b. Sept. 2, 1841.

4844. i. Sylvester Frederic Dwight, b. March 27, 1836, entered in 1858 the Freshman class in Hillsdale College, Mich. He enlisted May 31, 1861, in Battery A of the 1st Mich. Regt. Light Artillery. Promotion was offered him, but he preferred the business of a practical canonier, sighting the guns himself, to any office, for effective usefulness, and so of heartfelt pleasure to him. He fought under Genl. Geo. B. McClellan, and also under Genls. O. M. Mitchell and D. C. Buell in Kentucky and Tennessee. At the battle of Stone River, Tenn., he wrote, Dec. 31, 1862 : "I started to go into action, but was ordered to the wagon-train, as I was unfit for duty from sickness (chronic diarrhoea) ; before reaching which I saw the rebel cavalry charge and capture it, when I made my way to the left to a temporary hospital, on which the rebels charged the next day (Jan. 1, 1863) and captured all its inmates. As I was unable to march, they placed me on a horse and took me to Murfreesboro, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Montgomery, and thence back to Atlanta, Knoxville and Lynchburgh, to Richmond, Va., where they confined me in Libby Prison until Jan. 29th, when I was put on the flag-of-truce boat at City Point. I started for home, on reaching which my own father and mother did not know me—so changed was I from sickness and exposure—and were not willing to

keep me over night, until I told them that I was their son. In June 1863 I was exchanged, and joined anew the Army of the Cumberland at Murfreesboro, and marched on with my old battery to Chattanooga. During my connection with Loomis' Battery for 3 years, I was in all the battles and nearly all the skirmishes in which it was engaged."

He was mustered out of service, May 31, 1864, and returned to Hillsdale Coll., where he was grad. in 1865, when he entered the law department of The University of Michigan, where he was grad. March 1867. After a short practice of his profession at Big Rapids, Mich., he removed to Hersey, Osceola Co., Mich. He m. June 8, 1869, Jeanie Dyer, b. at Abbeville, O., July 12, 1838 (dau. of Samuel B. Dyer of Hillsdale, and Eliza F. Locke). He is the prosecuting attorney for Osceola Co., Mich.

[Seventh Generation.]

4757. vi. Horace Dewey Dwight (son of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y., and Sarah Porter, his 2d wife), b. May 25, 1806, m. Jan. 31, 1833, Lovira Hoadley of Windsor, N. Y., b. Sept. 18, 1814 (dau. of Russell Barnes Hoadley and Lucy Clark), who d. of consumption July 15, 1846. He m. for 2d wife, Jan. 3, 1849, widow Abigail Hill, *née* Beecher, b. Oct. 3, 1802 (dau. of Justin Beecher of Cheshire, Ct., and Sarah Hotchkiss). He is a farmer at Kirkwood, N. Y. He had one child by his first wife.

[Eighth Generation.]

*By first wife:*

4846. i. Helen Marr Dwight, b. at Windsor, N. Y., March 15, 1835, m. Dec. 11, 1854, Isaac Bird, b. March 4, 1822, in Salisbury, Ct. (son of James Bird and Susan Dauchy), a farmer in Kirkwood.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4847. i. James Dwight Bird, b. there May 12, 1859.

4848. ii. Jessie Lovira Bird, b. Oct. 25, 1867.

4849. iii. Russell Hoadley Bird, b. May 15, 1871.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 701.

4758. vii. Alonzo Dwight (son of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y., and Sarah Porter), b. April 22, 1808, m. Oct. 14, 1835, Betsey Hoadley, b. at Windsor, N. Y., Dec. 18, 1816 (dau. of Russell Barnes Hoadley and Lucy Clark). He was a large and wealthy farmer at Windsor, N. Y., and an active business operator in other ways—his business being widely ramified and very successful. He was a man of great executive abilities. For a few years preceding his death he resided at Binghamton, N. Y. (1864-7). His wife Betsey d. Nov. 24, 1852, and he m. for a 2d wife, March 3, 1853, her sister (who was also sister to Mrs. Horace Dewey Dwight, his brother), widow Adelia Ben-



nett, *née* Hoadley, widow of Worden Bennett of Binghamton, b. 1812. He d. Oct. 25, 1867, of a protracted and very painful disease of the stomach, aet. 59. Mrs. Betsey Dwight was "a woman of great loveliness, and of much happiness, and died full of joy in Christ." His widow resides still in Binghamton (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

4850. i. Col. Walton Dwight, b. Dec. 20, 1837.

4851. ii. Webster Dwight, b. Dec. 21, 1840.

4852. iii. Lucy Amelia Dwight, b. Sept. 6, 1845, m. Oct. 23, 1867, Seymour Coleman, Jr., b. at Schuylerville, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1840 (son of Rev. Seymour Coleman of Williamsport, Pa., and Sophia Thorp), grad. at The Albany Law School in 1862. He was an Union soldier in the late war for 4 months, in the 1st Wisconsin Regt. He was engaged for some years in lumbering at Williamsport, Pa., and afterwards at Saginaw, Mich. He resides now in Chicago, and is a dealer in stocks.

4853. iv. Sarah Adelia Dwight, b. Oct. 17, 1850, m. Dec. 20, 1871, Warren Leroy Ayer, M.D., b. June 6, 1842, in Apalachin, Susquehanna Co., Pa. (son of Dea. Isaac Ayer and Mary Ann Thurber), grad. at The Long Island Med. Coll., in Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1870, a physician in Owego, N. Y.

*By second wife :*

4854. v. Betsey ("Bessie") Viola Dwight, b. March 14, 1854, m. May 1, 1873, Theodore F. McDonald, b. in Fenton, Broome Co., N. Y. (then Chenango), July 20, 1845 (son of Asa McDonald and Elizabeth Aytes). He was 2d Sergeant in Co. K, 179th N. Y. Regt., in the late war, and was taken prisoner near Petersburg, Va., Sept. 30, 1864, and kept in the Libby and Pemberton prisons in Richmond, Va., and at Salisbury, N. C., until March 2, 1865. In June 1865 he was mustered out of the service at Elmira.

He was grad. at The Albany Law School, March 1867, and since May of that year has been a practising lawyer at Binghamton, N. Y. Since 1868 he has been elected regularly each year clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Broome Co.

4855. vi. Ward Alonzo Dwight, b. Aug. 1, 1855.

4850. i. Col. Walton Dwight, b. Dec. 20, 1837, entered the Union army in the late war as captain of a company, and himself raised a large number of recruits in Potter, Tioga and Elk counties, Pa., contributing greatly towards the formation of the 149th Pennsylvania Regt. (or the 2d Bucktail Regt.), which he drilled, and with which he fought in 18 different engagements, the heaviest of which were those at Chancellorsville, Fredericksburgh, Antietam and Gettysburgh. At the place last named, he was severely wounded, and resigned in consequence his com-

mission, in April 1864. He passed while in the army through successive degrees of promotion, from being captain to becoming major, lt. colonel and colonel.

He m. July 12, 1864, Anna Nichols Deusenbury, b. at Windsor, N. Y. (dau. of George Deusenbury and Ruth Whitmore). He resides in Binghamton, N. Y., and is a dealer in all kinds of manufactured lumber, and is interested also in coal lands in Pennsylvania, real estate in Chicago, Ill., and timber-lands in Canada. He was in 1871-3 Mayor of the city of Binghamton. He has one child:

4856. 1. Frank Dwight, b. Aug. 8, 1868.

4851. ii. Webster Dwight (son of Alonzo Dwight, Esq., and Betsey Hoadley), b. Dec. 21, 1840, enlisted as an Union soldier in the late war in the 27th N. Y. Regt., Sept. 1861, and d. at "The Ladies' Home, N. Y.," June 24, 1862. One of his comrades wrote thus of him to his friends after his decease: "The members of our company are saddened by the news of the death of one of its most esteemed members, Webster Dwight. He left a large number of friends and a most comfortable home with his wealthy parents for none but patriotic reasons. He had a genial and attractive nature. He was attentive to duty while in camp, and in the engagement at West Point, Va., and he behaved as a brave soldier should. I stood beside him in the hour of danger, and can testify to his coolness and bravery. God ordered that he should not die from the effects of the traitors' lead. The members of Co. D will cherish his memory while life shall last."

He was one of the sick that came up on "The Daniel Webster," soon after the battle of West Point on the Peninsula.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 701.

4759. viii. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y., and Sarah Porter), b. May 21, 1810, m. Jan. 31, 1832, George Washington Guernsey Judd, b. May 10, 1810 (son of Rev. Gaylord Judd of Candor, N. Y., and Sarah Higley of Windsor, N. Y.), a farmer in Alleghany, Potter Co., Pa. He has been justice of peace since 1840, by successive re-elections at each time that his office has expired. He has recently removed to Colesburgh, Pa.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4857. i. Sarah Jane Judd, b. at Windsor, N. Y., Oct. 2, 1832, a teacher and unmarried (1872).

4858. ii. Clark Gaylord Judd, b. at Painted Post, N. Y., Oct. 26, 1833, was an engineer for some years at Titusville, Pa., but resides now (1872) at Alleghany, Pa., unmarried.

4859. iii. Daniel Higley Judd, b. Feb. 8, 1835, at Addison, N. Y., entered the Union army in July 1861, and was captain in the 147th

Penn. Regt. He marched to the battle of Ball's Bluff, arriving just as the U. S. forces were re-crossing the river. A severe storm came on and they were without tents. The long march and great exposure during the night induced disease, and in a few days he had to become the inmate of a hospital at Washington, where he d. of a typhoid fever, Nov. 10, 1861. His remains rest with those of many of his comrades in "The Soldiers' Home Cemetery" in Washington.

4860. iv. Althaea Louisa Judd, } m. John G. Benseley,  
   b. at Alleghany, Pa. } twins, b. Sept. 13, 1838,  
 4861. v. Mary Lowatie Judd, } m. Peter J. Green.

4860. iv. Althaea Louisa Judd, b. Sept. 13, 1838, m. Oct. 1, 1864, John Gaskin Benseley, b. July 30, 1831 (son of John Benseley of Barton, Tioga Co., N. Y., and Mary Ross), a farmer at Pike, Bradford Co., Pa., and more recently at Rushville, Pa.

[Ninth generation.] Children:

4862. i. George Judd Benseley, b. at Barton, N. Y., Aug. 4, 1865.  
 4863. ii. Myrtie Belle Benseley, b. Aug. 5, 1868.  
 4864. iii. John Orrie Benseley, b. Aug. 28, 1872.

[Eighth Generation.]

4861. v. Mary Lowatie Judd, b. Sept. 13, 1838, m. May 6, 1863, Peter James Green, b. at Athens, Bradford Co., Pa., Feb. 8, 1835 (son of James Green and Lucy Billings), a farmer at Hebron, Potter Co., Pa.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4865. i. Porter Judd Green, b. at Hebron, Aug. 26, 1864.  
 4866. ii. Julius Higley Green, b. at Hebron, Dec. 27, 1865.  
 4867. iii. Alonzo Dwight Green, b. there April 23, 1867.  
 4868. iv. James Clark Green, b. there Nov. 9, 1868.  
 4869. v. Evangeline Adella Green, b. Oct. 6, 1870, at Hebron.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 701.

4760. ix. Clarissa Dwight (dau. of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y., and Sarah Porter), b. June 18, 1812, m. March 17, 1831, Lyman Wilmot of Greenwood, Steuben Co. N. Y., b. at Colesville, N. Y., July 22, 1806 (son of Jesse Wilmot and Hannah Bunnell), a farmer since 1840 at Deerfield Lake Co., Ill., and previously at Greenwood.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4870. i. Virgil Wilmot, b. June 9, 1834.  
 4871. ii. Adelia Bunnell Wilmot, b. Nov. 1, 1835, d. Nov. 8, 1835.  
 4872. iii. Adelia Wilmot, b. Dec. 20, 1836, m. Philip Gutzler.  
 4873. iv. Levi Davis Wilmot, b. Jan. 4, 1839, at Greenwood.  
 4874. v. Lyman Wilmot, b. at Deerfield, Ill., April 25, 1841, resides in Chicago, and is agent for a firm there.

4875. vi. Mary Wilmot, b. July 2, 1843, m. Hiram R. Bennett.

4876. vii. Harriet Wilmot, b. June 28, 1845, d. Aug. 12, 1846.

4877. viii. Roswell Wilmot, b. July 12, 1847, m. Nov. 20, 1870, Miranda C. Adams: a farmer (1874) at Buffalo Park, Colorado.

4878. ix. Dwight Porter Wilmot, b. Aug. 16, 1849, a farmer at Buffalo Park, Colorado.

4879. x. Ellen Eliza Wilmot, b. July 19, 1852.

4880. xi. Warren Henry Wilmot, b. Oct. 6, 1855.

4870. i. Virgil Wilmot, b. June 9, 1834. He enlisted Oct. 5, 1861, in the 45th Ill. Regt., and was in many engagements in the Southwest, and with Sherman in his long march from Tennessee, through Alabama, Georgia and the two Carolinas, to Richmond, Va. He was mustered out of the service at Savannah, Ga., Dec. 1864. He m. Sept. 24, 1868, Sarah Esther Hunter of Steuben, Marshall Co., Ill. He was a farmer at La Prairie, Ill.; but is now (1874) a tanner at Richmond, Iowa.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4881. i. Otis Virgil Wilmot, b. April 2, 1870, at Richmond, Iowa.

4882. ii. Charles Wilmot, b. there Aug. 1, 1871.

[Eighth Generation.]

4872. iii. Adelia Wilmot (dau. of Lyman Wilmot and Clarissa Dwight), b. Dec. 20, 1836, m. July 29, 1857, Philip Gutzler, b. April 2, 1830 (son of Philip Gutzler of Gerstheim, Alsace, Germany, and Elizabeth Hetzel), a large and active farmer in Deerfield, Ill.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4883. i. Harriet Emma Gutzler, b. May 24, 1858.

4884. ii. Frank Herbert Gutzler, b. March 25, 1860.

4885. iii. George Henry Gutzler, b. March 23, 1862.

4886. iv. Charles Levi Gutzler, b. April 3, 1864.

4887. v. Lyman Willis Gutzler, b. Feb. 27, 1866.

4888. vi. Frances Ella Gutzler, b. Aug. 10, 1868, d. Sept. 26, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.]

4873. iv. Levi Davis Wilmot, b. Jan. 4, 1839, entered the Union Army, July 16, 1861, as second sergeant in the 47th Ill. Regt. He was at the fall of Vicksburgh, Miss., and participated in many engagements, from all of which he escaped unharmed, although at Shiloh five bullets passed through his clothing, until the battle of Old Lake, La., when he was struck by a bullet in one of his limbs, and crippled for life. He was mustered out of the service at Springfield, Ill., Oct. 1864. He m. Feb. 27, 1866, Sarah Adelaide Hodgkins, b. May 14, 1844, in Vernon, Lake Co., Ill. (dau. of Henry Hodgkins and Julia White). He is a hardware merchant at Lacon, Ill.



[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4889. i. Ellen Amelia Wilmot, b. at La Prairie, Ill., July 16, 1868.

4890. ii. Wilbur Watson Wilmot, } d. May 16, 1872.  
   } twins, b. March 28, 1872.

4891. iii. Winnifred Willetta Wilmot, }

[Eighth Generation.]

4875. vi. Mary Wilmot (dau. of Lyman Wilmot and Clarissa Dwight), b. July 2, 1843, was a teacher for a few years in a public school. She m. May 10, 1865, Hiram Rosalin Bennett, b. at Oswego, N. Y., March 7, 1842 (son of Reuben James Bennett and Alta Haskins), a tanner in Alden, Hardin Co., Iowa (since 1868).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4892. i. Norman Dwight Bennett, b. at Deerfield, Ill., March 11, 1866.

4893. ii. Mabel Cora Bennett, b. June 29, 1868, in Alden.

4894. iii. Murray Wilmot Bennett, b. Oct. 28, 1871.

[Seventh Generation.]

4762. xi. Mary Dwight (dau. of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y. and Sarah Porter), b. July 4, 1817, has spent her life since 1836 (aet. 19) in teaching at different places in New York and Pennsylvania. Those places have been, in their order, Windsor, N. Y.; Cowdersport, Pa.; Kirkwood, Addison and Colesville, all of New York; Harmony, Pa.; Hancock, N. Y.; Abington, Pa.; Corning and Binghamton, N. Y.—up to the year 1855. From 1855 to 1868 she was principal and proprietor of a Young Ladies' Seminary at Hornellsville, N. Y. (Steuben Co.). She has taught, in all, some 3,000 pupils or more. She was (1872-3) a teacher in the Collegiate Institute at E. Greenbush, N. Y. (near Albany). She is now (1874) residing in Corning, N. Y. No helper of the great undertaking had in hand for years by the author of this history of the descendants of John Dwight of Dedham, has assisted him with more generous, painstaking, unabated earnestness of good-will to the cause than she. It is to her comprehensive and thorough researches into the history of the posterity of Joseph Dwight and Lydia Dewey of Cincinnati, N. Y., that the fine account here produced of them is due. Let her memory be ever fresh in the hearts of all who cherish a tender and reverent sense of the high moral worth of our kindred. Not content with her labors in tracing out for this work the widely ramified growth of her own special branch of the family, for 3 and 4 generations, she also sent to the author quite a handsome number of subscriptions for the book, obtained by her own personal application.

[Seventh Generation.]

4763. xii. Norman Dwight (son of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N.

Y., and Sarah Porter), b. May 5, 1819, m. Jan. 1, 1855, widow Harriet Weaver, *née* Chamberlain, b. in Angelica, N. Y., April 12, 1819 (dau. of Elijah Chamberlain and Jane Reynolds). She was for several years a teacher in Alleghany, N. Y., between the dates of her two marriages. He is a farmer in Hebron, Potter Co., Pa., and is engaged in lumbering. He has no children.

4764. xiii. Chester Dwight, b. Sept. 27, 1821, m. March 27, 1851, Mariette Langdon, b. at Salisbury, Ct., Dec. 6, 1829 (dau. of David Moore Langdon and Harriet Whitmore). He was a farmer at Windsor, N. Y., on the old homestead, until April 1870, since which time he has resided at Kirkwood, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4895. i. Harriet Matilda Dwight, b. Dec. 5, 1852.

4896. ii. Ralph Langdon Dwight, b. Aug. 26, 1855.

4897. iii. Myron Chester Dwight, b. Jan. 5, 1858.

4898. iv. Norman Porter Dwight, b. May 2, 1861.

4899. v. Mary Evarts Dwight, b. Dec. 8, 1863.

[Seventh Generation.]

4765. xiv. Orson Dwight (son of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y., and Sarah Porter), b. Aug. 10, 1824, m. at Hornellsville, N. Y., Dec. 23, 1868, Chloe Oveida Roffe of Cameron, Steuben Co., N. Y., b. at Jerusalem, N. Y., June 30, 1843 (dau. of Thomas Rogers Roffe and Amanda Wilson Canfield). He is a farmer at Alleghany, Potter Co., Pa.

[Eighth generation.] Children:

4900. i. Jenny Oveida Dwight, b. Oct. 3, 1869.

4901. ii. Sally Amanda Dwight, b. May 14, 1871.

The whole number of the descendants of Israel Dwight of Windsor, N. Y. (No. 4683. iii.), in the 6th generation is, to the date of the present writing (July 1873), as here recorded, 149.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4684. iv. Josiah Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., of Cincinnati, N. Y., and Lydia Dewey), b. at Gr. Barrington, Mass., Aug. 15, 1772, was a farmer at Cincinnati, N. Y. He m. Ruth Seymour of Stockbridge, Mass. She d. without issue, 1801-2, and he m. April 7, 1803, for 2d wife, Abigail Fish, b. at Stillwater, N. Y., Feb. 7, 1782 (dau. of Ephraim Fish and Mary Potter). She d. in Lyme, O., April 4, 1854, aet. 72. He d. at Preston, Chenango Co., N. Y., May 11, 1858, aet. 85, at the house of his son Dr. Thomas Dwight, while there on a visit.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4902. i. Maria Antoinette Dwight, b. Jan. 23, 1804, m. Israel

Daniels, and for a 2d husband Dr. David McCracken, and d. Nov. 25, 1868.

4903. ii. George Dwight, b. Jan. 2, 1805, lives at Pensaukie, Wis.

4904. iii. Delos Dwight, b. Feb. 22, 1807, lives at Elkhorn, Minn.

4905. iv. Salmon Harrison Dwight, b. July 22, 1809, lives at Tecumseh, Mich.

4906. v. Charles Dwight, b. Sept. 10, 1810, lives at Van Buren, Ind.

4907. vi. Perlina Dwight, b. April 12, 1814, m. Dec. 30, 1839, Andrew West, b. in Easton, Washington Co., N. Y., Feb. 25, 1805, a tanner and currier at Lyme, O. He d. Aug. 30, 1865, aet. 60. She resides (1873) at Findlay, O. They had one son:

4908. 1. George Dwight West, b. in Lyme, O., Sept. 28, 1846, resides in Topeka, Kansas.

4909. vii. Orpha Dwight, b. Feb. 12, 1816, m. Ezra R. Livermore, and lives at Pensaukie, Wis.

4910. viii. Thomas Dwight, M.D., b. Sept. 1, 1817, m. Feb. 1, 1849, Almira Throop (dau. of Dan and Sarah Throop). She d. of consumption, without issue, June 11, 1873. He is a physician at Preston, Chenango Co., N. Y.

4911. ix. Wilson Dwight, b. June 1, 1819, resides at Clyde, O.

4912. x. Ephraim Fish Dwight, b. June, 23, 1821, lives in Lincoln, Missouri.

4913. xi. Rensselaer Dwight, b. Oct. 3, 1824, lives in Lincoln, Mo.

4902. i. Maria Antoinette Dwight, b. Jan. 23, 1804, m. April 1827, Capt. Israel Daniels, a hotel-keeper in Rochester, N. Y. (1827-35). He d. Jan. 28, 1835. She m. for 2d husband, 1839, without issue, Dr. David McCracken of Rochester. He d. July 1840. She d. at Pensaukie, Wis., Nov. 25, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

4914. i. Julia Anna Daniels, b. Nov. 7, 1828, m. July 1848, Horatio G. Talbot of Fabius, N. Y. He is a mechanic, living (1873) in Berlin, Wis. She d. Dec. 2, 1870, at Racine, Wis., where they then resided. He has several children.

4915. ii. Maria Antoinette Daniels, b. March 19, 1831, m. Dec. 14, 1848, John Rogers, a mechanic in Coburg, Canada, afterwards (1850-2) in Sandusky City, O., where he d. of cholera Aug. 10, 1852. She m. April 26, 1855, Dr. William H. Armstrong (son of Joseph Armstrong of Washington Co., N. Y., and Margaret Tilford), an eclectic physician in Findlay, O. She still (1873) resides there, where she has lived since 1853. He d. of rheumatism of the heart at Findlay, Sept. 4, 1858.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first marriage :*

4916. i. George Israel Rogers, b. Feb. 7, 1850, d. Dec. 25, 1854.

*By second marriage :*

4917. ii. Laura Alice Armstrong, b. Jan. 25, 1857, d. Oct. 9, 1872.

4918. iii. William H. Armstrong, b. March 19, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.]

4903. ii. George Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight and Abigail Fish), b. Jan. 20, 1805, m. Jan. 20, 1830, Nancy Getman, b. at Cooperstown, N. Y., Aug. 4, 1810 (dau. of George and Polly Getman, of German, N. Y.). He was a farmer at Independence, Alleghany Co., N. Y. (Spring Mills) for many years (1835-67). Since 1867 he has resided at Pensaukie, Oconto Co., Wis., and is a cattle-dealer and speculator generally. She d. Nov. 25, 1843, aet. 33.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4919. i. Porter Dwight, b. April 29, 1831, in German, N. Y., d. at Independence, N. Y., Nov. 15, 1852, aet. 21.

4920. ii. Maria Dwight, b. Oct. 2, 1832, in Cincinnati, N. Y., m. March 15, 1852, Benjamin Franklin Colvin, b. Jan. 10, 1826, at Steuben, Oneida Co., N. Y. (son of Judge Gaylord Colvin and Ruth Colvin of Spring Mills, N. Y.), a farmer at Bingham, Potter Co., Pa. (1852-61). She has been legally divorced from him, and resumed her original name as Mrs. Maria Dwight, and resides at Osceola, Pa. Two children :

4921. 1. Charles Porter Colvin, b. at Bingham, Pa., April 25, 1853, a farmer at Osceola, Tioga Co., Pa.

4922. 2. Ida Levancha Colvin, b. Jan. 12, 1856, m. Feb. 2, 1873, William McCaslin, a farmer in Osceola, b. 1846.

4923. iii. Leonard Dwight, b. Jan. 2, 1835, is a farmer in Winnebago, Faribault Co., Minn. He m. Has 2 children.

4924. iv. Charles Dwight, b. Dec. 12, 1837. He m. Hannah Maloney, b. about 1838. He was an overseer of a lumber yard at Grand Rapids, Mich. He d. Dec. 10, 1871. His widow resides there still. He left one child :

4925. 1. Hannah Alice Dwight, b. Nov. 1, 1871.

4926. v. Abigail Dwight, b. Dec. 10, 1838, d. March 20, 1839.

4927. vi. Elizabeth Dwight, b. Dec. 29, 1839, d. at Independence, Dec. 29, 1861, aet. 22.

4928. vii. Mary Dwight, b. Dec. 12, 1841, m. Nov. 18, 1863, John Young, b. Nov. 8, 1840, in W. Union, Steuben Co., N. Y. (son of William and Harriet E. Young), a farmer at Greenwood, Steuben Co., N. Y. Two children :

4929. 1. Frank Dwight Young, b. Nov. 7, 1866.



4930. 2. William George Young, b. Sept. 2, 1869.

4931. viii. Lydia Nancy Dwight, b. Oct. 2, 1843, m. June 17, 1867, John Jones Patterson, b. in Brockwayville, Jefferson Co., Pa., Sept. 12, 1843 (son of John Patterson and Isabel Smith). He is clerk in a store at Brookville, Jeff. Co., Pa.: has two children:

4932. 1. Dwight Ulysses Patterson, b. April 21, 1868.

4933. 2. Cara Bell Patterson, b. May 24, 1870.

[Seventh Generation.]

4904. iii. Delos Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight and Abigail Fish), b. Feb. 22, 1807, m. She d. Jan. 29, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Ralph Dwight, b. Aug. 20, 1832, in Wolcott, N. Y.

\*\*\*\* ii. Ursula Laverne Dwight, b. Feb. 19, 1835, in Cincinnatus, N. Y., m. in 1855 William Jacob Fox, a farmer in Pa., who d. Jan. 1866, and she m. for 2d husband, Dec. 1866, George Estes Myron of Oswego, Potter Co., Pa., a farmer.

She has had by her first marriage:

\*\*\*\* 1. Dolly Eliza Fox, b. Nov. 27, 1856.

\*\*\*\* 2. Mary Fox, b. in 1862, d. in 1863.

\*\*\*\* iii. Lydia Ann Dwight, b. Oct. 21, 1836, in Cincinnatus, m. in 1857 Harry Rathbone, a farmer in Kedron, Fillmore Co., Minn. They have two children: William and Frank.

\*\*\*\* iv. Charles Ashbel Dwight, b. in Potter Co., Pa., May 3, 1839, m. Oct. 30, 1864, Sibyl McCann (dau. of John McCann of Waucoma, Fayette Co., Iowa). He is a farmer at Waucoma. Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Alice Dwight, b. June 13, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frank Dwight, b. Dec. 26, 1870.

\*\*\*\* 3. Addie Dwight, b. May, 1873.

\*\*\*\* v. Daniel Wortman Dwight, b. Dec. 2, 1841, m. July 2, 1871, Frances Owen of Chatfield, Minn. Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Ada Dwight, b. Aug. 11, 1872.

\*\*\*\* 2. (A son) Dwight, b. Sept. 26, 1873.

\*\*\*\* vi. Orpha Dwight, b. March 15, 1844, in Pa., m. Daniel C. Hendershot, a blacksmith in Hamilton, Minn. (son of Charles and Caroline Hendershot of that place). Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Dwight Hendershot, b. in 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Charles Hendershot, b. in 1866.

\*\*\*\* 3. Ursula Hendershot, b. in 1871.

\*\*\*\* 4. William Hendershot, b. in 1873.

\*\*\*\* vii. Dorr Dwight, b. May 17, 1850, in Pa., m. Flora Williams of Perryville, Pa. He is a farmer.

\*\*\*\* viii. Frank Dwight, b. Feb. 15, 1853, in Pa., d. in Minn., May 1870.

\*\*\*\* 1. Ralph Dwight (son of Delos Dwight), b. Aug. 20, 1832, m. June 26, 1853, Nancy Catharine Ham (dau. of Jacob Ham of Throopsburgh, Steuben Co., N. Y., and Caroline Cornell). He is a farmer at Cedar Falls, Iowa, and previously at Hamilton, Minn. Children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Ida Dwight, b. July 30, 1856, m. Nov. 24, 1872, Michael McMurray, a farmer at Cedar Falls, Iowa (son of John McMurray and Ellen —).

\*\*\*\* 2. Delos Dwight, b. Jan. 24, 1859.

\*\*\*\* 3. Rensselaer Dwight, b. April 9, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 4. Frank Dwight, b. April 17, 1870.

[Seventh Generation.]

4905. iv. Salmon Harrison Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight, 3d, and Abigail Fish), b. July 25, 1809, m. Feb. 28, 1827, Huldah Kingman of Cincinnati, N. Y., b. 1809 (dau. of George Washburn Kingman and Semantha Isbel). He is a house-painter and has lived in different places in New York and Ohio. He is now (1873) at Tecumseh, Mich. She resides at Elkhart, Ind.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4934. i. Giles W. Dwight, b. in Cincinnati, July 14, 1828, m. Jan. 7, 1864, Minnie Seaver Campbell, b. March 4, 1839, at Mason, N. H. (dau. of Russell Campbell and Elizabeth Gates). He is a fruit-dealer and nurseryman at Clyde, O. (since 1863).

4935. ii. Charles Dwight, b. Nov. 18, 1830, in Independence, N. Y., d. April 18, 1832.

4936. iii. Salome Maria Dwight, b. there March 9, 1832, m. Jan. 1, 1851, William Moody Case, b. Nov. 26, 1825 (son of Jeremiah and Salome Case), a printer, who d. without issue, Aug. 7, 1854, at Swanton, O. She m. for 2d husband, June 29, 1859, Cephas Beale Huston, b. March 11, 1820, at Mercersburgh, Pa. (son of William and Mary Ann Huston), a clerk at Indianapolis, Ind. No children.

4937. iv. Sidney Kingman Dwight, b. June 10, 1835, in Independence, N. Y., m. July 31, 1867, Mary Helen Upp, b. in Sandusky City, O., June 14, 1842 (dau. of Peter Upp and Nancy Brown, now of Clyde, O.). He is a groceryman at Clyde (since 1870). They have two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Mary Helen Dwight, b. Oct. 20, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. (A son) Dwight, b. Nov. 21, 1873.

\*\*\*\* v. Nancy Dwight, b. in Lyme, O., May 26, 1843, m. April 25, 1866, Jacob William Iler, b. Jan. 9, 1836, in Worcester, O. (son of Conrad and Julia Iler, both b. in Frederic Co., Md.), a house-painter at Elkhart, Ind. One child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Imogene Iler, b. there June 16, 1868.

\*\*\*\* vi. Eugene Byron Dwight, b. in Ridgefield; O., May 26, 1844, m. Dec. 17, 1868, Louise M. Fay, b. at Somerset, O., June 2, 1849 (dau. of David and Jane Fay). He is a clerk in a wholesale liquor store at Fremont, O. They have one child;

\*\*\*\* 1. Maude Dwight, b. there Oct. 17, 1869.

[Seventh Generation.]

4906. v. Charles Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight and Abigail Fish), b. Sept. 10, 1810, at Cincinnati, N. Y., m. in Ulysses, Potter Co., Pa., Feb. 11, 1840, Mary Lewis, b. Nov. 14, 1817, at Lisle, Broome Co., N. Y. (dau. of Jesse Lewis and Hannah Thurston). She d. Aug. 6, 1851, at Van Buren, Ind. He m. May 10, 1852, for 2d wife, Ann Preston, b. at Stockton, on the river Tees, Eng., Oct. 22, 1830 (dau. of Thomas Preston and Bridget Kinney, who came to America in 1832, and resided successively in Rochester, N. Y., Monroe, Mich., and White Pigeon, Mich., and in 1844 removed to Van Buren, Ind., where they died). He was a boatman for 8 seasons successively on the Erie and Ohio canals—4 years on each of them (1832–40). After spending one year in Lyme, O. (1840–1), he became a farmer at Van Buren, Lagrange Co., Ind., where he still lives (his P. O. address being White Pigeon, Mich.).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife.*

4938. i. Emma Jane Dwight, b. Nov. 10, 1840, at Lyme, O., m. Jacob Linn, Jr.

4939. ii. Lydia Dwight, b. Sept. 23, 1842, m. William Bower.

4940. iii. Lewis Dwight, b. Sept. 27, 1844, enlisted Dec. 1863, in the 12th Ind. Cavalry, and d. in Piana, Ala., Aug. 2, 1864.

4941. iv. Mary Dwight, b. Sept. 18, 1847, d. Nov. 7, 1863.

4942. v. Hannah Dwight, b. Jan. 1, 1851, d. Aug. 10, 1851.

*By second wife:*

4943. vi. Addie Dwight, b. Feb. 17, 1853, was murdered June 22, 1871. She was a teacher at Stone Lake, but a few miles from her father's residence, and as she was recreating with her pupils at the usual noon-recess, on the margin of the lake, a man named Chauncey Barnes, who lived in a neighboring township, and who had been for some few months previously paying her his addresses in vain, drove up in a buggy with a lady-friend whom he had brought with him to help him press his suit more successfully. As she, ignorant of Barnes' desperate mood of mind, called Miss Dwight to the carriage, he alighted and asked her to walk a little way with him, as he wished to speak privately with her. After going a short distance they sat down upon a log and conversed together for a little while, when the villain suddenly

rose and drew his revolver twice upon her. She fell at the first fire, and died soon. He put the pistol next to his own head, firing several times, inflicting four wounds upon himself, by one of which he lost his left eye, but received no other great injury. Instead of being hung, he is now in State prison for life, as the penalty for his awful crime, according to Indiana law, in Michigan City, Ind.

4944. vii. William Dwight, }  
  } twins, b. Oct. 28, 1857.  
4945. viii. Willis Dwight, } d. Oct. 24, 1863.

4938. i. Emma Jane Dwight, b. Nov. 10, 1840, m. July 1, 1860, Jacob Linn, b. May 10, 1838, at White Pigeon, Mich. (son of Daniel Linn and Caroline Baum), a farmer and grocer at Marion Centre, Marion Co., Kansas (since 1865).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4946. i. Charles Daniel Linn, b. at White Pigeon, Jan. 5, 1861.

4947. ii. Jeanie Linn, b. there Feb. 1, 1862.

4948. iii. Hattie Adel Linn, b. at Marion Centre, Kansas, Feb. 16, 1866.

4949. iv. Minnie Belle Linn, b. there Dec. 10, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.]

4939. ii. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Charles Dwight and Mary Lewis), b. Sept. 23, 1842, m. June 9, 1861, William Bower, b. Nov. 13, 1837, in Yorkshire, Eng. (son of Thomas Bower), a farmer in Marion Centre, Kansas.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4950. i. John Bower, b. at Van Buren, Ind., May 13, 1862, d. May 29, 1862.

\*\*\*\* ii. Francis Bell Bower, b. at Marion Centre, Nov. 22, 1866, d. there Oct. 12, 1867.

\*\*\*\* iii. Charles Sidney Bower, b. May 13, 1869.

\*\*\*\* iv. Sarah Addie Bower, b. March 8, 1873.

[Seventh Generation.]

4909. vii. Orpha Dwight (dau. of Josiah Dwight, 3d, and Abigail Fish), b. Feb. 12, 1816, m. Ezra R. Livermore (son of Cyrus Livermore of Clarksfield, O.), a farmer at Clarksfield, and afterwards for several years a hotel-keeper at Monroeville, O. He is a farmer at Pensaukie, Wis., now (1874). He has had 3 children: Randall, Jay and Cora.

[Seventh-Generation.]

4911. ix. Wilson Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight and Abigail Fish), b. June 1, 1819, m. Feb. 17, 1846, Electa Osterhout, b. April 12, 1820 (dau. of George Osterhout of Mohawk Valley, N. Y., and Catharine Nellis). He is a farmer at Clyde, Sandusky Co., O. (since March



1873), and was such previously at Richfield, O. (1846-52), Van Buren, Ind. (1852-5), and at Groton, O. (1855-73).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. Charles Gregory Dwight, b. June 26, 1847, d. Aug. 28, 1855.

\*\*\*\* ii. Jane Maria Dwight, b. Nov. 19, 1849, lives unmarried at home.

\*\*\*\* iii. Emma ~~Lovering~~ Dwight, b. Dec. 14, 1851, m. March 21, 1871, William Henry Lovering, b. Oct. 5, 1841, at Hartford, Ct. (son of William Lovering, now of Perkins, O., and Aura Dickinson), a farmer at Granite Falls, Minn.

\*\*\*\* iv. Flora Belle Dwight, b. Dec. 5, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.]

4912. x. Ephraim Fish Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight, 3d, and Abigail Fish), b. June 23, 1821, m. in 1848, Adelaide Barber of Pensaukie, Wis. He resides at Lincoln, Nodaway Co., Mo. He is engaged in selling patent-rights.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. Henry C. Dwight, b. in Racine, Wis., April 7, 1848, is a conductor on a local freight train of the Cleveland and Toledo R. R., residing at Toledo, O. He m. March 19, 1872, Minnie Moore, b. in Kerry, Ireland, Dec. 23, 1851.

\*\*\*\* ii. Frank Dwight, b. Aug. 15, 1850, in Ashtabula, O., m. at Toledo, O., July 29, 1873, Adelaide St. John, b. at Reedtown, O., July 21, 1856 (dau. of Robert A. St. John, b. at Greenwich, O., April 3, 1829, who d. Aug. 17, 1864, at Sherman, O., a carpenter, and Lucinda Jane Kelley, b. at Avoca, N. Y., July 22, 1830, who were m. Dec. 24, 1851). He is a brakeman on the Cleveland and Toledo R. Road, and lives at Toledo, O.

\*\*\*\* iii. Charles Dwight, b. Aug. 20, 1855, in Perry, O., is a brakeman on the Cleveland and Toledo R. Road.

[Seventh Generation.]

4913. xi. Reusselaer Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight, 3d, and Abigail Fish), b. Oct. 3, 1824, m. Ann Thompson of Pensaukie, Wis.

He is a farmer in Lincoln, Nodaway Co., Mo. (since 1870). He lived formerly in Lyme, O.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. (A son) Dwight, b. in Pensaukie, Wis., in 1859.

\*\*\*\* ii. Celia Dwight, b. in Lyme, O., in 1861.

\*\*\*\* iii. Mattie Dwight, b. there in 1863.

\*\*\*\* iv. (A daughter) Dwight, b. in Lincoln, Mo., in 1870.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4685. v. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Joseph Dwight of Cincinnati, N.

Y., and Lydia Dewey), b. at Gr. Barrington, Mass., Aug. 17, 1774, m. Oct. 24, 1797, Salmon Harrison, M.D., b. Aug. 16, 1768, in Williamstown, Mass. (son of Titus Harrison and Anna Peck), a physician in Laurens, Otsego Co., N. Y. "He was a physician of much skill and large practice." "She was an energetic woman and excelled in the training of her household." He d. Nov. 14, 1836, aet. 68. She d. Feb. 15, 1850, aet. 75.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

4951. i. Truman Harrison, b. Sept. 5, 1798, d. June 15, 1860, a chronic invalid who lived and died unmarried at Laurens.

4952. ii. Titus Harrison, b. Sept. 7, 1800, d. June 24, 1807.

4953. iii. Anna Harrison, b. July 20, 1802, m. Harvey Butts, and d. Aug. 8, 1845.

4954. iv. Horace Harrison, b. Oct. 14, 1805.

4955. v. Maria Harrison, b. May 19, 1808, m. as his 2d wife Harvey Butts, previously husband of her sister Anna.

4956. vi. Salmon Harrison, b. June 29, 1810.

4957. vii. William Henry Harrison, b. Nov. 23, 1812.

4958. viii. Adolphus Dwight Harrison, b. July 28, 1815.

4959. ix. Job Whipple Harrison, b. July 22, 1818, d. early.

4953. iii. Anna Harrison, b. July 20, 1802, m. Sept. 24, 1828, Harvey Butts, b. in Laurens, N. Y., Sept. 6, 1804 (son of Jacob Butts and Anna Cady), a prosperous farmer at Laurens. He was for many years (1838-50) justice of the peace. She d. Aug. 8, 1845, "an estimable and affectionate woman." He m. for 2d wife, Jan. 8, 1846, Maria Harrison, her sister, b. May 19, 1808. Their children were all born at Laurens.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

4960. i. Morris Butts, b. Oct. 7, 1829.

4961. ii. Lucy Caroline Butts, b. Aug. 22, 1831, d. Nov. 14, 1840.

4962. iii. Hannah Maria Butts, b. Aug. 11, 1834, m. Levi Gilbert.

4963. iv. Salmon Harrison Butts, b. Sept. 8, 1836.

4964. v. Lydia Ann Butts, b. May 25, 1839, m. Jan. 1, 1860, Samuel Eldred (son of Aaron Eldred of Laurens and Hannah Merrill), a farmer in Laurens. She d. May 2, 1863.

4965. vi. Lavinia Butts, b. June 26, 1843.

*By second wife:*

4966. vii. Jane Butts, b. May 18, 1847, d. Sept. 19, 1847.

4960. i. Morris Butts, b. Oct. 7, 1829, m. Oct. 21, 1850, Eliza Gilbert, of Laurens. He is a farmer in Laurens. Has two children:

4967. 1. Emma Butts, b. Aug. 2, 1857.

4968. 2. Jenny Butts, b. Jan. 31, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

4962. iii. Hannah Maria Butts, b. Aug. 11, 1834, m. Nov. 10, 1854, Levi Gilbert, a farmer in Laurens.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

4969. i. Floyd Gilbert, b. Aug. 10, 1855.

4970. ii. Josephine Gilbert, b. Dec. 7, 1858.

4971. iii. Morris Gilbert, b. Aug. 12, 1860.

4972. iv. Della Vernetta Gilbert, b. March 11, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.]

4963. iv. Salmon Harrison Butts, b. Sept. 8, 1836, m. Feb. 14, 1857, Cornelia Drew. He is a farmer at Laurens. Has one child:

4973. 1. Cora Anna Butts, b. June 2, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.]

4954. v. Horace Harrison (son of Salmon Harrison and Lydia Dwight), b. Oct. 14, 1805, m. Jan. 1, 1827, Henrietta Tyler, b. April 13, 1801 (dau. of Ozias and Mary Tyler). He was a farmer for several years at Laurens, where for eight years he was justice of the peace. He has resided of late at Morris, Otsego Co., N. Y., and is a speculator there. He has two children:

4974. 1. Mary Harrison, b. Nov. 19, 1837, d. March 11, 1840.

4975. 2. Eliza Harrison, b. Dec. 6, 1839.

[Seventh Generation.]

4956. vi. Salmon Harrison, Jr., b. June 29, 1810, m. April 14, 1850, Amy Haight, b. March 17, 1817 (dau. of James Haight of Laurens and Ruth Tompkins), a farmer in Woodhull, Steuben Co., N. Y. They were both teachers in early life.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4976. i. James Solomon Harrison, b. Feb. 15, 1851.

4977. ii. Charles Somers Harrison, b. Sept. 1, 1852.

4978. iii. Lydia Adelia Harrison, b. July 26, 1854.

4979. iv. Howard Harrison, b. Oct. 16, 1856.

[Seventh Generation.]

4957. vii. William Henry Harrison, b. Nov. 23, 1812, m. July 4, 1838, Susan Bowen, b. April 17, 1815 (dau. of Asa Bowen of Laurens and Betsey Jenks). He is a farmer at Laurens, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

4980. i. Lydia Harrison, b. April 8, 1839, d. Jan. 16, 1840.

4981. ii. William Harrison, b. Nov. 19, 1840.

4982. iii. Salmon Harrison, b. Feb. 8, 1843, d. Oct. 5, 1846.

4983. iv. James Harrison, b. Nov. 19, 1845.

4984. v. Henry Harrison, b. Nov. 22, 1848.

4985. vi. Horace Harrison, b. Aug. 12, 1851.

4986. vii. Harvey Harrison, b. Aug. 10, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

4958. viii. Adolphus Dwight Harrison (son of Salmon Harrison and Lydia Dwight), b. July 28, 1815, m. April 16, 1848, Leefie Eldred, b. Oct. 28, 1825 (dau. of Rufus Eldred of Laurens and Polly Barton). He is a farmer at Woodhull, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

4987. i. Emma Harrison, b. Oct. 9, 1849, m. John Fulkerson.

4988. ii. Gurdon Harrison, b. Feb. 12, 1852.

4989. iii. Ella Harrison, b. Nov. 8, 1854.

4990. iv. Frank Harrison, b. Sept. 22, 1856, d. June 20, 1858.

4987. i. Emma Harrison, b. Oct. 9, 1849, m. July 4, 1867, John Fulkerson, b. April 15, 1849 (son of Joseph Fulkerson of Woodhull, N. Y., and Elizabeth Fritz), a farmer at Woodhull, N. Y. She d. of quick consumption, Sept. 13, 1871. One child :

4991. 1. Maude Emma Fulkerson, b. July 19, 1871, in Osceola, Pa.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4687. vii. Joseph Dwight, 3d, son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey, b. at Lenox, Mass., June 8, 1778, m. Feb. 10, 1810, Deborah Pease, b. Dec. 14, 1781 (dau. of Gideon Pease, b. in 1741, of Monson, Mass., and Deborah Meacham of Enfield, Mass.). He was at first a tanner and currier at Cincinnatus, N. Y., but for the last 30 years of his life a farmer there. He joined the church (Baptist) when over 80 years of age. He was of fine personal appearance and agreeable in his manners, but quite reserved and a man of few words. He d. June 28, 1861, aet. 83 : she d. Feb. 22, 1872, aet. 90, "an active, useful Christian woman, who commanded the respect of all who know her." Their children were all born at Cincinnatus.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

4992. i. Laura Dwight, b. Jan. 25, 1811, was a school teacher for several years at different places, as Cincinnatus, Freetown, Solon and German, N. Y. She d. July 31, 1845, aet. 34, at Cincinnatus, a member of the Bapt. Ch.

4993. ii. Emmeline Dwight, b. Sept. 24, 1812, d. Jan. 7, 1843, aet. 30. She was a tailoress at Cincinnatus.

4994. iii. Solomon Dwight, b. Jan. 11, 1815.

4995. iv. Marcus Dwight, b. March 5, 1817, was a blacksmith at Cincinnatus, where he d. unmarried May 5, 1843, aet. 26.

4996. v. Louisa Dwight, b. March 20, 1819, m. April 24, 1849, Edward Brint Adcock, b. Jan. 21, 1823 (son of Samuel Adcock and



Catharine Cheate, both of England), a blacksmith at Dewitt, Onondaga Co., N. Y. He d. May 22, 1872. One child:

4997. i. Catharine L. Adcock, b. Feb. 12, 1851.

4998. vi. John Willard Dwight, b. April 10, 1821, d. July 21, 1823.

4999. vii. Lavina Semantha Dwight, b. Aug. 21, 1824, m. John Weeks, and d. Jan. 27, 1850.

The adults marked dead (the women), are all described as having been "persons of culture and of much moral worth, stricken down in midst of their usefulness."

4994. iii. Solomon Dwight, b. Jan. 11, 1815, is a farmer at Cincinnatus, N. Y. He m. Aug. 15, 1849, Sarah Jane Barclay, b. April 25, 1814 (dau. of David Barclay of Crawford, Orange Co., N. Y., and Jenny Hanmer). From him the information here given concerning his father's family was obtained. He has one child:

5000. i. Marcus Barclay Dwight, b. Dec. 14, 1851.

4999. vii. Lavina Semantha Dwight, b. Aug. 21, 1824, m. Oct. 16, 1847, John Mack Weeks (son of Ira Weeks and Nelly Clement). She was a teacher at Cincinnatus for several years before her marriage, where she also resided after it, and d. Jan. 27, 1850. "She was a woman of generous soul." Mr. Weeks married again (whom not stated):

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5001. i. Cordelia Emmeline Weeks, b. Nov. 26, 1848, d. Sept. 27, 1849.

5002. ii. John Dwight Weeks, b. Jan. 14, 1850.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4688. viii. Pyncheon Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., of Cincinnatus, and Lydia Dewey), b. in Lenox, Mass., June 24, 1780, m. July 4, 1804, Roxa Williams, b. July 7, 1776 (dau. of Stephen and Rachel Williams of Berkshire, N. Y., and previously of Stockbridge, Mass.). She d. in Royalton, N. Y., Jan. 9, 1832, aet. 55. He m. for 2d wife, July 10, 1836, Mrs. Betsey Bascom, without issue.

"In 1795 he went (aet. 15) to Cooperstown, N. Y." (where the whole family of his father is supposed by the author to have gone at this time, and to have remained for 6 years), "and from there in 1801, to Cincinnatus" (when 21 years of age), "and thence in 1802," (now shifting for himself in the wide world), "to Berkshire, N. Y., where he spent the next 15 years. He then removed to Royalton, N. Y., where he spent the next 23 years of his life (1817-40), and in 1840, went to Jackson, Mich., to live, where he d. Aug. 3, 1855, aet. 75." He is said to have been a man of noble parts, pleasing and intelligent, and commanding in his personal appearance. He was in early life a teacher, but his chief employment in life was that of farming. "He

was never rich, but was always honest and upright in all his dealings, and was a kind father and benevolent friend."

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5003. i. Henry Dwight, b. June 25, 1805, d. March 24, 1806.

5004. ii. Henry Williams Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1807, d. in 1843, aet. 36.

5005. iii. Harriet Eliza Dwight, b. Jan. 12, 1809, m. Warren Green.

5006. iv. Lydia Williams Dwight, b. Nov. 2, 1811, m. John H. Bennett.

5007. v. Emily Dwight, b. Jan. 4, 1814, in Berkshire, N. Y., d. Sept. 3, 1837, aet. 23. "An accomplished young lady, and of a very lovely character."

5008. vi. Roxa Semantha Dwight, b. Sept. 23, 1820, m. Hiram Stevens, and d. Aug. 19, 1854, aet. 34.

5004. ii. Henry Williams Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1807, at Berkshire, N. Y., m. Sept. 5, 1833, Eliza Columbia Chaplin of Hartland, N. Y. (dau. of Daniel and Lucinda Chaplin). He was a resident of Royalton, N. Y. He d. in 1843.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5009. i. Daniel Pynchon Dwight, b. Oct. 30, 1834, went to California in Aug. 1856, and is now a merchant in Lewiston, Idaho Territory.

5010. ii. Henry Williams Dwight, b. March 12, 1838, is associated in business with his bro., Daniel P. Dwight, in Lewiston.

5011. iii. Harriet Eliza Dwight, b. June 21, 1840, m. Dec. 30, 1858, George Pierce (son of Oliver Pierce and Susannah —). He lives in Hamburgh, Erie Co., N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5012. i. Sarah Louisa Pierce, b. Aug. 6, 1859.

5013. ii. George M. Pierce, b. May 23, 1861, d. Oct. 7, 1862.

5014. iii. Henry Dwight Pierce, b. April 25, 1863, d. March 24, 1864.

5015. iv. Carrie May Pierce, b. Sept. 22, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.]

5005. iii. Harriet Eliza Dwight (dau. of Pynchon Dwight and Roxa Williams), b. in Berkshire, N. Y., Jan. 12, 1809, m. April 25, 1833, Warren Green of Royalton, N. Y., b. at Kingsbury, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1805 (son of William Green and Sindona —), a farmer at Jackson, Mich. (since 1840).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5016. i. Kennicott Byron Green, b. May 31, 1835, at Royalton, is an insurance agent, and book-keeper.

5017. ii. Hosmer Halleck Green, b. Aug. 5, 1836, d. at Jackson, Mich., June 25, 1861.

5018. iii. Emily Arvilla Green, b. Dec. 30, 1837, in Royalton, is a teacher.

5019. iv. Chapman Warren Green, b. April 5, 1840, d. Nov. 26, 1841.

5020. v. Donna Green, b. May 3, 1842, m. Dec. 14, 1865, John Scott McConnell (son of John and Cilicia McConnell), a farmer in Blackman.

[Seventh Generation.]

5006. iv. Lydia Williams Dwight (dau. of Pynchon Dwight and Roxa Williams), b. in Berkshire, N. Y., Nov. 2, 1811, m. Jan. 13, 1836, John H. Bennett, b. at Sandy Hill, N. Y. (son of Ezekiel and Mary Bennett of Royalton), a farmer at Royalton.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5021. i. Mary Emily Bennett, b. Nov. 12, 1836, m. Paul Richardson, and d. June 3, 1863.

5022. ii. Roxa Bennett, b. June 3, 1839, d. April 11, 1854.

5023. iii. Charles Henry Bennett, b. Aug. 2, 1843.

5024. iv. Harriet Louisa Bennett, b. Oct. 21, 1847, d. Nov. 18, 1850.

5025. v. John Willis Bennett, b. Oct. 25, 1857.

5021. i. Mary Emily Bennett, b. Nov. 12, 1836, m. Oct. 20, 1855, Paul Richardson, a farmer (son of Elias and Abigail Richardson of Royalton). She d. June 3, 1863.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5026. i. Mark Richardson, b. July 7, 1856.

5027. ii. A son, unnamed, b. June 11, 1861, that d. Aug. 25, 1861.

5028. iii. Jeanette Richardson, b. April 17, 1863.

[Seventh Generation.]

5008. vi. Roxa Semantha Dwight (dau. of Pynchon Dwight and Roxa Williams), b. in Royalton Sept. 23, 1820, m. Aug. 16, 1846, Hiram Stevens of Schoolcraft, Mich., b. March 15, 1819 (son of Peleg and Hannah Stevens of Paltz, N. Y.). She d. Aug. 19, 1854. He m. for 2d wife, April 3, 1855, Harriet Dwight, her cousin (dau. of Horace Dwight and Olive Meacham). See page 733, No. 5080. vi.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5029. i. Adeline Dwight Stevens, b. in Schoolcraft, May 13, 1847.

5030. ii. Charles Henry Stevens, b. Nov. 5, 1848, in Brady, Mich.

5031. iii. Millard Fillmore Stevens, b. March 2, 1851, d. Sept. 14, 1851.

5032. iv. Mary Jane Stevens, b. Aug. 4, 1852, d. Aug. 10, 1854.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4689. ix. Adolphus Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey), b. in Lenox, Mass., July 15, 1782, m. Nov. 26, 1807, Mercy Dean of Berkshire, Tioga Co., N. Y., b. Oct. 22, 1787 (daughter of Perez Dean and Lydia —). He was a farmer for many years at Cincinnatus, N. Y., and after 1838 at Pike, Wyoming Co., N. Y., where he d. Dec. 31, aet. 77.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5033. i. Titus Harrison Dwight, b. Aug. 14, 1808.

5034. ii. Lydia Dewey Dwight, b. Feb. 11, 1810, m. Alvah Gregory.

5035. iii. Laura Dwight, b. Oct. 6, 1812, m. Jan. 20, 1831, Noyes Wheeler Brown, b. July 15, 1808 (son of a Mr. Brown of Norwich, N. Y., and Barbara Stewart). He was a blacksmith at Albion, Mich., where he d. April 1865, and where she d. April 19, 1867. No children.

5036. iv. Amanda Dwight, b. Jan. 28, 1815, m. George L. Bosworth.

5037. v. Chauncey Dwight, b. March 23, 1817, m. Aug. 3, 1846, Charlotte Morrison. He kept public-house in Milan, O. He d. of cholera, Aug. 27, 1854, aet. 37. She resides now in Dayton, O. Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Frank Dwight, b. Nov. 25, 1847, resides in Atlantic, Iowa.

5038. 2. Charles Dwight, b. Dec. 31, 1851, resides (1873) in Dayton, O.

5039. vi. Nancy Dwight, b. Dec. 24, 1819, m. Nov. 5, 1835, Rufus Wilkinson, a R. R. conductor, residing now at Battle Creek, Mich. (1873).

5040. vii. Polly Dwight, b. March 23, 1822, m. in 1847, John Wilkinson, a blacksmith in Royalton, N. Y. She d. April 2, 1857, aet. 35. No children:

5041. viii. Adeline Dwight, b. July 23, 1824, m. at Milan, O., April 10, 1850, Calvin Cone, son of Lester Cone and Stella Humphrey, Supt. of the U. S. Express Co. (since 1850), and resides at Toledo, O. Has had 3 children:

5042. 1. Thomas Dwight Cone, b. in Toledo, Aug. 4, 1855.

5043. 2. George Calvin Cone, b. Dec. 31, 1856.

5044. 3. Mary Emma Cone, b. Oct. 7, 1858.

5045. ix. Jane Louisa Dwight, b. Feb. 17, 1827, m. Curtis L. Barnes.

5033. i. Titus Harrison Dwight, b. Aug. 14, 1808, m. Jan. 16, 1832, Eliza J. Wilkinson, b. Jan. 10, 1810 (dau. of Tappan and Clarissa Wilkinson). He is a blacksmith at Pike, N. Y. No children. He adopted, about 1850, a daughter, *née* Barnes of Pike, whom he named

\*\*\*\* 1. Frances Alida Dwight. She is a teacher in a public school in Chicago (1871-2).



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5034. ii. Lydia Dewey Dwight, b. Feb. 11, 1810, m. Jan. 26, 1830, Alvah Gregory, b. June 4, 1802 (son of Samuel Gregory of Greene, Chenango Co., N. Y., and Dolly Wasson), a joiner in Pike.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5046. i. Adolphus Dwight Gregory, b. April 26, 1831, resides unmarried at Hornellsville, N. Y., and is in the employment of the N. Y. and Erie R. R. Co.

5047. ii. Helen Maria Gregory, b. at Oxford, N. Y., Sept. 11, 1833, d. at Pike, unmarried, Aug. 16, 1863, of consumption.

5048. iii. Theresa Albina Gregory, b. at Norwich, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1835, m. Dec. 20, 1855, Owen Swain, b. Nov. 16, 1821 (son of Joseph Swain of Chemung and Jane Hanna), a farmer and lumberman at Chemung, N. Y. No children:

[Seventh Generation.]

5036. iv. Amanda Dwight (dau. of Adolphus Dwight and Mercy Dean), b. June 28, 1815, m. Feb. 1, 1835, George L. Bosworth, b. in Chenango, N. Y., June 4, 1812, a mechanic in Attica, N. Y. He d. Dec. 25, 1872.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5049. i. Laura Ellen Bosworth, b. April 4, 1837, in Pike, m. Nov. 1, 1860, Stephen S. Gardiner, a hotel-keeper in Attica.

5050. ii. Charlotte Eliza Bosworth, b. Feb. 14, 1842, m. Nov. 4, 1859, Arthur Hamilton Smith (son of Hon. Samuel H. Smith of Fowlersville, N. Y.), an artist in Avon, N. Y. One child:

5051. 1. Ella Louisa Smith, b. Aug. 25, 1860, in Pike.

[Seventh Generation.]

5045. ix. Jane Louisa Dwight (dau. of Adolphus Dwight and Mercy Dean), b. Feb. 17, 1827, m. Oct. 28, 1843, Curtis L. Barnes (son of Ira Barnes and Lucy —), a forwarder, formerly in Buffalo, N. Y., but engaged in recent years in public business, and residing in Lockport, N. Y. They have had 3 children, Nos. 5052-4: Janet, Stella and Ira.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4690. x. Henry Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey), b. at Lenox, May 6, 1784, m. March 9, 1818, Chloe Meacham, b. Sept. 7, 1795, in New Lebanon, N. Y. (dau. of Erskine Meacham and Polly Howard). He was a farmer at Cincinnatus, N. Y. He d. March 20, 1842, aet. 58. She d. of cancer in the heart, Aug. 4, 1867, aet. 72.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5055. i. Henry Dwight, Jr., b. May 30, 1819.

5056. ii. Ezra Dwight, b. Jan. 11, 1822, m. Nov. 1846, Jane Louisa

Smith (dau. of Isaac Smith of Cincinnatus and Polly Carson). He was a farmer at Cincinnatus and d. Aug. 24, 1849.

5057. iii. Ira Dwight, b. May 1, 1824.

5058. iv. George Dwight, b. March 23, 1828, d. Jan. 16, 1842.

5059. v. Albert Dwight, b. Oct. 24, 1832.

5060. vi. Nancy Jane Dwight, b. Oct. 14, 1835, m. Dighton Wait, b. in Solon, N. Y., May 14, 1834 (son of Elder Averdo and Rachel Wait). He is a mason at Mason, Ingham Co., Mich. They have one child :

5061. 1. Nettie May Wait, b. May 1, 1871.

5062. vii. Mary Jeanette Dwight, b. May 23, 1839, resides unmarried at Cincinnatus.

5055. i. Henry Dwight, Jr., b. May 30, 1819, m. Jan. 24, 1847, Margaret P. Glenn, b. June 7, 1818 (dau. of James Glenn of Morrisville, N. Y., and Margaret Dillenbeck), a farmer at German, Chenango Co., N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5063. i. George Alfred Dwight, b. April 7, 1849, m. Jan. 30, 1873, Eliza Beattie of Truxton, N. Y.

5064. ii. Amanda Matilda Dwight, b. Feb. 10, 1851.

5065. iii. John Glenn Dwight, b. Sept. 18, 1852.

5066. iv. Emory Adelbert Dwight, b. Aug. 29, 1854.

5067. v. Porter Leroy Dwight, b. Oct. 6, 1856.

5068. vi. Cornelia Jeanette Dwight, b. Jan. 22, 1860.

[Seventh Generation.]

5057. iii. Ira Dwight (son of Henry Dwight and Chloe Meacham), b. May 1, 1824, m. Jan. 16, 1849, Lydia Kingsbury, b. in 1828 (dau. of Mason Kingsbury and Lucy Holt). He is a farmer at McLean, Tompkins Co., N. Y. (1873). Children :

5069. 1. Minnie Merritt Dwight, b. in Cincinnatus, March 25, 1865, d. Jan. 19, 1873.

5070. 2. Mary L. Dwight, b. in Dryden, N. Y., Aug. 24, 1867.

5059. v. Albert Dwight (son of Henry Dwight and Chloe Meacham), b. Oct. 24, 1832, m. Dec. 1, 1861, Marian E. Smith (dau. of Adam L. Smith of German, N. Y., and Louisa Carpenter). He is a farmer at Hamilton, Caldwell Co., Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5071. i. Marian Elwyn Dwight, b. at Onondaga, Mich., Jan. 21, 1865.

5072. ii. Floyd Dwight, b. there July 27, 1869.

5073. iii. Minnie May Dwight, b. at Hamilton, Mich., July 17, 1871.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4691. xi. Horace Dwight (son of Joseph Dwight, Jr., of Cincinnati, and Lydia Dewey), b. at Lenox, Mass., June 12, 1786, m. Feb. 18, 1810, Olive Meacham, b. in New Lebanon, Columbia Co., N. Y., Aug. 25, 1792 (dau. of Erskine Meacham, afterwards of Cincinnati, and Polly Howard), sister to Chloe Meacham, wife of his brother Henry. He was a farmer at Cincinnati, where he d. very suddenly, Sept. 29, 1872, aet. 86. His mind was clear and strong up to the very last. He was a man of integrity and honor, and esteemed by all who knew him. His widow is still living (1874).

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5074. i. Minerva Dwight, b. Jan. 4, 1811, resides unmarried at home.

5075. ii. Horace Dewey Dwight, b. Dec. 25, 1812.

5076. iii. Eliza Dwight, b. Feb. 20, 1815, m. Benjamin H. Smith.

5077. iv. Harrison Dwight, b. April 16, 1817, m. June 8, 1852, Harriet Newell Congdon, b. March 4, 1831 (dau. of Benjamin Congdon and Mary Salisbury). He was a farmer formerly at Onondaga, Mich., where he was also for 8 years justice of the peace (1856-64). He resides now again at Cincinnati. One child:

5078. 1. William Harrison Dwight, M.D., b. Oct. 28, 1852, in Onondaga.

5079. v. Glover Short Dwight, b. Nov. 5, 1819.

5080. vi. Harriet Dwight, b. Nov. 13, 1821, m. Hiram Stevens.

5081. vii. Sarah Maria Dwight, b. April 14, 1824, d. Sept. 20, 1845.

5082. viii. Mary Ann Dwight, b. June 26, 1827, d. Jan. 4, 1841.

5083. ix. John Datt Dwight, b. Feb. 17, 1830, d. Feb. 20, 1832.

5084. x. Ray Decatur Dwight, b. June 29, 1833.

5075. ii. Horace Dewey Dwight, b. Dec. 25, 1812, m. Dec. 11, 1837, Emily Carpenter (dau. of Thomas Carpenter and Louisa —, both from England). He is a farmer at Onondaga, Ingraham Co., Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5085. i. Frances Helen Dwight, b. Aug. 18, 1838.

5086. ii. Charles Short Dwight, b. Aug. 28, 1840.

5087. iii. Lucius Harrison Dwight, b. Aug. 20, 1843.

5088. iv. Marion Dwight, b. about 1845.

5089. v. Thomas Dwight, b. about 1848.

5090. vi. Emma Dwight, b. about 1851.

[Seventh Generation.]

5076. iii. Eliza Dwight (dau. of Horace Dwight and Olive Meacham), b. Feb. 20, 1815, m. Feb. 11, 1835, Benjamin Houghton Smith (son of Daniel Smith and Betsey Houghton), a farmer at Tompkins, Ingra-

ham Co., Mich. They have had 4 children, Nos. 5091-4: Jehiel Houghton, Horace Dwight, Harriet and Daniel Jay.

[Seventh Generation.]

5079. v. Glover Short Dwight (son of Horace Dwight and Olive Meacham), b. Nov. 5, 1819, m. Jan. 29, 1849, widow Julia Harkness, *née* Arnold, b. June 1, 1820 (dau. of Elijah Arnold of Smithfield, R. I., and Sarah Allen). He is a large farmer at Cincinnati.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5095. i. Horace Glover Dwight, b. Feb. 17, 1850, at Blackstone, Mass.

5096. ii. Sarah Arnold Dwight, b. Oct. 28, 1851, at Cincinnati.

5097. iii. Frederic Ballow Dwight, b. Oct. 21, 1853, at Cincinnati, d. Dec. 31, 1861.

5098. iv. Harriet Minerva Dwight, b. Oct. 30, 1855.

5099. v. Estes Lamb Dwight, b. Sept. 14, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.]

5080. vi. Harriet Dwight (dau. of Horace Dwight and Olive Meacham), b. Nov. 13, 1821, m. as his 2d wife, April 3, 1855, Hiram Stevens, b. March 15, 1819 (son of Peleg and Hannah Stevens of Paltz, N. Y.), a farmer at Schoolcraft, Mich. His first wife was her cousin, Roxa Semantha Dwight, No. 5008. vi., page 728 (dau. of Pynchon Dwight). He had by his two marriages seven children, four by the first one.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5100. i. Julia Minerva Stevens, b. July 4, 1856.

5101. ii. Althaea Cornelius Stevens, b. Feb. 1860.

5102. iii. Thomas Ray Stevens, b. March 4, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

5084. x. Ray Decatur Dwight (son of Horace Dwight and Olive Meacham), b. June 29, 1833, m. March 8, 1858, Betsey Maria Moore, b. Sept. 10, 1838 (dau. of Andrew Jackson Moore of McDonough, N. Y., and Lucinda Lawton). He was a mason, formerly at Cincinnati, N. Y., where he was for 12 years a teacher. He is now (1873) a farmer and dealer in stock, at Hamilton, Mich. She d. Aug. 15, 1872, aet. 34. From him the facts concerning his father's descendants were obtained.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5103. i. Alice Leila Dwight, b. Aug. 1, 1859, d. April 3, 1862.

5104. ii. Kenn Moore Dwight, b. Aug. 2, 1865.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4692. xii. Clarissa Dwight (dau. of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia



Dewey), b. at Lenox, Mass., July 15, 1788, m. about 1816 Reuben Delano, a farmer in German, N. Y., and a man of modest worth. He removed to Cincinnati a few years before his death, May 27, 1856. She d. Nov. 14, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5105. i. Nancy Delano, b. in German, Dec. 10, 1817, d. in Cincinnati, unmarried, Sept. 2, 1849.

5106. ii. Betsey Delano, b. June 13, 1822, d. aet. 38, in Cincinnati, unmarried, July 14, 1860.

5107. iii. Sarah Maria Delano, b. Dec. 29, 1825, m. John W. Shaver, and d. July 20, 1860.

5108. iv. Joseph Pynchon Delano, b. Nov. 26, 1829, in German, N. Y., m. Nov. 4, 1855, Miranda Bonesteel, b. Jan. 7, 1835 (dau. of Frederic Bonesteel of German and Rhoda Carpenter). He was a mechanic at Cincinnati, where he d. June 17, 1863. He had 2 children:

5109. 1. Eva Maria Delano, b. Oct. 27, 1856.

5110. 2. Ada Anna Delano, b. Nov. 16, 1859.

5107. iii. Sarah Maria Delano, b. Dec. 29, 1825, in German, m. Feb. 5, 1847, John William Shaver, b. May 16, 1822 (son of George Shaver of Sharon, N. Y., and Esther Marenus), a hardware merchant at Newburgh, N. Y., where she d. July 20, 1860. He m. again.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5111. i. John Adelbert Shaver, b. in 1848, d. March 18, 1849.

5112. ii. Ella Isadore Shaver, b. about 1850.

5113. iii. John Walter Shaver, b. in 1852, d. Sept. 1854.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 692.

4693. xiii. Nancy Dwight (dau. of Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey), b. at Lenox, Mass., Nov. 27, 1791, m. Ephraim F. Williams. He d. and she m. for a 2d husband William McClary of Galesburgh, Mich.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5114. i. George Williams.

5115. ii. Adolphus Dwight Williams. He was killed, July 1847, in Lawrence, Mass., by the falling of a derrick upon him while engaged in constructing the foundations of a mill. He was unmarried.

5114. i. George Williams. He m. Mary Andrews of Delphi, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5116. i. Frances Helen Williams, a teacher at Galesburgh, Kalamazoo, Mich.

5117. ii. Mary Andrews Williams, a teacher at Galesburgh, Mich.

5118. iii. Stephen Williams. Nothing could be learned of him.

In the foregoing account of the descendants of Joseph Dwight, Jr., of Cincinnati, a record has been given of some 450 or more of them. These, added to the number of descendants of Genl. Joseph Dwight, his father, by his first wife, make the whole number of his offspring, whose history is briefly presented thus far in these pages, a thousand or so. Those by his second marriage to Mrs. Abigail Williams Sergeant, which are to be presented next, will not be so numerous.

Of those already mentioned as descended from Joseph Dwight, Jr., and Lydia Dewey, one of their number says, in writing to the author: "They have all been men of fair intellect, and well cultivated for the pursuits that they have followed. They have shown good economy in procuring and preserving pecuniary means for their future wants, and they have been all universally temperate, so far as my knowledge extends. They have also been generally religious." While some of them have been Episcopalians, Methodists and Baptists, in their denominational preferences, the great mass of them have been members of Congregational or Presbyterian churches.

It would often have been pleasant to have said of the living what the author has had abundant means of saying in their favor, in respect to this large branch of the Dwight family, as indeed of nearly or quite every other branch, and what will be, within a short time, when they have passed forever out of sight, matters of prime interest to their descendants, if treasured up for remembrance. But silence, however uncomfortably enforced upon one's self, concerning the personal characteristics and excellences of the living, is the toll that one must pay to them for the privilege of speaking freely of their more external relations to the family and to society at large. And while the frequently quoted old Latin maxim, "Nothing except what is good concerning the dead," is utterly unworthy in itself of any one's adoption or commendation, as a rule of any value whatever in historic composition, whether of great or small proportions; it is true that death itself dissolves at once any spell that might otherwise close one's lips concerning the departed whose lives have been beautiful and good. And let but the pall of forgetfulness lie undisturbed for a few years upon the memories of those who were untrue, in their brief day, to conscience and to God, and even their wickedness or weakness may be fearlessly, and likewise profitably, voiced aloud to others.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 628.

4167. x. Pamela Dwight (dau. of Genl. Joseph Dwight of Gr. Barrington, Mass., and *Abigail Williams* Sergeant, his 2d wife), b. June 9, 1752, m. as his 2d wife, April 17, 1774, Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, LL.D., of Stockbridge, Mass., b. May 1746 (son of Dea. Benjamin Sedgwick of W. Hartford, Ct., and Ann Thompson).

Judge Theodore Sedgwick lost his father at the early age of 13, and was aided by his elder brother, John, to obtain his education, in part at Yale—being in the class of 1765, and rusticated before finishing his course for some youthful misbehavior. He was admitted to the bar in 1766 (April), and commenced practice at Sheffield, Mass., which place he afterwards represented several times in the Mass. General Court. While never losing his strong attachment to the mother-country, he embarked zealously in the revolutionary war, and served in 1776 as Aid to Genl. Thomas in the expedition to Canada, and was actively engaged in procuring supplies for the army. In 1785 he removed to Stockbridge, Mass., and was in that year and the next a member of the Provincial Congress. In the winter of 1787 he was active in suppressing “Shays’ rebellion,” for which the insurgents often afterwards threatened his life, and once, during his absence at the legislature, made an attack upon his house. In 1788 he was a prominent member of the Mass. Convention for ratifying the Federal Constitution, and was in the same year Speaker of the Mass. House of Representatives. In 1789 he was elected a member of the First Constitutional Congress, where, by successive elections, he remained until 1796, when he was chosen U. S. Senator, and held the office for 3 years, serving as *Prest. pro tem.* during one session. In 1799 he was again returned to Congress, and was chosen the Speaker of the House. In 1802 he was appointed to the bench of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, where he remained until his death, in 1813. He was a man of high mark as a statesman and a jurist. His life was full of varied and unwearied industry, and his character of ardent enthusiasm. His judicial decisions are remarkable for their clearness and beauty.

He was an active member of the old “Federal Party,” and was a compeer with Hamilton, Jay, Rutledge, Ames, King and other leaders like them. He was vigorously hostile to slavery. Soon after the adoption of The Massachusetts Constitution, Elizabeth Freeman, a negress of superior intelligence and excellence, belonging to a Mr. Ashley of Sheffield, having fled from his house in consequence of ill-treatment, and refusing ever to return, her master sued for her recovery. Judge Sedgwick undertook her defence, and she was pronounced free by the Court. This was, it is believed, the first fruit of the declaration in the Mass. Bill of Rights, that “all men are born free and equal,” and led directly to the end of slavery in Massachusetts. So, in the case of *Greenwood vs. Curtis* (vol. vi. Mass. Reports), an action was brought before the court, one of whose associate judges was Mr. Sedgwick, by a Southron, as plaintiff, to recover a balance of account in a contract made with the defendant, through an agent at Rio Pongos, in Africa, for the delivery of slaves in exchange for goods. The Court pro-

nounced in his absence for the plaintiff. On his return to it he prepared in an elaborate form a dissenting opinion, following in it the principles declared by Lord Mansfield in the case of Somerset—an opinion which has been since regarded as of great weight—"that, by the law of nature, which on this question remained the law of Massachusetts, one man could not have a legitimate property in another, and that the contract was, therefore, *malum in se* and void." See Appletons' New Am. Cyclopædia, vol. xiv. p. 487. In Miss Electa Jones' Hist. Stockbridge, pp. 238-43, may be found a full account of Elizabeth Freeman, or "Mum Bett," as she was nicknamed, and of other slaves of that day and place, as well as of the great liberty-loving interest that Judge Sedgwick took in them.

It was of Mrs. Pamela Sedgwick that the story is told in Jones' Hist. Stockbridge, that in the summer of 1755, "from the fright of an attack made in some families in the outskirts of the town, Lawrence Lynch, who was then living at Genl. Joseph Dwight's, took his infant child, Pamela, then 3 years old, in his arms and fled on foot to Gr. Barrington with the whole family—little John Sergeant not staying to put shoe or stocking on his feet, which were unluckily bare at the moment." p. 82.

There is a fine picture of Mrs. Pamela D. Sedgwick in "Griswold's Republican Court" (D. Appleton & Co., 1855), when of the age of 35 or 40. "She was conspicuous," he says, "for a charming face, and an air and manner of singular refinement and grace. The finest graces of the N. E. matron were combined in her as she appeared then (1790) as one of the Republican Court of America, at the levees of Mrs. Martha Washington in Philadelphia."

Judge Sedgwick d. at Boston, Jan. 24, 1813, aet. 66. Mrs. Pamela Sedgwick, by whom he had all his children, d. Sept. 18, 1807, aet. 55, at Stockbridge. He m. for a 3d wife Penelope Russell, without issue.\*

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

5119. i. Elizabeth Mason Sedgwick, b. April 30, 1775, m. Thaddeus Pomeroy of Stockbridge, Mass., and d. Oct. 15, 1827.

5120. ii. A child, unnamed, b. and d. March 27, 1777.

5121. iii. Frances Pamela Sedgwick, b. May 6, 1778, m. Ebenezer Watson of New York, and d. June 20, 1842.

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\* In Allen's Biog. Dict. there occurs the following misstatement : Rev. Theodore Sedgwick Dwight, Pastor of Colored Ch. (Presb.), New York, d. March 23, 1847, aet. 49. The last name should be, as the author has ascertained by careful inquiry, Wright, instead of Dwight. It would be an honor to either of the names Sedgwick and Dwight, that any worthy colored man should take it himself, or receive it from parents that were good and true in character, as a token of gratitude or reverence for zeal in behalf of their persecuted race.



5122. iv. Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, b. Dec. 9, 1780, d. Nov. 7, 1839.

5123. v. Catharine Sedgwick, b. July 11, 1782, d. March 4, 1783.

5124. vi. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, b. April 18, 1784, d. March 1, 1785.

5125. vii. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, 2d, b. Sept. 22, 1785, d. Dec. 23, 1831.

5126. viii. Robert Sedgwick, b. June 6, 1787, d. Sept. 2, 1841.

5127. ix. Catharine Maria Sedgwick, b. Dec. 28, 1789, d. July 31, 1867.

5128. x. Charles Sedgwick, b. Dec. 15, 1791, d. Aug. 3, 1856.

[Dea. Benjamin Sedgwick, the father of Judge Theodore Sedgwick, who was b. at Hartford, Ct., Nov. 7, 1716, and d. of apoplexy, Feb. 7, 1757, æt. 40, was the son of Samuel Sedgwick of Hartford and Mary Hopkins. Samuel Sedgwick was the only child of William Sedgwick of Hartford, Ct., and of Elizabeth Stone, dau. of Rev. Samuel Stone, the 2d minister of Hartford. William Sedgwick was one of 3 sons (Samuel William and Robert) of Major Genl. Robert Sedgwick, the settler, who was b. in 1598 in England, and was one of the most distinguished men of his times. He came in 1636 to Charlestown, Mass., and in 1637 was chosen a representative of the town. He commanded in 1641, 45, and 48 "The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.," and was elected May 26, 1652, Major General. Previously to June 1, 1654, he visited England and engaged in the service of Cromwell, as commander of a contemplated expedition against the Dutch at New York, but on his arrival there with his ships and troops (900 foot and a company of horse) learned that peace had been concluded and that the commissioners at Charlestown had determined to employ his force against the French forts in Nova Scotia, and went thither with his fleet of 4 vessels, and in a few days (June 14-20) took St. John's, Port Royal and another French fort. Cromwell was so pleased with his vigorous action that he sent him the next year with a fleet to reinforce Genl. Venables in Jamaica, W. I., who had met with a repulse and had lost 400 men and Jamaica itself. He found everything there, in the condition of the army alike and in the climate, dispiriting. The plague was prevailing and "rending them in twain"; and he desired greatly to return to England and serve Cromwell there. But he sent him, to his regret, a commission to take command of the army in Jamaica, where he d. May 24, 1656.

Charlestown has cause to remember Genl. Sedgwick for the results of his active public spirit when residing in the town. He was an enterprising merchant, built wharves, carried on a brewing establishment, built the old Tide-mills, and had an interest in the Iron Works at Lynn. "He was representative in the style of his ideas and character

of the liberal Puritans of those early days of New England history. Religion was in all his thoughts, and yet he openly opposed the prevailing intolerance. He was a very brave, zealous and pious man."

His wife Johanna m. after his decease Rev. Thomas Allen of Norwich, Eng., but without issue. See Frothingham's Hist. Charlestown.]

[Sixth Generation.]

5119. i. Elizabeth Mason Sedgwick (dau. of Hon. Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight), b. April 30, 1775, m. April 23, 1797, Thaddeus Pomeroy, b. Oct. 23, 1764 (son of Quartus Pomeroy of Northampton, Mass., and Phebe Sheldon. For both the Pomeroy and Sheldon lineage of the family, see Hist. of the Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. p. 1126), grad. at Harvard in 1786: a lawyer at Stockbridge, Mass., where he d. March 2, 1847. She d. Oct. 15, 1827.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5129. i. Theodore Sedgwick Pomeroy, b. March 1, 1798, d. March 4, 1845.

5130. ii. George Williams Pomeroy, b. Nov. 2, 1799, d. at New Orleans, La., March 29, 1856.

5131. iii. Egbert Benson Pomeroy, b. June 8, 1801, d. July 14, 1825.

5132. iv. Pamela Dwight Pomeroy, b. Feb. 22, 1803, d. Nov. 30, 1804.

5133. v. Elizabeth Pamela Pomeroy, b. Jan. 19, 1805, m. Judge Horatio Byington.

5134. vi. Ebenezer Watson Pomeroy, b. May 13, 1806, m. June 11, 1835, Maria Aull of Newcastle, Del. (dau. of John Aull, of Irish descent, and Margaret Elliott). He resided at Lexington, Mo., where he made a fortune and d. without issue, June 22, 1861.

5135. vii. Frances Susan Pomeroy, b. Dec. 18, 1807, killed at Norwalk, Ct., May 6, 1853.

5136. viii. Catharine Eliza Pomeroy, b. Sept. 14, 1809, m. Rev. Samuel P. Parker.

5137. ix. Julia Pomeroy, b. Feb. 4, 1812, m. Aug. 4, 1835, Prof. Chester Averill, b. March 16, 1804 (son of Nathaniel P. Averill of Salisbury, Ct., and Maria Whittlesey), grad. at Union Coll., N. Y., in 1828. He was Prof. of Chemistry and Botany there (1834-6), and d. at Salisbury, Ct., Aug. 2, 1836. Had one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Chester Averill, Jr., b. at Schenectady, N. Y., May 31, 1836, grad. at Union Coll. in 1857, resides in San Francisco, Cal.

5138. x. Charles Sedgwick Pomeroy, b. Aug. 30, 1813, d. Nov. 4 1850, at San Francisco.

5139. xi. Mary Pomeroy, b. Feb. 5, 1815.

5140. xii. Thaddeus Pomeroy, b. Sept. 6, 1817, d. Dec. 20, 1851.

5129. i. Theodore Sedgwick Pomeroy, b. March 1, 1798, m. Dec. 3, 1822, Huldah Fellows Hopkins (dau. of John Sergeant Hopkins of Stockbridge, Mass., and Lucinda —). He d. March 4, 1845, at Chicago, Ill. She m. Oct. 17, 1850, Jonathan E. Field of Stockbridge (son of David Dudley Field and Submit —).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5141. i. Theodore Sedgwick Pomeroy, b. Feb. 18, 1824, d. at San Francisco, May 14, 1865.

5142. ii. Mary Jane Pomeroy, b. Dec. 27, 1825.

5143. iii. Frances Hopkins Pomeroy, b. Dec. 27, 1829, d. Feb. 18, 1851, at Stockbridge, Mass.

5141. i. Theodore Sedgwick Pomeroy, b. Feb. 18, 1824, m. Jan. 31, 1856, Isabella Low (dau. of Warren S. and Mary A. Low of Albany). He d. at San Francisco, May 14, 1865.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5144. i. Fanny Sedgwick Pomeroy, b. Dec. 6, 1856.

5145. ii. Florence Bell Pomeroy, b. July 25, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

5133. v. Elizabeth Pamela Pomeroy, b. Jan. 19, 1805 m. May 2, 1827, Horatio Byington, b. in 1797 (son of Isaiah Byington of Stockbridge and Lucy Peck). He resided at Stockbridge, and was judge of the court of common pleas (now the superior court) of Massachusetts. He d. Feb. 5, 1856, aet. 58.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5146. i. Eliza Sedgwick Byington, b. Jan. 30, 1829, d. Oct. 22, 1837.

5147. ii. Thaddeus Pomeroy Byington, b. July 29, 1832, d. Nov. 17, 1846.

5148. iii. Alice Byington, b. Oct. 22, 1841.

5149. iv. Rebecca Byington, b. Jan. 16, 1843, d. May 14, 1850.

[Seventh Generation.]

5136. viii. Catharine Eliza Pomeroy (dau. of Thaddeus Pomeroy and Elizabeth M. Sedgwick), b. Sept. 14, 1809, m. April 20, 1836, Rev. Samuel Parker Parker, D.D. (son of John Rowe Parker of Boston, Mass., and Mary Hamilton), grad. at Harvard in 1824. He was a teacher at New York for some years ("Adams & Parker," Murray St.), and afterwards at Stockbridge, Mass. where he was also settled as a minister in the Episcopal church. He afterwards organized a church (St. Mary's) at Castleton, Staten Island, N. Y., and was settled over it. He was subsequently rector of a church ("Grace Church") which he established at Amherst, Mass. He is now at Melrose, Mass. (1872).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5150. i. Egbert Pomeroy Parker, b. Jan. 22, 1837.

5151. ii. Mary Hamilton Parker, b. Aug. 12, 1838.

5152. iii. Charles Parker, b. July 1, 1841.

5153. iv. Francis Herbert Parker, b. Aug. 20, 1848.

5154. v. Grace Stanley Parker, b. March 2, 1853.

[Sixth Generation.]

5121. iii. Frances Pamela Sedgwick (dau. of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight), b. May 6, 1778, m. April 1801, Ebenezer Watson, b. Feb. 12, 1776 (son of Ebenezer Watson of Hartford, Ct., publisher of "The Connecticut Courant," and Hannah Bunce). He was a publisher at New York (Whiting & Watson), 1805—and was afterwards a clerk in the Comptroller's office at Albany, N. Y. She d. at Stockbridge, Mass., June 20, 1842, aet. 64. He lived in his later years at New Bedford, Mass., with his daughter, and d. at Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 12, 1847, aet. 71.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5155. i. Theodore Sedgwick Watson, b. at Stockbridge, Feb. 22, 1802, d. there March 9, 1820.

5156. ii. Ebenezer Henry Watson, b. Jan. 20, 1804, d. Sept. 28, 1850.

5157. iii. Catharine Sears Watson, b. at New York, Jan. 17, 1806, m. Rev. Abner Webb, and d. Jan. 3, 1848.

5158. iv. Robert Sedgwick Watson, b. Aug. 1, 1809.

5159. v. Frances Pamela Watson, b. Sept. 3, 1811, m. May 11, 1842, Benjamin F. Lindsey of New Bedford, U. S. Consul at St. Catharine's, Brazil, S. A.

Some dates which are wrong in "The Watson Genealogy," are corrected in the foregoing and succeeding schedules of dates. Some persons give dates, when requested of them, from memory, and some at a guess, as if matters of remembrance. It is in the arithmetical department that genealogical researches are always most wavering in their results, and often so much so as almost to discourage an investigator from pursuing his inquiries any further.

[Seventh Generation.]

5156. ii. Ebenezer Henry Watson (son of Ebenezer Watson and Frances P. Sedgwick), b. Jan. 20, 1804, m. Nov. 18, 1829, Elizabeth Jane Knapp, b. Dec. 16, 1807 (dau. of Peter Knapp of Stamford, Ct., and Sarah Bennett). He d. at Panama, C. A., of cholera, Sept. 28, 1850. His widow m. March 18, 1855, Ferdinand Hoffmann (son of Christian August Hoffmann, M.D., of Suhl, Erfurth, Prussia, and Frederika Bley Müller). She d. at Stockbridge, Mass., July 6, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5160. i. Frances Sedgwick Watson, b. at New York, Aug. 10, 1830, d. Sept. 18, 1830.



742 *Descendants of Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass.,*

5161. ii. Frances Sedgwick Watson, b. May 8, 1832, resides unmarried in Stockbridge.

5162. iii. Egbert Pomeroy Watson, b. at New York, April 17, 1835, m. March 31, 1861, Louise Eugenie Thierry, b. Oct. 28, 1829 (dau. of Charles A. Thierry of Beaucourt in the arrondissement of Dale, b. Sept. 27, 1796, and Catharine Elizabeth Perlet, b. July 6, 1796, and d. at Watertown, N. Y., where Mr. Thierry still lives, or did recently, Dec. 31, 1854). They have had two children :

5163. 1. Egbert Perlet Watson, b. at New York, March 20, 1863.

5164. 2. Bessie Sedgwick Watson, b. Aug. 13, 1864, at New York, d. at Wheatsheaf, N. Y., Aug. 27, 1865.

5165. iv. Susan Ridley Watson, b. at New York, Aug. 7, 1839.

5166. v. Emma Watson, b. May 29, 1842.

5167. vi. Harry Hopkins Watson, b. at New York, Aug. 16, 1844, d. Jan. 23, 1863, at New York, from the effects of disease contracted in soldierly service to his country in the late war.

5168. vii. Lindsey Watson, b. at N. Y., May 30, 1846, d. July 14, 1846.

5169. viii. Lindsey Watson, 2d, b. at N. Y., Feb. 21, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.]

5157. iii. Catharine Sears Watson (dau. of Ebenezer Watson and Frances P. Sedgwick), b. Jan. 17, 1806, m. Aug. 15, 1832, Rev. Abner Webb, b. Feb. 29, 1804 (son of William Webb of Windham, Ct., and Lois Strong, dau. of Jonathan Strong of Lebanon, Ct., and Mary Brewster. See Hist. Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. pp. 807-9). They sailed from Boston, Dec. 22, 1832, as Baptist Missionaries to the Burman Empire, arriving July 16, 1833, at Maulmain. They went in 1837 up the Irrawaddy, in a row-boat, to Ava, the capital, whence, after enduring for 4 months the perils of civil war, they set out for Rangoon, reaching it, notwithstanding sickness, storms and robbers, July 4, 1837, and set sail Nov. 1 following, for America again, on account of Mrs. Webb's protracted illness, and arrived at New Bedford, Mass., March 24, 1838. She d. at Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1848. He has resided for some years past at Kalamazoo, Mich.

[Eighth Generation.]

5170. i. A son, unnamed, b. at Maulmain, Burmah, Dec. 15, 1833, d. next day. ,

5171. ii. Robert Watson Webb, b. at Rangoon, Burmah, Dec. 4, 1834.

5172. iii. Frances Sedgwick Webb, b. July 3, 1836, d. Oct. 10, 1837, at Seebpore, India.

5173. iv. Fanny Watson Webb, b. at sea, Feb. 8, 1838, on the whaling bark Milwood, 20 miles S. of the equator and 27° W. longitude.



lytic stroke, after the delivery of an address to the democratic citizens of Pittsfield, Mass.

Having studied law with his father at Stockbridge, he entered, in 1801, into a law-partnership with Hermanus Bleeker, Esq., at Albany, who was afterwards U. S. Chargé d'Affaires at the Hague. This business connection he resigned in 1821, on account of poor health, and returned to Stockbridge, where he resided (1821-39) until his death. He was a successful practitioner of the law, of high standing, and was effective both as a forensic and popular speaker.

He was, while living at Stockbridge, greatly interested in agricultural affairs, and was often chosen President of the County Agricultural Society. He represented several times the town of Stockbridge in the State legislature, and was for some years the candidate of the democratic party for Lt. Governor and the county candidate for Congress. He introduced into the legislature, in 1827, a project of a railroad from Boston to Albany, across the mountains, which at first was much derided, but which, after years of persevering effort, he succeeded in carrying into effect. He was specially devoted to free-trade, temperance and anti-slavery. He published, in 1826, anonymously, "Hints to my Countrymen," and in 1838, a work in 3 vols. 12mo, entitled, "Public and Private Economy, illustrated by observations made in Europe in 1836-7." See Appletons' New Encyclopædia, vol. xiv. p. 488.

Mrs. Susan Livingston Sedgwick, his wife, was descended from the celebrated Bishop Ridley of martyr fame in English history. She wrote various tales for children, and several larger works of fiction: as, in 1829, "The Morals of Pleasure"; in 1830, "The Young Emigrants," and "The Children's Week"; in 1834, "Allen Prescott"; in 1844, "Alida"; and in 1859, "Walter Thornley." She d. at Stockbridge, Jan. 20, 1867, aet. 78.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

- 5187. i. Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, b. Jan. 27, 1811, d. Dec. 9, 1859.
- 5188. ii. Maria Banyer Sedgwick, b. Jan. 8, 1813.

5187. i. Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, 3d, b. at Albany, N. Y., Jan. 27, 1811, m. Sept. 28, 1835, Sarah Morgan Ashburner, b. Feb. 12, 1812 (dau. of Luke Ashburner, originally of England, afterwards of India, and lastly of Stockbridge, Mass., and Sarah Morgan). She d. at Stockbridge, Oct. 21, 1856: he d. there Dec. 9, 1859.

He was grad. at Columbia Coll. N. Y. in 1829, and admitted to the bar in 1833. For more than a year afterwards he was in Europe, chiefly in Paris, and was attached to the legation and family of Edward Livingston, Esq. In September 1834 he returned home and began professional practice in New York, in which he had large success. In

1850 or thereabouts he went to Europe again, for the improvement of his health, which was poor, but never resumed afterwards the practice of his profession.

He published a treatise on "The Measure of Damages; or, An Inquiry into the Principles which govern the Amount of Compensation recovered in Suits at Law,"—a second edition of which was published in 1852. This work took its place at once among standard authorities in America and England. In 1857 he published "A Treatise on the Rules which govern the Interpretation and Application of Statutory and Constitutional Law." This is an elaborate work, which has met the approval of the bench and bar, as well as of legal writers and critics at home and abroad. He was offered by Prest. Buchanan the mission to the Hague, and was twice afterwards tendered the office of Assistant Secretary of State under Genl. Lewis Cass; but with the expectation of being able to return to professional labor again, he declined the overtures thus made to him. In Jan. 1858 he was appointed U. S. Attorney for the Southern District of New York, and accepting the office held it until his death. He wrote much on political, legal and miscellaneous topics.

Beside the special works already alluded to, he published, in 1853, "A Biographical Memoir of Gov. William Livingston of New Jersey," his maternal great-grandfather. He also edited a collection of the political writings of William Leggett (2 vols. 12mo. N. Y., 1840). Various addresses made by him were printed at different times, the latest of which was a discourse before the alumni of Columbia College, N. Y., in 1858. In this he insisted strongly on the great practical advantages of a course of study in the natural sciences over the usual classical curriculum. See Appletons' New Encyclopædia, vol. xiv. pp. 488-9.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5189. i. Theodore Sedgwick, b. Aug. 1836, d. March 1837.

5190. ii. Susan Ridley Sedgwick, b. Feb. 21, 1838, m. Charles E. Norton.

5191. iii. Sarah Price Sedgwick, b. Nov. 8, 1839.

5192. iv. Theodore Sedgwick, b. May 1841, d. Jan. 1842.

5193. v. Arthur George Sedgwick, b. Oct. 6, 1844, grad. at Harvard in 1864, was First Lieut. in the 20th Mass. Regt. in the late war—serving from June 23, 1864, to Feb. 3, 1865, when he was discharged for disability contracted in service.

5194. vi. Charles Ridley Sedgwick, b. Oct. 8, 1846, d. Oct. 1850.

5195. vii. Maria Theodora Sedgwick, b. March 4, 1851.

5190. ii. Susan Ridley Sedgwick, b. Feb. 21, 1838, m. May 21, 1862, Charles Eliot Norton, b. Nov. 16, 1827 (son of Andrews Norton of



Cambridge, Mass., and Catharine Eliot), grad. at Harvard in 1846. He resides at Cambridge, Mass. Has two children.

5196. i. Eliot Norton, b. July 1, 1863.

5197. ii. Sarah Norton, b. Sept. 10, 1864.

, [Sixth Generation.]

5125. vii. Henry Dwight Sedgwick (son of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight), b. Sept. 22, 1785, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1804, m. June 2, 1817, Jane Minot, b. in 1795 (dau. of George Richards Minot of Boston and Mary Sprakman). He d. of paralysis at Stockbridge, Mass., Dec. 23, 1831, and she d. at New York, Feb. 24, 1859. He was a lawyer of eminence, both as a practitioner and an author, and was in partnership in his profession with his brother Robert in New York.

He was early and vigorous in his attacks upon the old vexatious forms of common-law practice, and to his initial ideas and efforts may be directly traced the enactment of the present code of procedure in the State of New York, which has been widely copied also in the other States. In 1822 he published an elaborate pamphlet on "The Evils and Absurdities of the Practice of the English Common Law," embracing suggestions of most of the present reforms in legal practice. He wrote also other articles on the Common Law, and its codification, which appeared in pamphlet form and in "The North American Review."

At the very outset of the great anti-slavery movement of this century, he was an eager advocate of gradual emancipation. He was the author, in 1810, of the dissenting judicial opinion in the case of *Greenwood vs. Curtis*—6 Mass. Term Reports, B. 358, which his father fully adopted and proclaimed as also his own—which holds that the law of nature should be the law of the land, and that one man cannot legitimately have any property in another.

He was also a zealous advocate and promoter of reforms in the N. Y. City government, so as to lighten the burden of taxes, and in 1821 he published a vigorous appeal to the people on the subject of altering the city charter, so that one branch of the municipal government should be chosen exclusively by freeholders and payers of taxes on real estate.

At a time when Free-Trade had but very few advocates on either side of the Atlantic, he advocated, by numerous articles in the N. Y. Evening Post and other papers, the adoption of its principles here, and was the originator of the Free-Trade Convention held at Philadelphia, Sept. 30, 1831. In connection with Nathan Hale of Boston he established a journal, which they conducted for some time, as "The Weekly Messenger," and which was afterwards merged into "The Daily Advertiser." He was constantly busy with his pen in the advocacy of some reform that was dear to his heart.

He was greatly devoted to the cause of Greek liberty. The Greeks, in their struggle for national existence, had obtained a loan in England of £200,000, a portion of which had been appropriated to the purchase of two frigates, which were to be built under the direction of two leading New York mercantile houses, by contract with the deputies of the Greek nation. As the expenditures greatly exceeded previous expectations, one of the frigates was sold to pay expenses, and the other was detained by the contracting parties to meet their charges and commissions. Mr. Sedgwick, regarding these demands as grossly unjust, undertook, in conjunction with his brother Robert, and John Duer, Esq. (afterwards judge of the Superior Court), to obtain a release of the frigate. After a long and severe controversy, in which he had for opposing counsel David B. Ogden and Thomas Addis Emmet, and which gave rise to a sharp pamphlet discussion, Mr. Sedgwick gained his cause.

"Were he alive," said Wm. Ellery Sedgwick, Esq., in 1868, "he would now enjoy the satisfaction of seeing his apparently hopeless project of municipal reform in New York city enlisting, after 45 years of steady defeat, the best and wisest citizens in its support, with an energy and a discipline never before shown in the cause, and giving assurance of final triumph. He would see also that idea of simplifying legal procedure, which he was the first to broach, adopted in this State with a breadth and radicalness which not even he could have anticipated as likely to occur until after several generations had passed away. Those maxims likewise of political economy which he was so fond of promulgating, he would now find received as true, and earnestly advocated by great numbers of devoted adherents to the principles that they express. And what a revolution in public opinion—the greatest of modern times—would he delightedly find to have been wrought throughout all the land on the great question of universal liberty."

[George Richards Minot was, at the time of his death, when 46 years old, judge of the Probate Court of Boston, and well known as the historian of "The Shays' Rebellion," and "Of Massachusetts."]

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5198. i. George Minot Sedgwick, b. May 28, 1818, d. Jan. 7, 1821.

5199. ii. Jane Sedgwick, b. at New York, Feb. 20, 1821.

5200. iii. Frances Sedgwick, b. at Stockbridge, Sept. 6, 1822, m. Alexander Watts.

5201. iv. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, b. Aug. 16, 1824.

5202. v. Louisa Minot Sedgwick, b. in New York, Oct. 24, 1826, d. at Stockbridge, Oct. 13, 1841.

5200. iii. Frances Sedgwick, b. Sept. 6, 1822, m. April 23, 1849, Alexander Watts, b. May 15, 1815 (son of Robert Watts of Stock-

bridge and Matilda Frances Sherbourne Ridley). She d. at Stockbridge, Dec. 21, 1858. He d. at New York, Nov. 8, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5203. i. Alexander Watts, Jr., b. Jan. 1, 1852, d. June 10, 1860.

5204. ii. Henry Sedgwick Watts, b. April 9, 1858.

[Seventh Generation.]

5201. iv. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, b. Aug. 16, 1824, m. Oct. 15, 1857, Henrietta Ellery Sedgwick, b. Oct. 18, 1829 (dau. of Robert Sedgwick of New York and Elizabeth Dana Ellery), grad. at Harvard in 1843: is a lawyer in New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5205. i. Jane Minot Sedgwick, b. at Stockbridge July 30, 1859.

5206. ii. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, b. at Stockbridge Sept. 24, 1861.

5207. iii. Theodore Sedgwick, b. at Stockbridge Aug. 2, 1863.

[Sixth Generation.]

5126. viii. Robert Sedgwick (son of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight), b. June 6, 1787, grad. at Williams College in 1804, m. Aug. 21, 1822, Elizabeth Dana Ellery, b. Oct. 27, 1799 (dau. of William Ellery of Newport, R. I., and Abigail Shaw, dau. of William and Sarah Shaw. William Ellery was a son of one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence). He was a distinguished lawyer in New York. He d. at Sachem's Head, Ct., of apoplexy, Sept. 2, 1841. See Appletons' Cyclopædia for fuller account. She d. at Stockbridge, Mass., Sept. 6, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

5208. i. Elizabeth Ellery Sedgwick, b. Jan. 7, 1824, m. Aug. 20, 1860, Francis James Child, b. Feb. 1, 1825 (son of Joseph Child of Boston and Mary James), grad. at Harvard in 1846. He is Boylston Prof. of rhetoric and oratory in Harvard (since 1851). One child:

5209. 1. Maria Castilia Child, b. Oct. 12, 1863.

5210. ii. William Ellery Sedgwick, Esq., b. March 28, 1825, grad. at Harvard in 1846, d. April 16, 1873.

5211. iii. Robert Sedgwick, b. Sept. 7, 1826, d. Feb. 12, 1827.

5212. iv. Susan Ridley Sedgwick, b. Jan. 28, 1828, m. Charles E. Butler.

5213. v. Henrietta Ellery Sedgwick, b. Oct. 18, 1829, m. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, Jr. See previous page, (No. 5201.)

5214. vi. Catharine Maria Sedgwick, b. Oct. 7, 1831, m. Joseph Valerio from Genoa, Italy. No children.

5215. vii. Helen Ellery Sedgwick, b. July 16, 1836, d. at New York, June 17, 1851.

5216. viii. Edith Ellery Sedgwick, b. April 14, 1838, d. Aug. 28, 1838.



5210. ii. William Ellery Sedgwick, b. March 28, 1825, grad. at Harvard in 1846, m. Nov. 26, 1850, Constance Irving Brevoort, b. May 22, 1828 (dau. of Henry Wortley Brevoort, lately of New York, and Laura Carson of Charleston, S. C.). He was a lawyer in New York, where he d. April 16, 1873, aet. 48. His remains were deposited among those of his kindred at Stockbridge.

To his energy and kindness in tracing out the history of the descendants of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight, the author of this book and his own family friends are alike indebted for nearly all the facts here detailed concerning them.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5217. i. Robert Sedgwick, b. at New York, Jan. 12, 1852.

5218. ii. Henry Brevoort Sedgwick, b. at Lenox, Mass., Aug. 1, 1853, d. at New York, May 18, 1854.

5219. iii. Francis Edward Sedgwick, b. at New Rochelle, N. Y., Sept. 1, 1854.

5220. iv. William Ellery Sedgwick, b. at New York, Sept. 15, 1856.

5221. v. Laura Brevoort Sedgwick, b. at Lenox, Mass., Jan. 26, 1859.

5222. vi. Helen Ellery Sedgwick, b. at Lenox, Sept. 5, 1861.

[Seventh Generation.]

5212. iv. Susan Ridley Sedgwick, b. Jan. 28, 1828, m. as his 2d wife, Oct. 1, 1855, Charles E. Butler, b. March 22, 1818 (son of Henry Butler, formerly of Richmond, Va., and afterwards of Illinois, and Rebecca Green), a lawyer in New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5223. i. Charles Sedgwick Butler, b. Sept. 16, 1856, d. June 12, 1866.

5224. ii. Henrietta Sedgwick Butler, b. March 18, 1859, d. June 4, 1859.

5225. iii. Robert Sedgwick Butler, b. Oct. 15, 1861, d. April 3, 1866.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 738.

5127. ix. Catharine Maria Sedgwick (dau. of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight), b. Dec. 28, 1789, d. unmarried at Roxbury, Mass., July 31, 1867, aet. 77. She was a well-known authoress. Her first story, "The New England Tale," appeared anonymously in 1822, and its success determined her future plans of life. In 1824 she published "Redwood," which after being re-published the same year in England, was translated into French, Italian and Swedish. In 1827 she produced "Hope Leslie, or Early Times in America,"—the freshness and grace of which, together with its peculiar interest as an American Tale, made it one of the most popular of American novels. This was followed in 1830 by "Clarence, or A Tale of our own Times"; and in



1832 by "Le Bossu, A Short Story for Young People." In 1835 she published "The Linwoods, A Romance of the Revolution," and in the same year a collection also of short tales. During the three following years a series of popular books appeared from her pen: "The Poor Rich Man, and Rich Poor Man"; "Means and Ends"; "Home"; "A Love Token for Children." She furnished in 1837, "The Life of Lucretia Maria Davidson," for Sparks' Collection of American Biography, to which was added soon afterwards, as a literary companion to it, "The Life of Margaret Davidson," her sister, written by Washington Irving. In 1841, on her return from Europe, she gave to the public, "Letters from Abroad to Kindred at Home"; in 1845, "Wilton Harvey, and Other Tales"; and subsequently, "Morals of Manners, Designed for very Young Persons." The latest of her novels, "Married or Single" was issued from the press in 1857. In 1858, she published "The Life of Joseph Curtis," an honored citizen of New York, to whom the cause of education was largely indebted. She wrote besides many articles for magazines which were never collected together.

She was distinguished for her strong common sense as a writer, and for her graceful and captivating style of composition. Her tender fondness for children made her writings for them "a labor of love," as well as a means of great usefulness, and added a magnetic charm to the solid value of her publications. See Appletons' New Cyclopædia, vol. xiv. p. 488.

[Sixth Generation.]

5128. x. Charles Sedgwick (son of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight), b. Dec. 15, 1791, m. Sept. 30, 1819, Elizabeth Buckminster Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1801 (dau. of Josiah Dwight of Stockbridge and Rhoda Edwards, granddaughter of Prest. Edwards of Northampton). He d. Aug. 3, 1856: she d. at Lenox, Nov. 18, 1864.

For an account of their descendants see subsequent pages.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 628.

4168. xi. Henry Williams Dwight (son of Genl. Joseph Dwight of Gr. Barrington, Mass., and Abigail Williams, his 2d wife), b. Sept. 15, 1757, at Gr. Barrington, d. at Stockbridge, Mass., where he resided, Sept. 15, 1804, æt. 47.

He m. June 8, 1786, Abigail Welles of W. Hartford, Ct., b. 1763 (dau. of Ashbel Welles, b. Aug. 23, 1734, and d. Dec. 11, 1806, and Abigail Kellogg, b. at Hadley, Mass., Aug. 10, 1738, whom he m. April 21, 1757. Ebenezer Welles, b. Oct. 5, 1694, father of Ashbel Welles, was of the fourth generation in descent from Gov. Thomas Welles of Connecticut). She was teaching school at Stockbridge with Miss Pynchon previous to her marriage.

He was Treasurer of Berkshire County for a long time (1784-1804), and for many years was, up to within a short time of his death, clerk also of the County Court. He was greatly respected and beloved in the community where he resided.

Mrs. Abigail Dwight was a lady of remarkable intelligence, energy and piety,\* as was her mother before her, who is well remembered as a woman of distinguished spirituality of heart and life, whose large family of children, it is delightful to know, followed joyfully in her footsteps. Says Rev. W. T. Eustis of Springfield, Mass., who m. her granddaughter: "In the year 1804 she was left a widow with her three sons to educate, the youngest 11 and the eldest 16 years of age. Through the long and painful illness of her husband she displayed serene submission to the will of God. He suffered from a lingering consumption of his vitals, and was at times deeply depressed in spirit and needed constantly much sympathy and consolation. In these hours of special opportunity for her alleviating attentions to his wants and pains, the whole strength and beauty of her womanly excellence shone out to the full, through the thick cloud that was overshadowing their household. While her own heart was bleeding to the core, she was able to cheer her husband continually through all his long and sore affliction, and after her terrible bereavement to manage well the affairs of her household and to provide for the highest welfare of her sons. In bidding her farewell, her husband charged her not to be anxious about the children. God, said he, will provide for them, and with this thought he could leave them. Not only were they left to the care of one worthy of their greatest respect and affection, but they ever felt also that she possessed every quality which gives sacredness to the name of mother." She d. at Stockbridge, June 1, 1840, aet. 77, having spent 36 years in widowhood.

The mansion that he built on a beautiful tract of land which he bought of the Indians, at the end of the village, still remains in the family and is owned by James F. Dwight, Esq., his grandson.

He was a revolutionary soldier, having embarked at a very early age in that great struggle, and continued in it until its grand aim was effected.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5226. i. Col. Henry Williams Dwight, b. Feb. 26, 1788, d. Feb. 21, 1845, aet. 57.

5227. ii. Rev. Edwin Welles Dwight, b. Nov. 17, 1789, d. Feb. 25, 1841, aet. 52.

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\* She was daughter of Stephen Kellogg, Jr., a trader and innkeeper at Hadley, and Mary, dau. of Moses Cook of the same place and Mary Barnard (dau. of Capt. Samuel Barnard and Mary Colton, all of Hadley).

5228. iii. Rev. Louis Dwight, b. March 25, 1793, d. July 12, 1854, aet. 61.

5226. i. Col. Henry Williams Dwight, b. Feb. 26, 1788, m. Nov. 10, 1824, Frances Fowler, b. Sept. 19, 1797 (da. of Hon. Samuel Fowler of Westfield, Mass., and Jemima Lyman of Northampton. See for account of Lyman ancestry of his descendants, "The History of the Strong Family" by the author, p. 1123, etc.). Educated at Williams he was afterwards a trustee of the College; and it was under his nomination, eloquence and influence as such, that Rev. Mark Hopkins, D.D., then young and in a subordinate position in the faculty, was made the successor of Dr. Griffin in the presidency of that institution.

He was a lawyer at Stockbridge, and among the foremost at the Berkshire bar—a bar long noted for the high character of its members. The memory of his ability and grace as an advocate is widely spread still in Western Massachusetts. In the war of 1812 he was aid-de-camp on the staff of Maj. Genl. Whiton, with the rank of Colonel, and always afterwards wore the title.

He was a member of the State legislature in 1818, and again in 1834, and M. C. for 5 successive terms (1821–31). His predecessor, Hon. Henry Shaw, lost the favor of his constituents by voting for "The Missouri Compromise," and Col. Dwight was raised with triumph, on the anti-slavery issue thus presented, to the place which by the same vote they bade him relinquish.

While chairman of "The Com. on Indian Affairs," he proposed and supported a bill for the removal of the Southern Indians to reservations west of the Mississippi, which raised a great storm of opposition among his constituents. Mr. Shaw, on meeting him when the excitement was at its height, said, with great suavity: "Pray tell me, colonel, is the process of being scalped by Indians a disagreeable one?" Col. Dwight replied with equal courtesy: "Not more unpleasant, I fancy, than being killed by the bludgeon of a black man." His constituents, were quite ready, however, when election-day returned again, to endorse the wisdom of his views.

An extract or two from a contemporary writer's description of him at the time, in "The N. E. Galaxy," will bring him into view as he appeared then in Washington: "He is a fine exhibition of health and strength. His frame, though large, seems compact; and the combinations of ease, grace and power seem to be well developed in his form. Not yet 40, he moves down the dance with elegance, and can, like the Greek, carry the ox on his shoulders without bending under its weight. He buckles to his duty and labors so ardently and constantly that he takes rank among the first members of Congress. His voice is sweet,



his utterance easy, and his enunciation distinct. His phraseology is classical, without any tincture of pedantry—such as one naturally acquires from an intimate acquaintance with good books and refined society. He is as bold and intrepid as any man in the house, without a particle of that insolence or air of defiance which is so much the characteristic of some members. He has a large circle of friends and but few personal enemies; and it is believed that he never flinches from the latter nor deserts the former. In public life he has been true to the interests of New England; and those are seldom other than the interests of the whole nation."

Col. Dwight was fond of agriculture and fine stock, and was one of the earliest importers of merino sheep and Devonshire cattle. His horses and cattle were widely known, and often bore off prizes at the Agricultural Fairs. Some fine cattle belonging to the Shakers, who were among his clients, broke one day into his pastures, lying near Lebanon, and he quietly had them driven down to an agricultural fair then being held at Pittsfield, Mass., and entered them for competition. On getting the first prize for such fine cattle he sent them, with his servant, over to the Shaker headquarters with his compliments. He d. at New York of congestion of the brain, on his return from the west, whither he had been on an extended tour to look, among other things, after his own landed interests there, Feb. 21, 1845, aet. 57. His widow still (1874) resides at Stockbridge.

He was 6 ft. and 1 in. in height, weighing over 200 lbs., of a fine portly bearing, having blue eyes and a florid countenance, and in his later years a full head of white hair.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5229. i. Hon. Henry Williams Dwight, 3d, b. Sept. 23, 1825, at Westfield, resided unmarried at Stockbridge, where he d. May 16, 1861, aet. 35. He was a man of much literary culture, and the productions of his pen in both prose and verse were welcomed by the best journals of the day. He was once a member of the Mass. legislature, and editor for a season of "The Springfield Post." He had been always a democrat of the strictest kind; but when he heard the first call to arms against "the slavery rebellion," in the very month of his decease, it was his heaviest grief in dying that he, too, could not go and stand in the battle-field under the dear old flag. His character was of a most pure and delicate fibre, and he was tenderly loved by all who knew him.

5230. ii. Frances Dwight, b. July 14, 1827, d. March 28, 1828.

5231. iii. Col. James Fowler Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1830, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1849. After several years' travel in Europe he settled in New York for the practice of law. For  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years (1858-9) he



was Asst. U. S. Dist. Attorney with Theodore Sedgwick, Esq. (No. 5187. i.), and devoted himself energetically, while holding the office, to the suppression of the slave-trade as carried on clandestinely from the port of New York. He had at one time 13 vessels seized under bond for supposed participation in the nefarious traffic in human flesh, and kept ever at work for the extinction at that point of the piratical trade, although often at the hazard of his life, until he succeeded in uprooting the whole system of New York adventures in sending out slavers.

He left a legal practice, already lucrative, Sept. 25, 1861, and joined the Union army, in the late war, as Seed. Lieut. of Cavalry, in "The Fremont Hussars," in St. Louis. In 1863 he was Provost Marshal General of the Department of Mo., under Genl. Saml. R. Curtis, at St. Louis—his jurisdiction covering Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas. His cousin, Judge Charles Dwight was, at or about the same time, Provost Judge of Louisiana—so that these two Dwights controlled, for a time, by their military authority, the whole slave territory west of the Mississippi. After 4 years of cavalry service, passing through the intermediate grades of honor, he was mustered out of service by Genl. Sheridan, as Col. of Cavalry, July 1865, at New Orleans. The abolition character of Col. Dwight's office at St. Louis was one of the principal causes of Genl. Curtis's removal from that department. He resides now again in New York, and holds still the office to which he was appointed in May 1867, by the U. S. Government, of a Register in Bankruptcy for the Southern District of New York.

He m. Oct. 3, 1867, Charlotte Clark, b. May 8, 1832 (dau. of Cyrus Sullivan Clark of Portland, Me., and Charlotte Cooley). She d. at Stockbridge, Mass., March 29, 1873. He is 5 feet 10½ inches high, has blue eyes and a fair complexion, and weighs 190 lbs. He has two children:

5232. 1. Henry Williams Dwight, b. at Stockbridge, Sept. 24, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. Charlotte Mabel Dwight, b. March 23, 1873.

[Sixth Generation.]

5227. ii. Rev. Edwin Welles Dwight (son of Henry Williams Dwight and Abigail Welles), b. Nov. 17, 1789, at Stockbridge, was grad. at Yale in 1809. He m. April 24, 1821, Mary Sherrill of Richmond, Mass., b. 1801 (dau. of Henry Sherrill and Lois Chitsey). He was a Cong. clergyman at Richmond, Berkshire Co., Mass. (1819–37), but relinquishing his pastorate there on account of poor health, spent the last 4 years of his life (1837–41) at Stockbridge, and d. there Feb. 25, 1841, aet. 57, where his wife also died of a malarious fever, Oct. 11, 1838, aet. 37, "much beloved and lamented."

Judge Harry Bishop of Lenox, one of his hearers and friends, thus wrote of him to the author: "He was always at the bedside of the sick, and with the families of the afflicted. His tender, gentle heart revealed itself in his benignant countenance. 'It was dark,' said one to me, 'and I was full of fear,' as she lay consciously near her end, 'until Mr. Dwight came in: his face had so much of love and kindness in it that it dispelled the gathering gloom.' In the desk he was peculiarly solemn and earnest, and made no attempts at display. Although fond of the classics, and familiar with the best English literature, he never permitted his love of them to impair, in any degree, his clear, logical, simple and strong conceptions of divine truth, and his application of it to the consciences of his hearers. He never threw off anything at random. He always impressed his hearers deeply with a sense of his own inward conscientious fealty to truth.

In personal appearance he was above medium height, and of fine proportions. His features were symmetrical, but darkly shaded. He was full not only of genial good will, but also of positive pleasantry in his intercourse with others. His manners were graceful and easy, and the natural expression of a refined and generous nature. As a speaker his voice was pleasant, his enunciation was deliberate, and his oratory was dignified and agreeable. He was never vehement or declamatory, but so earnest and tenderly urgent in the appeals that he made, that he always seemed to be wholly absorbed in the deep importance of his subject." He published in 1829, at Pittsfield, a history of Berkshire Co., Mass.

Mrs. Dwight is said to have been "remarkable for her practical Christian virtues," and to have "had a most patient, beautiful spirit of devotion to her home and to her husband's usefulness in his chosen work." Their old home is now (1874) occupied as a family school for girls by Mr. and Mrs. Jared Reid—Mrs. Reid being their granddaughter.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5233. i. Mary Sherrill Dwight, b. Jan. 21, 1822, d. at Albany, N. Y., Feb. 23, 1845, aet. 23.

5234. ii. Henry Williams Dwight, b. Oct. 10, 1823, d. March 9, 1824.

✓ 5235. iii. Henry Williams Dwight, 2d, b. March 15, 1825.

5236. iv. Abby Louisa Dwight, b. June 26, 1828, m. Jared Reid.

5237. v. Judge Charles Chauncey Dwight, b. Sept. 15, 1830.

5238. vi. Laura Worthington Dwight, b. March 27, 1833, m. Alexander D. Napier.

5239. vii. Frances Eliza Dwight, b. May 31, 1836, resides unmarried at Stockbridge, Mass.

5235. iii. Henry Williams Dwight, b. March 15, 1825, has been

successively teacher; merchant, farmer and express superintendent, having resided in several different places, as at Canaan and Salisbury, Ct. (1845-8), Albany, N. Y. (1848-53), and Auburn, N. Y. (1853-66). Since Dec. 1866 he has been Superintendent of the Merchants' Union Express Company—first of "the N. E. Division," having his residence then at Springfield, Mass., but more recently of "the Eastern Division," and residing, as now, at Albany. He m. June 12, 1851, Mary Jane Winslow of Albany, b. April 16, 1827 (dau. of Richard Winslow and Mary Corning). He was brigade quartermaster in the late war, being employed in the home service and residing at Auburn.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 5240. i. Mary Winslow Dwight, b. at Auburn, Nov. 12, 1853.
- 5241. ii. Fanny Adams Dwight, b. at Albany, April 3, 1855.
- 5242. iii. Richard Henry Winslow Dwight, b. there Jan. 18, 1859.
- 5243. iv. Edwin Welles Dwight, b. at Auburn, Aug. 11, 1863.
- 5244. v. Laura Howell Dwight, b. at Albany, Sept. 13, 1871, d. there, April 23, 1873.

[Seventh Generation.]

5236. iv. Abby Louisa Dwight (dau. of Rev. Edwin Welles Dwight and Mary Sherrill), b. June 26, 1828, m. April 19, 1854, Jared Reid, b. in Reading, Mass., Nov. 22, 1824 (son of Rev. Jared Reid, b. in Preston, Ct., and Sarah Bigelow, b. in Colchester, Ct. He was settled in Reading, Mass., and afterwards in Belchertown, Mass., and River-ton, R. I.). He was grad. at Yale in 1846, and studied medicine in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York, but devoted him-self to teaching, and became principal of "The Edwards Place School" at Stockbridge, Mass. (185 -1863); head of a military school at Eagleswood, Perth Amboy, N. J. (1863-6), and of "The Edwards Place School" anew, at Stockbridge (1866-73); and now has a family school for girls (since 1873) at Richmond, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 5245. i. Lilian Dwight Reid, b. Aug. 5, 1855, in Stockbridge, d. March 6, 1861.
- 5246. ii. Sarah Bigelow Reid, b. there Nov. 4, 1856.
- 5247. iii. Charles Dwight Reid, b. there Feb. 6, 1860.
- 5248. iv. Robert Lewis Reid, b. July 29, 1862, at Stockbridge.
- 5249. v. Edwin Safford Reid, b. at Brooklyn, N. Y., May 21, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.]

5237. v. Judge Charles Chauncey Dwight (son of Rev. Edwin Welles Dwight and Mary Sherrill), b. Sept. 15, 1830, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1850, studied law at Albany, and was admitted to practice in 1853. Since 1854 he has resided at Auburn, N. Y., where he was



elected county judge (Cayuga Co.), in 1859. In 1861 he resigned his judgeship in order to serve his country as a soldier, entering the Union army as Capt. in the 75th N. Y. Regt. In May 1862 he was commissioned by Prest. Lincoln, Capt. in the Adj. Genl.'s Department, and by Gov. Morgan of N. Y., as Colonel, Nov. 1862, in the 160th N. Y. Regt. He served at Fort Pickens and Pensacola, Fla., in 1861-2 and in Louisiana from 1862 to 1865. He acted as Provost Judge at different times in the department of the gulf at New Orleans; as Acting Inspector General of the 19th Army Corps, on the Staff of Major Genl. Franklin; and as Commissioner of Exchanges for the military division of West Miss., on the Staff of Major Genl. Canby (afterwards murdered by the Modoc Indians). He participated in the campaign of 1863, resulting in the capture of Port Hudson; was in the Red River campaign of 1864; and in 1865 returned to Auburn again and engaged anew in the practice of the law. In 1867 he was a member of the Constitutional Convention of New York. In March 1868 he was made, by Gov. Reuben Fenton, Judge of the Supreme Court of New York for the Seventh District, to fill a vacancy, and at the expiration of his term of office was elected by the people to the same office in continuance which he still (1874) holds. He m. July 29, 1868, Emma Munro, b. at Camillus, N. Y., July 4, 1847 (dau. of James M. Munro and Ann Sherwood).

[Seventh Generation.]

5238. vi. Laura Worthington Dwight (dau. of Rev. Edwin W. Dwight and Mary Sherrill), b. March 27, 1833, m. June 29, 1859, Alexander Dalrymple Napier, b. Jan. 10, 1826 (son of John Napier and Sarah Hand), a merchant in New York (Becar, Napier & Co.). His family resides in Brooklyn. She was adopted in early childhood, as his daughter, by Nathan P. Howell, Esq., of Sag Harbor, L. I.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5250. i. Arthur Howell Napier, b. Nov. 16, 1861.

5251. ii. Charles Dwight Napier, b. Jan. 31, 1864.

5252. iii. Laura Howell Napier, b. Oct. 23, 1865.

\*\*\*\* iv. Alexander Napier, b. Sept. 7, 1872.

[Sixth Generation.]

5228. iii. Rev. Louis Dwight (son of Hon. Henry Williams Dwight and Abigail Welles), b. March 25, 1793, grad. at Yale in 1813, m. May 30, 1824, Louisa H. Willis of Boston, b. May 11, 1807 (dau. of Dea. Nathaniel Willis and Hannah Parker, a woman of deep religious character and of abounding benevolence. Dea. Nathaniel Willis was the founder of "The Boston Recorder," the first religious weekly paper, it is claimed, that was ever established in this country or in the world. He was the father also of N. P. Willis, the poet).



He was fitted for college by Rev. Dr. Azel Backus of Bethlehem, Ct. (afterwards Prest. of Hamilton College, N. Y.), going thither in March 1806. Here his heart took on soon new aims and purposes in life. In his mother's journal occurs, under date of July 5, 1806, the following record of the event: "This morning is more blessed to my soul than I can find words to describe. What joy can surpass mine? A child born into the family of God!"

While at Yale, in 1813, in his senior year, he inhaled, at the close of a chemical lecture, some "exhilarating gas," which brought on a hemorrhage of the lungs, and changed in the end all his prospects and plans of life. He finished his theological studies at Andover, in 1819, and became, on account of his weak lungs, instead of a preacher, as he wished to be, an agent of the American Tract Society (1819-21). His mother wrote to him during this period of his history: "I hope that your engagedness in this society, though important in the extreme and successful, as I find—in which I bid you God speed!—will not take your attention from preaching the glorious gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ." She did not desire for her sons wealth or fame, but only that they might act well their part in life, in all its high moral relations, and especially that they might make Christ savingly known to others. He soon became agent of the American Education Society, and was ordained to the ministry Nov. 27, 1822. In these labors he continued for but a brief period (1821-4), as in those of his previous agency.

In 1825 he entered upon his great and enduring life-work, in becoming the secretary, practical manager, and inspiring soul of the Prison Discipline Society, which was formed at that time in Boston, and in whose service he was delightedly and most energetically active during the 29 years of his subsequent life. This most useful society was formed largely in connection with facts disclosed by himself, as he had found them in a horseback tour of some six months' duration, made, a short time previously (1824-5), for his health. He visited during this trip, for benevolent service and curiosity alike, a large number of prisons in various States as far south as South Carolina—his direct object being to distribute bibles among the prisoners, with the further purpose in his heart of exploring carefully the real facts of their general treatment and condition. Terrible were the facts which he thus discovered and detailed to others. Out of the earnest representations which he made of the great abuses that he found needing thorough and prompt remedy in every Christian way, arose the new organization for their relief, as the creature of his own humane ideas and efforts. In 1846 he went to England and the continent to inspect the state and management of prisons there—a visit of equal

interest to himself and profit to the new cause of contemplated general reform. His "Annual Reports" during the 29 years of his *loving* devotion to the cause were, though unthought of in such a way by himself, a grand self-drawn picture of his own noble Christian zeal to elevate the condition in every way of those who were the judicial outcasts of society, on account of their wanton violation of its rights and interests. His deep moral earnestness in his work magnetized with somewhat at least of the same feeling all who came into much contact with him. Under his strong and repeated appeals to them for their sympathy and aid, leading men in the community, and legislators, justices of the courts and governors, all were moved under the inspiration of a new sense of their common humanity to a higher style of feeling and effort than ever before, in behalf of the guilty inmates of the public jails. New and costly buildings were erected to meet his ideas, and according to plans of his suggestion.

He was pre-eminently "a man of prayer." He was one of the originators of "the daily morning prayer-meeting" in the old South Chapel in Boston. The keeping also of "an annual day of fasting and prayer for colleges"—so wonderfully blessed with such conspicuous frequency from above—originated with him. He is also believed to have been specially active in establishing "the monthly union prayer-meeting" of different denominations.

He was very fond of volunteering counsel and aid in various ways to young men just stepping upon the threshold of active life. The atmosphere of his whole inward and outward being was that of abounding benevolence. His heart was ever vigorously and vigilantly alive with the full power of the sentiment, that "he who knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin." The spirit of self-forgetful, labor-loving devotion to others' good was the spirit of his whole life. The chief treasures of all time and all history, and of universal humanity, are such as he. The spirit of God is within them, and the crown of his favor rests like a perpetual halo of light forever upon them. Such men are not only good but great—great in character and attainment, in aim and achievement. This good man died at Boston, July 12, 1854, æt. 61—much too soon for a world which everywhere sufferingly needs an abundance of such willing, patient workers in it for its lasting moral welfare. It is a pleasant memory to the author to remember having once met him face to face.

Mrs. Louisa Willis Dwight d. at Boston, April 6, 1849, æt. 42. "She was peculiarly gifted and superior in respect to all the elements of personal excellence and social influence. How much of the cheerful courage which inspired her husband's heart was kindled at the fireside that she perpetually illuminated by the light of her presence, can never be told by any human tongue."

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5253. i. Maria Louisa Dwight, b. Feb. 10, 1825, m. Rev. William T. Eustis.

5254. ii. Mary Willis Dwight, b. Nov. 7, 1827, in Boston, d. April 29, 1862, aet. 34, at New Haven, Ct.

5255. iii. Louis Dwight, b. there March 3, 1847, is a clerk in Boston.

5253. i. Maria Louisa Dwight, b. in Boston, Feb. 10, 1825, m. May 6, 1846, Rev. William Tappan Eustis, b. July 6, 1821 (son of William T. Eustis, Esq., of Boston), grad. at Yale in 1841, and at the Yale Theol. Sem. in 1845, was pastor for many years of the Chapel St. Ch., in New Haven, Ct. (1848-69), and since June 3, 1869, has been settled over "The Memorial Church" at Springfield, Mass. To him the author is indebted for most of the facts here furnished concerning Rev. Louis Dwight and his descendants.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5256. i. Maria Louisa Eustis, b. Feb. 4, 1847, in Woburn, Mass., m. June 17, 1869, Sherman Hartwell Chapman, M.D., of New Haven Ct. They have a daughter :

\*\*\*\* 1. Rachel Hartwell Chapman, b. in Vienna, Austria, May 22, 1871.

5257. ii. Isabella Buckminster Eustis, b. Nov. 19, 1848, in New Haven.

5258. iii. Susan Moore Eustis, b. there Oct. 9, 1851.

5259. iv. Florence Dwight Eustis, b. there Nov. 11, 1855.

5260. v. Charles William Eustis, b. March 5, 1860.

\*\*\*\* vi. William Tappan Eustis, }  
  } twins, b. Sept. 7, 1867.  
\*\*\*\* vii. Louis Dwight Eustis, }  
  } d. July 30, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

5254. ii. Mary Willis Dwight (dau. of Rev. Louis Dwight and Louisa Willis), b. Nov. 7, 1827, d. unmarried April 29, 1862, aet. 34, at New Haven, Ct.

She taught for a few years in New Haven and Hartford, and greatly endeared herself by the warmth of her loving spirit to her pupils and fellow-teachers. Her health was never high and strong; and, like her father in his early manhood, she suffered occasionally from a hemorrhage of the lungs. Her remains were removed, according to her request, to Boston, to rest in Mt. Auburn, by the side of those of her sainted parents.

Rev. Dr. Richd. S. Storrs of Brooklyn, a personal friend, wrote thus of her after her death, in the N. Y. Independent: "Years of comparative physical feebleness had but endeared her the more to those who loved her, as they had brought to more beautiful exhibition her patience



and fortitude, the tenderness and warmth of her affection for friends, her native hopefulness and playful humor, her appreciative enjoyment of intellectual culture, and, above all, her unfading faith in God her Father and Christ her Savior. She died, as she prayed that she might, still clasping the hands and hearing the voices of those nearest to her by human ties. She has left a memory behind her in many hearts that will make earth more lonesome to them and heaven more attractive."

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The number of Genl. Joseph Dwight's descendants recorded in these pages is 1,074.

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[Fourth Generation.] See page 623.

4149. ii. Capt. Seth Dwight (son of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., and Lydia Hawley), b. Aug. 18, 1707, m. Nov. 29, 1732, Abigail Strong, b. March 24, 1711 (dau. of Ebenezer Strong, Jr., of Northampton and Elizebeth Parsons, dau. of Joseph Parsons, Jr., of same town, and Elizabeth Strong. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. p. 1121, and also pp. 1291-2). He was a farmer at Hatfield, Mass., and a man of first-rate character. He was made captain in 1743. He d. June 9, 1774, aet. 66: she d. Jan. 21, 1780, aet. 68.

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

5261. i. Abigail Dwight, b. Sept. 19, 1732, m. Lt. Samuel Partridge, and d. Feb. 26, 1816, aet. 83.

5262. ii. Seth Dwight, b. Dec. 4, 1734, d. unmarried in 1758.

5263. iii. Elizabeth Dwight, b. July 23, 1736, m. Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop, and d. March 13, 1821, aet. 84.

5264. iv. Ebenezer Dwight, b. Aug. 26, 1738, d. May 15, 1814, aet. 76.

5265. v. Daniel Dwight, b. July 30, 1740, d. unmarried May 16, 1822, a wealthy farmer and tradesman.

5266. vi. Ensign Josiah Dwight, b. Nov. 6, 1747, d. Sept. 10, 1796.

5261. i. Abigail Dwight, b. Sept. 19, 1732, m. Jan. 18, 1754, Lt. Samuel Partridge, b. July 3, 1730 [son of Cotton Partridge, b. Oct. 13, 1705, who d. aet. 27, Sept. 28, 1733, and Margaret Cook, b. March 18, 1711, dau. of Moses Cook and Mary Barnard, all of Hatfield. Cotton Partridge was son of Samuel Partridge, Jr., and widow Mary Atwater, née Cotton, dau. of Rev. Seaborn Cotton. Samuel Partridge, Jr., was the son of Col. Samuel Partridge of Hatfield and Mehitable Crow, and so brother to Mehitable Partridge, who m. Justice Nathaniel Dwight of Northampton and Mary Partridge, who m. his brother, Rev. Josiah



Dwight of Woodstock, Ct. These brothers Dwight being uncles to Capt. Seth Dwight of Hatfield, who was son of Capt. Henry Dwight their brother—their children were, by their Partridge line of affinity, first cousins to Cotton Partridge as well as to him by their common Dwight lineage. They saw, therefore, in the marriage of Lt. Samuel Partridge and Abigail Dwight, their own second cousins united to each other. And also as from the 3d generation onwards all Dwights of the Northampton or Woodstock branches of the family are equally of Partridge descent, so likewise is one large branch of the different families of Capt. Henry Dwight's descendants put, in the fifth generation, by Abigail Dwight's marriage to Lt. Partridge, into immediate connection with the same Partridge family-stock. Col. Samuel Partridge of Hatfield, who was one of the most distinguished men of his day (see page 110.), ought to seem to nearly half of all the Dwights of the land a historic personage of great interest to them.]

Lt. Samuel Partridge was a farmer and joiner, and a man of great energy, and of superior intelligence, and possessed of a good estate. He served as Lieut. in the French war, and was at the taking of Quebec by Genl. Wolfe. He d. at Hatfield, where he lived, April 4, 1809, aet. 79. She d. there Feb. 26, 1816, aet. 83. She is said to have been a lady of much intelligence and excellence.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5267. i. Esther Partridge, b. May 1757, d. Nov. 12, 1757.

5268. ii. Esther Partridge, b. March 26, 1761, m. John Allis, and d. aet. 73, Dec. 22, 1834.

5269. iii. Samuel Partridge, b. Nov. 4, 1764, d. in 1769.

5270. iv. Dea. Cotton Partridge, b. Dec. 1, 1765, d. Nov. 13, 1846.

5271. v. Abigail Partridge, b. and d. in 1767.

5272. vi. Major Samuel Partridge, 2d, b. Oct. 10, 1775, d. March 11, 1856.

5268. ii. Esther Partridge, b. March 26, 1761, m. Sept. 30, 1779, John Allis, b. Jan. 18, 1756 (son of Elisha Allis, b. Dec. 3, 1716—who was son of Ichabod Allis of Hatfield and Mary Belding). He was a wealthy farmer in Hatfield, and d. there March 1, 1829, aet. 73: she d. Dec. 22, 1834.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5273. i. Abigail Allis, b. Dec. 14, 1779, m. Col. Erastus Billings, and d. Oct. 17, 1829, aet. 50.

5274. ii. Fanny Allis, b. Nov. 11, 1781, d. Feb. 9, 1787.

5275. iii. Sophia Allis, b. Nov. 18, 1783, m. Remembrance Bardwell.

5276. iv. John Allis, b. Sept. 4, 1786, d. aet. 21, Oct. 3, 1807, from the effects of a fall from a building.

5277. v. Josiah Allis, b. May 2, 1794.

5278. vi. Dwight Lathrop Allis, b. Oct. 13, 1805, d. July 16, 1809.

5273. i. Abigail Allis, b. Dec. 14, 1779, m. July 8, 1798, Col. Erastus Billings of Hatfield, b. June 30, 1778 (son of Silas Billings and Miriam Dickinson). She d. Oct. 17, 1829: he d. Oct. 27, 1838.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5279. i. Fanny Allis Billings, b. Dec. 31, 1798, d. aet. 14, Sept. 23, 1813.

5280. ii. Silas Billings, b. Oct. 29, 1800, d. Jan. 14, 1850.

5281. iii. John Allis Billings, b. Feb. 22, 1806.

5282. iv. Erastus Billings, b. May 11, 1809.

5280. ii. Silas Billings, b. Oct. 29, 1800, m. Dec. 9, 1824, Mary Smith Graves, b. May 5, 1803 (dau. of Levi Graves of Hatfield and Mary Smith of S. Hadley, Mass.). He lived at Hatfield, and d. Jan. 14, 1850.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5283. i. Samuel Fellows Billings, b. Oct. 1826, d. soon.

5284. ii. Samuel Fellows Billings, b. Jan. 18, 1828, m. Jan. 1, 1857, Elizabeth H. Allis (dau. of Dexter Allis), and d. April 23, 1858.

5285. iii. Abby Frances Billings, b. April 1830, d. Dec. 12, 1830.

5286. iv. Abby Allis Billings, b. Nov. 30, 1832, m. Feb. 10, 1858, Lyman Clapp of Providence, R. I.

5287. v. Mary Catharine Billings, b. Sept. 25, 1834.

5288. vi. Jane Maria Billings, b. Aug. 14, 1836.

5289. vii. Cornelia Ann Billings, b. Oct. 22, 1838.

5290. viii. Sarah Ann Billings, b. Dec. 15, 1843, d. May 9, 1844.

[Eighth Generation.]

5281. iii. John Allis Billings (son of Col. Erastus Billings and Abigail Allis), b. Feb. 22, 1806, m. Oct. 21, 1828, Clarissa Dickinson of Phelps, N. Y. (dau. of Augustus Dickinson). He is a farmer at Hatfield.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5291. i. Frances Allis Billings, b. July 12, 1830.

5292. ii. William Dickinson Billings, b. Aug. 5, 1832.

5293. iii. Louisa Wells Billings, b. Sept. 4, 1840, d. Aug. 22, 1843.

5294. iv. Willard Wells Billings, b. Aug. 22, 1845, d. Sept. 28, 1845.

[Eighth Generation.]

5282. iv. Erastus Billings, Jr., b. May 11, 1809, m. May 28, 1834, Artemisia Ford of Lee, N. Y., b. in Somers, Ct., Nov. 29, 1811 (dau. of John Ford, afterwards, from about 1815, of Lee-Centre, Oneida Co., N. Y., and Anna Pease).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5295. i. Henry Pease Billings, b. June 1835, is Register of deeds

at Northampton, Mass., and unmarried (1873). He was 2d Lieut. in Co. K, in the 52d Mass. Regt., in the 19th Army Corps, Department of the Gulf, under Genl. Banks (Aug. 1862—Aug. 1863). He took part in the engagement of "Irish Bend" and the siege of "Port Hudson."

5296. ii. Erastus Ford Billings, b. Nov. 26, 1838, is a farmer at Hatfield and unmarried. He enlisted in the Union army, but before going to the war lost a leg by the bursting of a cannon in firing a salute, and remained at home.

5297. iii. Albert Allis Billings, b. Sept. 1, 1842, d. May 26, 1843.

5298. iv. George Allis Billings, b. May 26, 1846, m. Dec. 6, 1871, Abby A. Graves (dau. of Jonathan S. Graves and Caroline Smith). He is a farmer at Hatfield. They have one daughter:

\*\*\*\* 1. Mabel Louise Billings, b. Aug. 7, 1873.

[Seventh Generation.]

5275. iii. Sophia Allis (dau. of John Allis and Esther Partridge), b. Nov. 18, 1783, m. April 12, 1802, Remembrance Bardwell, a blacksmith in Hatfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5299. i. Eliza Ann Bardwell, b. Oct. 22, 1804, m. Harvey Graves and removed to Beloit, Wis.

5300. ii. Seth Bardwell, b. Nov. 17, 1806, m. Louisa White (dau. of Elijah White) and removed to Ohio.

5301. iii. Dwight Lathrop Bardwell, b. Dec. 28, 1812.

5302. iv. Fanny Billings Bardwell, b. March 21, 1817.

5303. v. Sophia Allis Bardwell, b. Jan. 1, 1820, m. Eliel A. Dickinson of Whateley, Mass. They reside in Hatfield.

[Seventh Generation.]

5277. v. Josiah Allis (son of John Allis and Esther Partridge), b. May 2, 1794, m. May 17, 1821, Salome Osborne of Pittsfield, Mass., and for a 2d wife Louisa Bardwell of Hatfield, May 18, 1837: a farmer at Hatfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5304. i. Harriet Allis, b. June 17, 1822, m. May 24, 1842, James D. Morton of Hatfield. She d. in 1862.

5305. ii. Augusta Salome Allis, b. Dec. 22, 1824, m. John D. Brown of Hatfield.

[Sixth Generation.]

5270. iv. Dea. Cotton Partridge (son of Lt. Samuel Partridge and of Abigail Dwight), b. Dec. 1, 1765, m. May 4, 1788, Sophia Arms (dau. of Dea. Jonathan Arms of Deerfield and ——— Hinsdale), who

d. June 29, 1793. He m. June 23, 1796, Hannah Lyman, b. July 20, 1773 (dau. of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lyman of Hatfield and Hannah Huntington). She d. May 10, 1835. He d. Nov. 13, 1846. [Dea. Jonathan Arms' 2d wife was Eunice Lyman, dau. of Dea. Aaron Lyman and Eunice Dwight. See page 542.]

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

5306. i. Dea. Dwight Partridge, b. May 30, 1789, d. Nov. 13, 1817.

5307. ii. Theodore Partridge, b. Oct. 26, 1791, d. July 4, 1848.

*By second wife :*

5308. iii. Sophia Arms Partridge, b. May 7, 1798, m. Moses Morton, and d. March 5, 1863.

5309. iv. Eunice Lyman Partridge, b. June 16, 1800, m. Horace Janes.

5310. v. Hannah Huntington Partridge, b. March 8, 1802, m. David S. Whitney, and for 2d husband Joseph H. Brainerd.

5311. vi. Joseph Lyman Partridge, b. June 7, 1804.

5312. vii. Abigail Dwight Partridge, b. April 25, 1806, m. Rev. Levi Pratt, and for a 2d husband Lebbeus B. Ward.

5313. viii. Maria Cotton Partridge, b. Nov. 28, 1808, was a teacher in the Female Seminary, for some years, at Rockford, Ill., but resides now (1874) unmarried at St. Alban's, Vt.

5314. ix. Fanny Partridge, b. March 22, 1811, m. as his 2d wife Joseph H. Brainerd.

5315. x. Rev. George Cotton Partridge, b. Aug. 27, 1813.

5316. xi. Harriet Partridge, b. Nov. 17, 1815, m. Albert Woodruff.

5317. xii. Henry Dwight Partridge, b. Oct. 5, 1818, d. Nov. 24, 1822.

5303. i. Dea. Dwight Partridge, b. May 30, 1789, m. April 5, 1807, Elizabeth Sabin of Belchertown, Mass. He was for many years deacon in the church at Hatfield, but removed to Phelps, N. Y., where he was a merchant, and d. Nov. 13, 1817.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5318. i. Sarah Partridge, b. May 1808, m. Rev. Ira Wilcox, Methodist, then of Onondaga Co., N. Y.

5319. ii. Jonathan Partridge, b. 1809, m. Christiana Shear of W. Troy, N. Y. He d. Nov. 1852, at Troy, where he lived.

5320. iii. Rev. Alfred Hinsdale Partridge, b. Dec. 14, 1811.

5321. iv. Edward Augustus Partridge, b. in 1813.

5322. v. Lt. Edwin Dwight Partridge, b. in 1815, served in the Mexican war in the U. S. A. He was a Lieut. in a Wis. regiment in the late war. Genl. Hooker said of him, on account of his great bravery, that "he did not know what fear was."



766 *Descendants of Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass.,*

5323. vi. Elizabeth Sabin Partridge, b. May 1818, m. Dec. 3, 1853, James Coleman.

5320. iii. Rev. Alfred Hinsdale Partridge, b. Dec. 14, 1811, m. July 20, 1847, Elizabeth Blanchard Dominick (dau. of James M. Dominick of New York). He is now (1874), and has been for several years past, rector of Christ Church in Brooklyn, E. D.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5324. i. Elizabeth Blanche Partridge, b. June 15, 1848.

5325. ii. Alfred Dwight Partridge, b. March 28, 1851.

[Seventh Generation.]

5307. ii. Theodore Partridge, b. Oct. 26, 1791 (son of Dea. Cotton Partridge and Sophia Arms), m. about 1816, Electa Partridge (dau. of John Partridge of Pittsfield, Mass.). He was secretary of an insurance Co. at Raleigh, N. C., where he d. July 4, 1848. She d. there a few years since.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5326. i. Sophia Arms Partridge, b. Nov. 1817, resides unmarried at Raleigh.

5327. ii. John Cotton Partridge, b. about 1819, a merchant at Chicago, Ill., is married but has no children.

5329. iii. Caroline Partridge, b. about 1822, m. Mr. Jordan, a manufacturer and merchant in —, Ill.

5330. iv. Henry Partridge, b. about 1824.

5331. v. Martha Partridge, b. about 1826, d. unmarried at Raleigh.

[Seventh Generation.]

5308. iii. Sophia Arms Partridge (dau. of Dea. Cotton Partridge and Hannah Lyman), b. May 7, 1798, m. Nov. 28, 1816, Moses Morton, a farmer in Hatfield, b. Jan. 4, 1790 (son of Josiah Morton and Phebe Bliss of Longmeadow). She d. March 5, 1863. From him the dates and facts here given were obtained. He is still living (1873) at Hatfield, aet. 83.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5332. i. Dwight Partridge Morton, b. Oct. 12, 1817.

5333. ii. Josiah Lyman Morton, b. Oct. 24, 1820, d. March 21, 1837.

5334. iii. Sophia Arms Morton, b. June 21, 1824, m. Israel G. Dickinson.

5335. iv. Joseph Lyman Morton, b. Dec. 7, 1831, d. Jan. 31, 1832.

5336. v. Rev. Joseph Lyman Morton, b. Nov. 15, 1833.

5337. vi. Helen Maria Morton, b. Jan. 31, 1838, m. George W. Waite.

5332. i. Dwight Partridge Morton, b. Oct. 12, 1817, m. March 31, 1841, Chloe Cowles, b. at Lyons, N. Y., Aug. 31, 1820 (dau. of Lucius

Cowles of Wmsburgh, Mass., originally, and Clarissa White of Goshen, Mass.). He is a farmer in Hatfield.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5338. i. Josiah Lyman Morton, b. Jan. 5, 1842, is a dry goods merchant in Milwaukee, Wis.

5339. ii. Abby Ward Morton, b. Oct. 12, 1845, d. June 17, 1863.

5340. iii. Clarissa White Morton, b. May 4, 1851.

5341. iv. Henry Dwight Morton, b. Dec. 22, 1852.

5342. v. Eunice Janes Morton, b. Sept. 10, 1854.

5343. vi. Albert Woodruff Morton, b. April 20, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.]

5334. iii. Sophia Arms Morton (dau. of Moses Morton and Sophia A. Partridge), b. June 21, 1824, m. Nov. 1, 1842, Israel George Dickinson, b. in Hatfield, Aug. 14, 1818 (son of Israel Dickinson and Polly Dickinson), a clerk at Hatfield, where he d. June 2, 1868, aet. 49. She resides in Ashtabula, O. (1874).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5344. i. George Dwight Dickinson, b. April 5, 1844, d. Aug. 10, 1854.

5345. ii. Edward Huntington Dickinson, b. Feb. 12, 1846, m. Ann Hurd of Newark, N. J., resides near Fort Geary, at the mouth of the Red River of the north, and is engaged in steamboat operations there.

5346. iii. Alfred Morton Dickinson, b. June 13, 1853.

\*\*\*\* iv. Carleton Partridge Dickinson, b. Dec. 24, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.]

5336. v. Rev. Joseph Lyman Morton, b. Nov. 15, 1833, grad. at Yale in 1857, m. May 14, 1863, Sophie Hyndshaw (dau. of Rev. James B. Hyndshaw of Henry, Ill.). He was a Presb. minister at Waukegan, Ill., where he d. much lamented, Dec. 8, 1867, aet. 34. His widow m. in 1869, Judge Erastus Williams of Chicago. They had one child :

5347. 1. Louise Hyndshaw Morton, b. Aug. 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

5337. vi. Helen Maria Morton (dau. of Moses Morton and Sophia A. Partridge), b. Jan. 31, 1838, m. Jan. 1, 1863, George White Waite (son of George Waite of Hatfield and Melissa Preston from Granby, Mass.), grad. at Amherst in 1861, a merchant in ready-made clothing at Ashtabula, O. Has had two children :

5348. 1. Sophia Morton Waite, b. Feb. 27, 1864, d. March 10, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Melissa Waite, b. about 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

5309. iv. Eunice Lyman Partridge (dau. of Dea. Cotton Partridge and Hannah Lyman), b. June 16, 1800, m. June 19, 1823, Horace

Janes, b. in Brimfield, Mass., Sept. 18, 1781 (son of Jonathan Janes, afterwards of Hartford, Ct., b. Jan. 8, 1756, and Patty Plympton of Sturbridge, Mass., whom he m. Feb. 1781). He resided for some 30 years at St. Alban's, Vt., where he was for many years clerk of court (1817-34) and judge of probate, and where he d. March 15, 1834. His widow resides at San Francisco (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5349. i. Horace Partridge Janes, b. May 16, 1824, grad. at Vt. University in 1844, studied law in New York and practised his profession in San Francisco, Cal., where he d. Oct. 6, 1862, aet. 38. He m. Julia Maria Hall, dau. of Dr. Charles and Charlotte Hall of Burlington, Vt., and had a son, Frank Janes, by her, who d. soon. She d. Sept. 18, 1853, and he m. for 2d wife, Sept. 20, 1855, Lucy A., dau. of Isaac M. and Caroline Hall of New Haven, Ct. They had 4 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Horace Hall Janes, b. March 24, 1857, d. June 29, 1862.

\*\*\*\* 2. Thomas Eugene Janes, b. April 15, 1859.

\*\*\*\* 3. Louis Lyman Janes, b. June 26, 1861.

\*\*\*\* 4. Horace Mortimer Janes, b. May 25, 1863.

5350. ii. Joseph Lyman Janes, b. March 28, 1826, d. Dec. 7, 1868.

5351. iii. Catharine Mary Janes, b. March 27, 1828, d. Aug. 29, 1829.

5352. iv. Louis Dwight Janes, b. April 27, 1830, d. May 19, 1845.

5353. v. Abby Maria Janes, b. May 10, 1832, d. Sept. 18, 1833.

Thus of this whole family of 12, only the mother and 3 young grandchildren now survive.

[Seventh Generation.]

5310. v. Hannah Huntington Partridge (dau. of Dea. Cotton Partridge and Hannah Lyman), b. March 8, 1802, m. Aug. 4, 1834, David Stearns Whitney of Northampton, a merchant. He d. in Gainesville, Ala. After his decease she m. for a 2d husband, May 26, 1837, Hon. Joseph H. Brainerd of St. Alban's, Vt., without issue. She d. there Nov. 18, 1837. He m. afterwards her sister Fanny. See subsequent account. She had a son, David S. Whitney, b. Feb. 29, 1836, in Pensacola, and d. in 1854, aet. 18.

5311. vi. Joseph Lyman Partridge, b. June 7, 1804, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1828, was for many years Principal of an academy at Leicester, Mass. He has resided for several years at Lawrence, Kansas, and been Collector of the U. S. revenue. He m. Aug. 9, 1837, Zibeah N. Willson, dau. of Rev. Luther Willson, Unitarian, of Peterham.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5347. i. John Nelson Partridge, b. Sept. 28, 1838, served as a soldier for 3 years in the late war, and was 1st Lieut. and afterwards Cap-

tain in the 24th Mass. Regt. He is engaged in the insurance business in New York. He m. and has a son, Nelson Howard, b. Nov. 1, 1868.

5348. ii. Joseph Lyman Partridge, b. March 11, 1845, d. Sept. 25, 1849.

5349. iii. Edward Laselle Partridge, M.D., b. Sept. 27, 1853, grad. at N. Y. Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons, is resident physician at Blackwell's Island.

[Seventh Generation.]

5312. vii. Abigail Dwight Partridge (dau. of Dea. Cotton and Hannah Partridge), b. April 25, 1806, m. in 1835 Rev. Levi Pratt, b. in 1800, grad. at Amherst Coll. in 1826, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1829, settled at Hatfield, Mass. (1830-5), at Medford, Mass. (1835-7), where he d. Aug. 9, 1837, aet. 37. She m. for 2d husband, Feb. 25, 1839, Lebbeus Baldwin Ward, b. April 7, 1801 (son of Silas Ward of Morristown, and afterwards of Elizabethtown, both of N. J., and Phebe Dod, a descendant of Daniel Dod, who settled at Guilford, Ct., about 1640, and about 1668 at Newark, N. J.). He was a practical engineer, residing at New York, and a director in several different banks when in active business. Since 1866 he has lived retired at Morristown, N. J. She d. Nov. 25, 1845, aet. 39.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5350. i. Prof. Samuel Baldwin Ward, M.D., b. June 8, 1842, grad. at Columbia Coll. in 1861, and in his medical studies at the Georgetown Med. Coll., D. C., was Asst. Surgeon in the late war (1864-5), and has been since 1869 lecturer in The Woman's Med Coll. of N. Y., first on anatomy and more recently on surgery. He is a practising physician in New York. He is also a surgeon in The Presb. Hospital of New York (lately established). He m. Oct. 10, 1872, Nina Wheeler (dau. of William Wheeler of New York).

5351. ii. Willard Parker Ward, b. Oct. 12, 1845, grad. at Columbia Coll. in 1865, is a mining engineer, having pursued his profession in Europe. He resides now (1873) at Salt Lake City, Utah. He m. Oct. 23, 1872, Rebecca Erskine, dau. of Judge John Erskine of the U. S. Dist. Court of Ga.

[Seventh Generation.]

5314. ix. Fanny Partridge (dau. of Dea. Cotton and Hannah Partridge), b. March 22, 1811, m. as his 2d wife, May 8, 1839, Hon. Joseph Hungerford Brainerd, b. in Chatham, Ct., March 22, 1801 (son of Joseph Spencer Brainerd of East Haddam, Ct., and Hannah Hungerford, dau. of Joseph Hungerford of Hadlyme, Ct., and Hannah Green), grad. at Yale in 1822, has resided all his life at St. Alban's, Vt., where for some years he practised law. He was for three years State Senator



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(1831-4), and for 38 years (1834-72), clerk of the courts in Franklin Co. He has been also, since 1840, a deacon in the Cong. Ch. See for his previous marriage to her sister Hannah, No. 5310. v. She d. May 10, 1848.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5352. i. Joseph Partridge Brainerd, b. June 27, 1840, grad. at Vt. Univ. (Burlington), in 1862, enlisted in Sept. 1862, in Co. L, of the First Vt. Cavalry, took part in several battles, was in that of Gettysburgh, and was wounded, May 1864, in the battle of the Wilderness. He d. in Andersonville prison, Sept. 1864.

5353. ii. Elizabeth Little Brainerd, b. March 26, 1843, d. Dec. 20, 1854.

5354. iii. George Cotton Brainerd, d. Nov. 23, 1845, grad. at Yale in 1867, and at Harvard Law School in 1871, is a lawyer in Brooklyn, N. Y.

5355. iv. Fanny Partridge, b. April 14, 1848.

[Seventh Generation.]

5315. x. Rev. George Cotton Partridge (son of Dea. Cotton Partridge and Hannah Lyman), b. Aug. 27, 1813, grad. at Amherst Coll. in 1833, tutor there (1836-8), was grad. at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1838. He was settled at Nantucket, Mass. (1839-41), Brimfield, Mass. (1842-7), and Greenfield, Mass. (1848-54); and was stated supply at Batavia, Ill. (1860-66), where he has since resided (1873) without charge. In 1866 he was U. S. Collector of internal revenue, and since 1867 he has been an insurance agent. He m. June 9, 1840, Sophia Harmer Johns, b. Sept. 15, 1813 (dau. of Rev. Evans Johns of Canandaigua, N. Y., and Fanny Lyman, dau. of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lyman of Hatfield, Mass., and Hannah Huntington).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5356. i. Fanny Lyman Partridge, b. Jan. 28, 1844, resides unmarried at Batavia.

5357. ii. Eliza Jackson Partridge, b. Aug. 5, 1849.

5358. iii. George Lewis Lyman Partridge, b. Aug. 22, 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

5316. xi. Harriet Partridge (dau. of Dea. Cotton Partridge and Hannah Lyman), b. Nov. 17, 1815, m. July 4, 1836, Albert Woodruff of Brooklyn, a merchant in New York (a large dealer in salt and fish), b. Aug. 13, 1807, in Sandisfield, Mass. (son of Isaiah Woodruff of Farmington, Ct., and Sarah Parsons of Enfield, Ct.). He has been very active in promoting Sunday School interests, not only at home, but also on the continent of Europe. He resides in Brooklyn.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5359. i. Albert Cotton Woodruff, b. June 16, 1837, m. March 6, 1861, Eleanor Berry of Brooklyn (dau. of Martin Roome Berry and Eleanor Berry). He is engaged in the storage business in New York, and resides in Brooklyn. Children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Harriet Partridge Woodruff, b. July 15, 1862.

\*\*\*\* 2. Eleanor Berry Woodruff, b. Jan. 24, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 3. Edith Woodruff, b. July 20, 1865.

\*\*\*\* 4. Agnes Lloyd Woodruff, b. June 26, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 5. Albert Martin Woodruff, b. Oct. 24, 1872.

5360. ii. Harriet Seward Woodruff, b. July 11, 1840, resides unmarried in Brooklyn.

5361. iii. George Parsons Woodruff, b. Aug. 25, 1842, d. May 25, 1848.

5362. iv. Rev. Henry Collins Woodruff, b. Feb. 16, 1845, grad. at Yale in 1868 : is preaching now (1874) at Northport, L. I.

5363. v. Sarah Frances Woodruff, b. May 5, 1848, resides unmarried in Brooklyn.

5364. vi. Abby Lucretia Woodruff, b. May 16, 1854, d. Aug. 6, 1855.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 762.

5272. vi. Major Samuel Partridge (son of Lt. Samuel Partridge and Abigail Dwight), b. Oct. 10, 1775, m. Sept. 8, 1796, Mabel Dickinson of Hatfield, b. 1776 (dau. of Genl. Lemuel Dickinson and Molly Little). He was for many years a representative of Hatfield in the State legislature. He d. March 11, 1856, aet. 80 : she d. Nov. 4, 1841, aet. 65.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5365. i. Hepzibah Dickinson Partridge, b. Dec. 10, 1797, d. Aug. 21, 1865, aet. 67. She m. Israel Billings.

5366. ii. Samuel Dwight Partridge, b. Oct. 15, 1806.

5365. i. Hepzibah Dickinson Partridge, b. Dec. 10, 1797, m. Jan. 1816, Israel Billings, b. 1784 (son of Wm. Billings of Conway, Mass., and Jerusha Williams, dau. of Col. Israel Williams of Hatfield), grad. at Williams in 1805, a lawyer in Hatfield. He d. in 1858, aet. 74. She d. Aug. 21, 1865, aet. 67.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5367. i. Israel Williams Billings, b. June 1817, m. Ruth Hubbard (dau. of Stearns Hubbard of Hatfield). He is a farmer in Hatfield.

5368. ii. Hon. Samuel Partridge Billings, b. March 1, 1819, m. Ruby Harding of Whateley. He is a member of the Mass. Legislature (1874). He is a farmer at Hatfield, Mass.

5369. iii. Charles Williams Billings, b. Dec. 1821, m. Mary Hub-

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bard (dau. of Stearns Hubbard of Hatfield). She d. and he m. for 2d wife, Catharine Low. He is a farmer at Glen Cove, L. I.

5370. iv. George Dickinson Billings, b. April 1824, m. Elizabeth Cowles (dau. of Erastus Cowles of Hatfield). He is a farmer at Deerfield, Mass.

5371. v. Jerusha Williams Billings, b. Aug. 5, 1827, d. Oct. 14, 1839.

5372. vi. Edward Coke Billings, b. Dec. 3, 1829, grad. at Yale in 1853 and at Harvard Law School in 1856, is a lawyer at New Orleans, La.

[Seventh Generation.]

5366. ii. Samuel Dwight Partridge (son of Major Samuel Partridge, Jr., and Mabel Dickson), b. Oct. 15, 1806, grad. at Amherst in 1827, m. Sept. 8, 1834, Lucretia Andrews Warner, b. Dec. 24, 1814 (dau. of Zenas Warner of Chesterfield, Mass., and Almira Andrews). He has been for many years a wholesale dealer in salt and fish in New York (since 1849), (firm, Woodruff & Robinson, 14 Coenties Slip.) To him is to be credited much of the account here given of the descendants of Lt. Samuel Partridge and Abigail Dwight.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5373. i. Mary Ann Ward Partridge, b. Aug. 9, 1835, m. April 28, 1858, Peter Michael Myers, b. in Whitehall, N. Y., July 12, 1833 (son of Peter J. H. Myers and Lucy Kirtland), a banker and broker in New York (P. M. Myers & Co.), residing in Orange, N. J. No children.

5374. ii. Harriet Homes Partridge, b. Nov. 19, 1837, m. April 28, 1858, Henry Isaac Bliss, b. in Hartford, Ct. (son of Charles Bliss and Lucia Coe), grad. at Yale in 1853, a civil engineer, residing in La Crosse, Wis. Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Charles Ward Bliss, b. March 24, 1859, d. Dec. 1859.

\*\*\*\* 2. Anna Myers Bliss, b. May 21, 1861.

5375. iii. Henrietta Strong Partridge, b. Aug. 11, 1839, d. Aug. 17, 1839.

5376. iv. Samuel Partridge, b. Nov. 9, 1844, m. Oct. 12, 1870, Emma Augusta Collamore (dau. of Davis Collamore of Orange, N. J., and Helen Augusta Fiske). He resides in Orange, and is engaged with P. M. Myers & Co., in banking, etc., in New York.

5377. v. John Cotton Partridge, b. May 11, 1846, d. Oct. 21, 1846.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 761.

5263. iii. Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Capt. Seth Dwight of Hatfield and Abigail Strong), b. July 23, 1736, m. May 16, 1759, Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop, b. at Norwich, Ct., Oct. 20, 1731 (son of Solomon Lathrop of Norwich and Mrs. Martha Todd, *née* Perkins, widow of Thomas Todd of Roxbury, Mass., and dau. of Dea. Joseph Per-

kins of Norwich), grad. at Yale in 1754. He was settled as pastor of the Cong. Ch. in West Springfield, Mass., Aug. 25, 1756—as the successor of Rev. Samuel Hopkins, D.D., and performed the duties of his pastorate for the long period of 61 years, up to March 1818. He d. Dec. 31, 1820, aet. 89, and Mrs. Lathrop, d. aet. 84, March 13, 1821, from the fracture of a bone by a fall on the ice. They lived together as a married pair more than 60 years. He was above the ordinary height in stature, and stoutly built. His whole air and manner bespoke a high degree of intellectual and moral dignity. To a mind of the first order he united the most kindly affections. His great cheerfulness gave a charm to his old age, as rare as it was delightful. His mind was quick and clear, acute and comprehensive. He was elected in 1793 to the professorship of divinity in Yale College, but declined the acceptance of the office. His merits as a thinker and a writer entitle him to be placed among the most distinguished divines of New England. His style of conversation and of preaching was always singularly well adapted to the occasion and the times. He was wont to preach on current events and matters of special public interest, “droughts and floods, and eclipses and witches,” so that a waggish friend once said to him that “he could think of but one thing about which he had not preached, and that was a Connecticut River fog.” So highly was his judgment valued as that of a wise and practical counsellor, that he was more frequently solicited for advice, in ecclesiastical matters especially, and even from a great distance, than is the ordinary experience of those in the ministry. Seven volumes of sermons from his pen were published—the last containing his autobiography; but they are all now out of print. Rev. Dr. Wm. B. Sprague, D.D., afterwards of Albany, and who married successively two of his granddaughters, was settled as his colleague in 1819, a year before his death.

Mrs. Lathrop is described (see Sprague’s *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. i. pp. 528–41), “as a person of great discretion, retiring and unobtrusive in her disposition, and a model especially of the domestic virtues.”

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5378. i. Solomon Lathrop, b. March 27, 1760, d. April 27, 1787, aet. 17.

5379. ii. Seth Lathrop, M.D., b. Aug. 11, 1762, d. Feb. 26, 1831, aet. 68.

5380. iii. Capt. Joseph Lathrop, b. Feb. 18, 1765, d. Dec. 11, 1831, aet. 65.

5381. iv. Samuel Lathrop, b. Dec. 24, 1766, d. Oct. 19, 1767.

5382. v. Hon. Samuel Lathrop, 2d, b. May 1, 1772, d. July 11, 1846, aet. 74.

5383. vi. Dwight Lathrop, b. April 9, 1780, d. Nov. 12, 1818, aet. 38.



[I. Rev. John Lathrop, "one of the fathers of New England," was educated at Oxford University and settled at Edgerton, Kent, Eng., and afterwards as the second minister of "The Independents" in London, successor to Rev. Mr. Jaub. Mr. Lathrop, after 40 of his society had been imprisoned in 1632, sought of King Charles liberty to depart from the kingdom, and succeeded at last in obtaining his request, although violently opposed in it by Archbishop Laud, who had a bitter prejudice against him, and arrived at Boston, Sept. 18, 1634. In 1639 he settled at Barnstable, Mass., having previously preached in Scituate. His first wife died before he left England. He d. in 1653, "a learned, pious, meek Christian man."

II. Samuel, his 2d son, b. in England, m. Nov. 28, 1644, Elizabeth Scudder of Barnstable, Eng., originally. He was a master-builder. He removed from Barnstable, Mass., to New London, and in 1688, to Norwich, Ct., where she d. ere long, and he m. in 1692 Abigail Doane, b. in 1631 (dau. of John and Abigail Doane). He d. Feb. 29, 1699-1700: she d. in 1734, aet. 103.

III. Joseph Lathrop (4th son of Samuel Lathrop of Norwich and of Elizabeth Scudder), b. at New London, Oct. 1661, d. July 5, 1740. He had 3 wives, by one of whom, Elizabeth Waterhouse, his 2d wife (whom he m. Feb. 2, 1697, and who d. Nov. 29, 1726), he had 8 children, of whom

IV. Solomon, his 2d son, was b. Dec. 12, 1706, at Norwich, Ct. He m. Feb. 6, 1729, widow Martha Todd, *née* Perkins (dau. of Dea. Joseph Perkins of Norwich and Martha Morgan), b. Aug. 21, 1706. He d. May 10, 1733. She afterwards m. a Mr. Bolton, and had children by him. Solomon Lathrop had 2 children by Martha Perkins, who were twins, viz.:

1. Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop, b. Oct. 20, 1731, d. Dec. 31, 1820, aet. 89.
2. Martha Lathrop, b. Oct. 20, 1731, d. July 15, 1733. ]

[Sixth Generation.]

5379. ii. Seth Lathrop, M.D. (son of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop and Elizabeth Dwight), b. Aug. 11, 1762, was a physician in W. Springfield, Mass. He m. Aug. 29, 1787, Anna Abbot, b. Sept. 18, 1765 (dau. of Abiel Abbot of Hampton, a farmer, and Abigail Fenton). He d. Feb. 26, 1831. She d. in Armada, Mich., Sept. 13, 1846, aet. 81.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

\*5378. i. Elizabeth Lathrop, b. July 28, 1788, m. Rev. Elisha D. Andrews, and d. June 5, 1859, aet. 71.

\*5379. ii. Solomon Lathrop, b. May 11, 1790, d. Dec. 11, 1862.

\*5380. iii. Edward Lathrop, b. April 18, 1792. [Six numbers here (5378-5383) are repeated by mistake.]

\*5378. i. Elizabeth Lathrop, b. July 28, 1788, m. Sept. 13, 1808, Rev. Elisha Deming Andrews, b. at Southington, Ct., Feb. 18, 1783 (son of Jonathan Andrews and Ruth Deming), grad. at Yale in 1803. He was settled at Putney, Vt., and at Armada, Mich., where he d. Jan. 12, 1852, and she d. June 5, 1859.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*5381. i. Seth Lathrop Andrews, M.D., b. June 24, 1809.

\*5382. ii. Anne Amelia Andrews, b. Jan. 8, 1812, m. Rev. Eleazer W. True.

\*5383. iii. Joseph Lathrop Andrews, b. April 14, 1814, lives unmarried in Armada.

5384. iv. An infant, b. and d. Sept. 30, 1816.

5385. v. Charles Andrews, b. Aug. 31, 1817, d. July 9, 1818.

5386. vi. Charles Andrews, 2d, b. Aug. 28, 1820.

5387. vii. Prof. Edmund Andrews, M.D., b. April 22, 1824.

5388. viii. George Andrews, b. Dec. 28, 1826.

\*5381. i. Seth Lathrop Andrews, M.D., b. June 24, 1809, grad. at Dartmouth in 1831, was for 13 years a missionary of the A. B. C. F. M. to the Sandwich Islands (1836-49). He has been since about 1850 a physician at Romeo, Mich. He m. Nov. 11, 1836, Parnella Pierce, b. in Woodbury, Ct., June 12, 1807 (dau. of Simeon Pierce and Thankful Hunt). She d. at the Sandwich Islands, Sept. 29, 1846. He m. for a 2d wife Amelia T. Dike, of Pittsford, Vt.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5389. i. George Pierce Andrews, b. at Kailua, S. I., April 9, 1838, m. Sarah Dyer of Romeo, Mich. One child:

5390. 1. Charles Dyer Andrews.

5391. ii. Elizabeth Woodbury Andrews, b. June 13, 1841, d. May 25, 1842.

5392. iii. Lucy Amelia Andrews, b. Jan. 7, 1844, d. July 2, 1845.

5393. iv. Charles Thurston Andrews, b. June 24, 1846, d. Jan. 4, 1848.

[Eighth Generation.]

\*5382. ii. Anne Amelia Andrews (dau. of Rev. Elisha D. Andrews and Elizabeth Lathrop), b. Jan. 8, 1812, m. Dec. 29, 1847, Rev. Eleazer Wells True, b. Oct. 4, 1806, at Durham, Me. He is a farmer at Armada, Mich.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5394. i. An infant, b. and d. April 26, 1853.

5395. ii. Elisha Deming Andrews True, b. Sept. 25, 1854.

5396. iii. George Andrews True, b. Jan. 23, 1857.

[Eighth Generation.]

5386. vi. Hon. Charles Andrews (son of Elisha D. Andrews and Elizabeth Lathrop), b. Aug. 28, 1820, is a farmer at Armada, Mich. : has been State Senator. He m. Jan. 29, 1845, Charlotte Hewitt of Ypsilanti, Mich. She d. May 27, 1846. He m. Oct. 23, 1849, for 2d wife, Mary Myrick Elliott of Newcastle, Me.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

5397. i. Edmund Hewitt Andrews, b. Nov. 14, 1845, a merchant at Ypsilanti.

*By second wife :*

5398. ii. Mary Amelia Andrews, b. Jan. 26, 1855.

5399. iii. Harriet Burton Andrews, b. Oct. 16, 1858.

[Eighth Generation.]

5387. vii. Prof. Edmund Andrews, M.D. (son of Rev. Elisha D. Andrews and Elizabeth Lathrop), b. April 22, 1824, grad. at The University of Michigan, is a practising physician at Chicago, Prof. in Rush Med. Coll. in that city, and also in the Med. Department of Lind University at Lake Forest, Ill. He was surgeon of a Brigade of Ill. Vols., under Grant and Sherman, in the late war. He has been a frequent contributor of interesting articles to various newspapers. He m. April 13, 1853, Sarah Elizabeth Taylor of Detroit, b. Nov. 17, 1824 (dau. of Nathaniel Terry Taylor and Laura Norton). See for her Dwight lineage, page 375, No. 1681. i., and for account of their children.

[Eighth Generation.]

5388. viii. George Andrews (son of Rev. Elisha D. Andrews and Elizabeth Lathrop), b. Dec. 28, 1826, is a lawyer, and was settled formerly at Detroit, Mich., but for several years past has been established in his profession at Knoxville, Tenn. He m. Jan. 1, 1856, Mary Lathrop, b. at Armada, Mich., May 25, 1837 (dau. of Solomon Lathrop, his uncle, and Sophia Pomeroy. See *infra*). One daughter :

5400. 1. Carrie Elizabeth Andrews, b. Nov. 8, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.]

5379. ii. Solomon Lathrop, Esq. (son of Dr. Seth Lathrop of W. Springfield, Mass., and Anna Abbot), b. May 11, 1790, grad. at Yale in 1811, was a lawyer at W. Springfield, Mass., until 1836, when he removed to Michigan. He d. Dec. 11, 1862, at Oakwood, Oakland Co., Mich. His wife, whom he m. March 31, 1820, was Sophia Pomeroy, b. at New Fame, Windham Co., Vt. (dau. of Willard Pomeroy and Catharine Smith). She d. Nov. 15, 1853.

[Eighth Generation.]

5401. i. George A. Lathrop, M.D., b. March 18, 1822, m. Nov. 1858, Carrie E. Derby. He is a physician at E. Saginaw, Mich., and has two children.

5402. ii. Henry Kirke Lathrop, M.D., b. Feb. 24, 1824, m. Dec. 1845, Elizabeth Abbot. He resides at Royal Oak, Mich. Has had 4 children.

5403. iii. Frances Maria Lathrop, b. Sept. 2, 1827, d. unmarried at Oakwood, Mich., April 1, 1853.

5404. iv. Solomon Lathrop, b. Dec. 20, 1829, m. in 1850, Cornelia S. Gould. He is a jeweller in Grass Valley, Cal. Has 2 sons: Frank and Howard.

5405. v. Catharine Sophia Lathrop, b. Feb. 23, 1832, resides unmarried at Royal Oak, Mich.

5406. vi. Joseph Lathrop, b. June 10, 1834, is a dentist at Detroit, Mich. He m. Sept. 9, 1863, Ada M. Palling. Has one child:

5407. 1. Carrie Maria Lathrop, b. about 1867.

5408. vii. Mary Lathrop, b. at Armada, Mich., May 25, 1837, m. her cousin George Andrews, as previously mentioned. See No. 5388. viii.

[Seventh Generation.]

\*5380. iii. Edward Lathrop (son of Seth Lathrop, M.D., and Anna Abbot), b. April 18, 1792, m. Emma Andrews (dau. of Jonathan Andrews of Southington, Ct., and Ruth Deming; and sister to Rev. Elisha D. Andrews of Armada, Mich., who m. his sister Elizabeth). His residence has been Adrian, Mich., where she d. March 21, 1871.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5409. i. Charles A. Lathrop, a merchant at Armada, Mich., who m. a Miss Young of that place and has had 2 children.

5410. ii. Seth Lathrop, a merchant at Richmond, Mich., who m. Polly Walker, she d. and he m. a 2d wife, Lydia ———: has had 2 children.

5411. iii. Jane M. Lathrop, m. Henry O. Smith, cashier of the National Bank at Romeo, Mich.: has had 4 children.

5412. iv. Horace A. Lathrop, a farmer at Armada, Mich. He m. a Miss Gilbert of Memphis, Mich.: has had 3 children.

5413. v. James Lathrop, a merchant at Memphis, Mich., m. Helen Dunham of Armada: has had 2 children.

5414. vi. Samuel Lathrop, M.D., is a physician at Pine Run, Mich. He m. Adeline Tenney of Armada, Mich.

5415. vii. Elizabeth Lathrop, resides unmarried at Armada, Mich.

5416. viii. Dwight Lathrop, a farmer at Armada, Mich., has a family.



5417. ix. Anna Lathrop, m. Durfee Pettibone, a farmer at Armada.

[Sixth Generation.]

5380. iii. Capt. Joseph Lathrop, Jr. (son of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop and Elizabeth Dwight), b. Feb. 18, 1765, m. Sept. 9, 1790, Rowena Wells of Ellington, Ct., b. Jan. 17, 1766 (dau. of Col. Levi Wells, b. in 1734, who d. Dec. 18, 1803, and Jerusha Clark of Colchester). He was a farmer at Wilbraham, Mass., and highly respectable in character, a representative of the town once or more in the General Court, and a captain of militia. He d. Dec. 11, 1831: she d. Sept. 28, 1843.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5418. i. Joseph Lathrop, 3d, b. Sept. 21, 1791.

5419. ii. Rowena Lathrop, b. July 8, 1793, d. Aug. 4, 1793.

5420. iii. Wells Lathrop, b. Feb. 25, 1795, d. April 12, 1870.

5421. iv. Hon. Paoli Lathrop, b. May 14, 1797, d. Feb. 23, 1872.

5422. v. Seth Lathrop, b. Jan. 6, 1799, d. unmarried, a farmer, Oct. 3, 1834, aet. 34.

5423. vi. Rowena Lathrop, 2d, b. Dec. 2, 1803, m. Dr. Edward G. Ufford, and d. Oct. 29, 1853.

5424. vii. Ralph Lathrop, b. Oct. 2, 1805, d. Dec. 7, 1805.

5425. viii. Ralph Dwight Lathrop, b. Aug. 29, 1807, d. Feb. 11, 1838. He m. Amanda Carpenter, b. in 1822, who d. at Wilbraham, Oct. 5, 1839, aet. 27. No issue. He was a farmer at S. Hadley, Mass.

5418. i. Joseph Lathrop, 3d, b. Sept. 21, 1791, m. about 1815, Jane Maria Lentner, b. April 12, 1795, who d. April 25, 1861. He was a merchant in New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5426. i. Joseph Wells Lathrop, b. June 15, 1817, was drowned in the Connecticut river June 17, 1833.

5427. ii. John Lentner Lathrop, b. July 4, 1819.

5428. iii. Paoli Lathrop, b. Dec. 3, 1821, is a merchant in New York, and unmarried.

5429. iv. Robert Lathrop, b. Sept. 5, 1825, m. Jan. 6, 1852, Rosella Langdon, b. Sept. 16, 1832 (dau. of Walter Morgan Langdon of Wilbraham, Mass., and Sally Frost of Springfield). He is a farmer. Has had 2 children:

5430. 1. Josephine Rosa Lathrop, b. Aug. 16, 1857, d. May 23, 1859.

5431. 2. Mary Jane Lathrop, b. June 2, 1860.

5432. v. Maria Louise Lathrop, b. June 17, 1827, m. Ogden H. Osborn.

5427. ii. John Lentner Lathrop, b. July 4, 1819, m. Oct. 10, 1850, Ann Sophronia Day of S. Hadley Falls, b. June 27, 1825 (dau. of

Almon Day of S. Hadley Falls and Betsey Ashley of W. Springfield). He has been for several years Sec. and Treas. of the Hannibal and St. Joseph R. Road (where residing not stated).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5433. i. John Lentner Lathrop, Jr., b. Dec. 11, 1851.

5434. ii. Lizzie Jane Lathrop, b. Sept. 3, 1852.

5435. iii. Joseph Lathrop, b. July 12, 1855.

5436. iv. Mary Ashley Lathrop, b. Aug. 7, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

5432. v. Maria Louise Lathrop (dau. of Joseph Lathrop, 3d, and Jane Maria Lentner), b. June 17, 1827, m. Oct. 23, 1845, Ogden Hoffman Osborn, b. April 10, 1824 (son of Abijah Osborn of Frankfort, N. Y., and Sarah Caswell). He is a farmer (residence not stated).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5437. i. Kate Jane Osborn, b. June 4, 1849.

5438. ii. Paoli Lathrop Osborn, b. Jan. 12, 1852, d. Dec. 28, 1855.

5439. iii. Richard Ogden Osborn, b. April 7, 1855.

5440. iv. Anna Louise Osborn, b. Dec. 23, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.]

5420. iii. Wells Lathrop (son of Capt. Joseph Lathrop of Wilbraham, Mass., and Rowena Wells), b. Feb. 25, 1795, m. Nov. 12, 1816, Catharine Rhoades Bontecue of Springfield, Mass., of Huguenot descent. She d. Dec. 24, 1832, and was a lady of superior intelligence and piety. He m. Sept. 12, 1836, for a 2d wife, widow Lydia Washburne of Weymouth, Mass., *née* Ager, b. July 30, 1806 (widow of Dr. Lewis Washburne of Bridgewater, Mass., and dau. of Benjamin Ager of Weymouth, Mass., and Relief Dunbar of Acton, Mass.). He was a farmer at S. Hadley, Mass., where he d. April 12, 1870, aet. 75.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5441. i. Elizabeth Lathrop, b. April 28, 1821, m. George B. Morris.

5442. ii. James Lathrop, b. Aug. 7, 1823.

5443. iii. Catharine Bontecue Lathrop, b. Dec. 23, 1826, m. Oct. 22, 1863, Oliver Ellsworth Wood, b. April 14, 1812 (son of Judge Joseph Wood of New Haven and Fanny Ellsworth, dau. of Chief Justice Oliver Ellsworth of Hartford, Ct.), a commission merchant in New York. One child:

5444. 1. Winthrop Wolcott Wood, b. Jan. 27, 1865.

5445. iv. Daniel Bontecue Lathrop, b. June 23, 1829, was drowned in the Connecticut, Aug. 16, 1858.

*By second wife:*

5446. v. Wells Lathrop, Jr., b. Aug. 13, 1844, d. July 14, 1849.

5447. vi. Mary Lathrop, b. Feb. 15, 1847.

5441. i. Elizabeth Lathrop, b. April 28, 1821, m. Aug. 23, 1842, George Bliss Morris of Springfield, b. Nov. 12, 1815 (son of Judge Oliver B. Morris of Springfield, Mass., and Caroline Bliss—b. Dec. 28, 1791, and d. Feb. 9, 1840—dau. of Hon. George Bliss of Springfield and Hannah Clark), grad. at Amherst in 1837, is a lawyer at Springfield, and has been clerk of all the courts of the county of Hampshire since 1852. [For some account of the lineage of the Hon. George Bliss and Hannah Clark respectively, see subsequent page.]

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5448. i. George Bliss Morris, b. Nov. 5, 1843, grad. at Harvard in 1864.

5449. ii. Robert Oliver Morris, b. Oct. 18, 1846.

5450. iii. Caroline Morris, b. Sept. 18, 1848.

[Eighth Generation.]

5442. ii. James Lathrop (son of Wells Lathrop and Catharine Bontecue), b. Aug. 7, 1823, m. Aug. 24, 1848, Harriet Angeline Day of S. Hadley, Mass., b. Oct. 25, 1827 (dau. of Almon Day of S. Hadley Falls and Betsey Ashley; and sister to Ann S. Day, wife of John Lentner Lathrop), resides (where not ascertained).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5451. i. Edward Flint Lathrop, b. Sept. 16, 1849.

5452. ii. James Bontecue Lathrop, b. July 4, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

5421. iv. Hon. Paoli Lathrop (son of Capt. Joseph Lathrop and Rowena Wells), b. May 14, 1797, m. April 21, 1830, Abigail Merrick of Wilbraham, b. Dec. 10, 1805 (dau. of Noah Merrick of Wilbraham and Statira Hayes of Hartland, Ct.). She d. March 24, 1850. He m. for a 2d wife, Dec. 30, 1852, Elizabeth Brewster Champion of W. Springfield, b. April 3, 1818 (dau. of Dr. Reuben Champion and Pama Stebbins. He b. June 28, 1784, d. Oct. 9, 1865: she, dau. of Jere. Stebbins and Elizabeth Brewster, b. April 10, 1786, d. Aug. 8, 1866. They were m. Oct. 15, 1805). He was a scientific farmer at S. Hadley Falls, Mass. He was for 3 terms a member of the State legislature. He d. Feb. 23, 1872, aged 74. To Mrs. Elizabeth B. Lathrop is due the greater part of the account here given of the descendants of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop of W. Springfield and Elizabeth Dwight. How heaven-wide apart in moral quality seems, and often if not always is, the difference of appreciative interest shown by those of a generous mould of soul towards their kindred, living and dead, from the self-satisfied and even surly spirit at times manifested by many who answer no letters of inquiry and take no interest in the history of any family-mat-

ters beyond those pertaining to their dogs and horses, their wines and cigars, or the hoped-for means of procuring them !

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*



5453. i. Helen Lathrop, b. March 16, 1832.

5454. ii. Fanny Lathrop, b. Jan. 15, 1836, m. Sept. 2, 1868, Dr. Daniel Pierson of Augusta, Ill., b. July 1, 1823.

5455. iii. Seth Lathrop, b. May 10, 1838, m. May 30, 1864, Ellen Louisa Reed of Easthampton, Mass., b. July 19, 1843 (dau. of Warren Asherton Reed of Chester, Mass., and Louisa Lyman). He is a tailor at Chester, Mass. He has a child :

5456. 1. Abby Louise Lathrop, b. Jan. 16, 1866.

5457. iv. George Merrick Lathrop, b. Sept. 28, 1840, d. Sept. 25, 1843.

5458. v. Emma Lathrop, b. April 17, 1844, d. May 19, 1868.

5459. vi. Abby Merrick Lathrop, b. Feb. 3, 1849, d. Oct. 20, 1849.

*By second wife :*

5460. vii. Elizabeth Brewster Champion Lathrop (called "Bessie"), b. May 9, 1855.

[Seventh Generation.]

5423. vi. Rowena Lathrop, b. Dec. 2, 1803 (dau. of Joseph Lathrop and Rowena Wells), m. Oct. 30, 1828, Edward Goodrich Ufford, M.D., b. at E. Windsor, Ct., Nov. 7, 1801 (son of Dea. Joel Ufford, b. in Chatham, Ct., and Lucy Stanton), grad. at Yale Med. Sem. in 1826. He practised medicine at Suffield, Ct., for 7 years (1826-33); at S. Hadley, Mass., 21 years (1833-54); at W. Springfield, 17 years (1854-71). He resides now (since May, 1873) at S. Hadley Falls. She d. of consumption, Oct. 29, 1853. He m. for 2d wife, Jan. 24, 1855, widow Mary Ann Phelon, *née* Folger, still living.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5461. i. Edward Wells Ufford, b. Oct. 6, 1829, d. of consumption Sept. 17, 1850.

5462. ii. Mary Gay Ufford, b. Aug. 4, 1831, m. Jan. 1, 1857, Truman Dunham of Cleveland, O., b. June 30, 1831 (son of Harvey Dunham of Southington, Ct., and Julia Ann Cornwell of New Britain), a merchant there still (1873). She d. Feb. 22, 1858. They had one child :

5463. 1. Mary Ufford Dunham, b. Jan. 23, 1858, d. Sept. 22, 1858.

5464. iii. Joseph Lathrop Ufford, b. Aug. 13, 1833, has been a clerk in various places, and resides now, unmarried, at S. Hadley Falls.

5465. iv. John Armstrong Ufford, b. Aug. 10, 1835, d. Oct. 2, 1854.

5466. v. Rowena Wells Ufford, } d. March 27, 1840.

} twins, b. Sept. 20, 1839.

5467. vi. Robert Hall Ufford, } d. Oct. 11, 1839.



5468. vi. Elizabeth Dwight Ufford, b. May 19, 1841, m. Oct. 24, 1866, Edwin Leonard of Agawam, Mass, b. April 19, 1841 (son of Asaph Leonard and Mary Gleason). Two children:

5469. 1. Mary Valeria Leonard, b. Jan. 19, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. Edwin Ufford Leonard, b. May 7, 1872.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 773.

5381. iv. Hon. Samuel Lathrop (son of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop and Elizabeth Dwight, b. May 1, 1772, m. Nov. 4, 1797, Mary McCrackan, b. Oct. 1, 1778 (dau. of William McCrackan and Sarah Miles). He was grad. at Yale in 1792, and was a lawyer at W. Springfield, a member of Congress for 4 successive terms (1818-26), and a member of the State Senate for 10 years, being President of that body in 1829 and '30. He d. July 11, 1846, aet. 74; she d. Nov. 22, 1853, aet. 75.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5470. i. Mary Lathrop, b. Nov. 10, 1798, d. Oct. 4, 1800.

5471. ii. Nancy Holmes Lathrop, b. Sept. 14, 1800, m. Feb. 13, 1854, Justin Ely, b. Dec. 19, 1813 (son of Justin Ely of W. Springfield and Abigail Belden), a merchant in Omaha, Neb. No children. She d. Nov. 12, 1866, aet. 66.

5472. iii. Samuel Lathrop, b. Aug. 27, 1802, d. Dec. 17, 1825.

5473. iv. Mary Lathrop, b. Aug. 1804, m. Rev. William B. Sprague, D.D., and d. Sept. 16, 1837.

5474. v. William McCrackan Lathrop, b. Nov. 18, 1806.

5475. vi. John Lathrop, b. March 6, 1809, d. May, 1870.

5476. vii. Sarah Miles Lathrop, b. Feb. 20, 1811, m. Dr. Henry Bronson.

5477. viii. Elizabeth Dwight Lathrop, b. March 3, 1813, m. Washington R. Vermilye.

5478. ix. Joseph Lathrop, b. May 22, 1815.

5479. x. Henrietta Burritt Lathrop, b. March 22, 1817, m. as his 2d wife Rev. Dr. William B. Sprague.

5480. xi. Martha Perkins Lathrop, b. March 17, 1819, m. Rev. Dr. Artemas A. Wood.

5481. xii. Isaac Lathrop, b. March 1, and d. March 18, 1821.

5473. iv. Mary Lathrop, b. Aug. 18, 1804, m. Aug. 3, 1824, Rev. William Buell Sprague, D.D., b. Oct. 16, 1795 (son of Benjamin Sprague of Andover, Ct., and Sibyl Buell), grad. at Yale in 1815. He was settled as colleague pastor with Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop at W. Springfield, Mass., Aug. 25, 1819, which charge he resigned in July, 1829, and was installed, Aug. 26, 1829, pastor of the 2d Presb. Church at Albany, N. Y., which position he held for 41 years (1829-70). Mrs. Mary L. Sprague d. Sept. 16, 1837, and he m. for 2d wife, May

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13, 1840, her sister Henrietta B. Lathrop. (See subsequent account.) He has been a productive author, having written the following works: "Letters to a Daughter" (1821), "Letters from Europe" (1828), "Lectures to Young People" (1830), "Lectures on Revivals of Religion" (1832), "Hints on Christian Intercourse" (1834), "Lectures on True and False Christianity" (1837), "Memoir of Edward D. Griffin, D.D.," "Aids to Early Religion" (1847), "Life of Prest. Dwight," in Sparks' Am. Biography (1845), "Words to a Young Man" (1848), "The History of Joseph" (1851), "Memoir of John McDowell, D.D." (1864), and "The Annals of the American Pulpit," in 10 vols., large 8vo, composed of the contributions of many writers, which he has edited and published in several successive volumes from time to time. In 1870 he resigned his pastorate at Albany, and removed to Flushing, L. I., where he still (1873) resides.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5482. i. William Buell Sprague, b. April 23, 1826.

5483. ii. Mary Lathrop Sprague, b. Sept. 23, 1827, m. June 15, 1865, Theodore Townsend of Albany, b. Oct. 9, 1836 (son of John Townsend and Abby Spencer), a collector, formerly, of internal revenue at Albany (1862-9), and now secretary of The Albany Insurance Co. No issue. By a previous marriage he has 4 children.

5484. iii. Samuel Lathrop Sprague, b. Dec. 22, 1831, d. Feb. 25, 1833.

5485. iv. John Angell James Sprague, b. May 6, 1834.

*By second wife:*

5486. v. Harriet Sprague, b. Oct. 22, 1841, d. Dec. 14, 1841.

5487. vi. Frances Elizabeth Sprague, b. Feb. 3, 1843.

5488. vii. Henrietta Dwight Sprague, b. Oct. 7, 1844.

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| 5489. viii. Edward Everett Sprague, | } Twins, b. Jan. 3, 1848. |
| grad. at Harvard in 1868,           |                           |
| is a lawyer in New York.            |                           |

5490. ix. Cornelia Martin Sprague, } d. Jan. 25, 1849.

5482. i. William Buell Sprague, b. April 23, 1826, m. June 2, 1856, Susan Benedict, b. Feb. 13, 1830 (dau. of Lewis Benedict of Albany and Susan Stafford). He was a coal merchant at Albany, but is now (1874) a travelling agent for a New York house. His family resides at Castleton, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5491. i. Caroline Benedict Sprague, b. April 7, 1860.

5492. ii. Mary Lathrop Sprague, b. Nov. 21, 1861.

5493. iii. Alice Dewitt Sprague, b. July 23, 1864.

5485. iv. John Angell James Sprague (son of Rev. Dr. Wm. B.

Sprague and Mary Lathrop), b. May 6, 1834, m. June 2, 1859, Maria Hewson Olmstead, b. Aug. 16, 1833 (dau. of John Ingersoll Olmstead of Albany and Mary Rockwell Bleeker). He is a farmer at Groton, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5494. i. Annie Rockwell Sprague, b. March 19, 1860.

5495. ii. Henrietta Lathrop Sprague, b. Jan. 17, 1863.

[Seventh Generation.]

5474. v. William McCrackan Lathrop (son of Hon. Samuel Lathrop and Mary McCrackan), b. Nov. 18, 1806, m. Nov. 4, 1833, Charlotte Elizabeth Belcher. She d. May 8, 1841; and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 15, 1856, Elizabeth Rogers. He has been secretary for several years of "The Eliot Fire Insurance Co." at Boston.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

5496. i. Charlotte Ann Lathrop, b. Aug. 19, 1834, d. at Flushing, L. I., unmarried, April 12, 1872.

5497. ii. William Henry Lathrop, b. March 11, 1840.

*By second wife :*

5498. iii. Henrietta Sprague Lathrop, b. Jan. 1859.

5499. iv. Elizabeth Rogers Lathrop, b. 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

5475. vi. John Lathrop (son of Hon. Samuel Lathrop and Mary McCrackan), b. March 6, 1809, grad. at Yale in 1829, m. July 24, 1838, Elizabeth Miller, b. at Oxford, Chenango Co., N. Y., Dec. 13, 1818 (dau. of Epaphras Miller, b. in Glastenbury, Ct., and Elizabeth Baldwin, b. in W. Stockbridge, Mass.). He was a civil engineer (1833-70), having previously studied law two years with his father. His first field of professional labor was on the Chenango Canal, N. Y., when he resided at Oxford (1833-7). In 1837 he was engaged on the Erie Canal enlargement, residing at Jordan, N. Y. (1837-43). From 1843 to 1849 he resided at Syracuse, N. Y., and was engaged in the construction of the Syracuse and Oswego R. Road, of which he was chief engineer, and in superintending improvements upon the N. Y. Central R. Road. In 1849 he was again appointed engineer upon the Erie Canal enlargement, and removed to Buffalo, N. Y. He spent two years in Illinois, in constructing a portion of The Chicago, Alton and St. Louis R. Road, and returned to Buffalo again, which was his home the rest of his life. In 1855 he began, as chief engineer, the work of constructing a canal along the coast of Virginia and N. Carolina, which was nearly completed when the late war stopped its further progress. He next, and last of all, had charge of the construction of

the Erie and Pittsburgh R. Road (1862-3)—the failure of his health at this time requiring his cessation from all further professional labor. He d. at Buffalo, May 16, 1870, aet. 61. Two children:

5500. i. Henry Miller Lathrop, b. at Jordan, N. Y., Sept. 6, 1839, d. in New York Dec. 7, 1868, aet. 29.

5501. ii. Elizabeth Lathrop, b. at Oxford, N. Y., Oct. 8, 1845. Mrs. Lathrop resides now at Oxford.

[Seventh Generation.]

5476. vii. Sarah Miles Lathrop (dau. of Hon. Samuel Lathrop and Mary McCrackan), b. Feb. 20, 1811, m. Jan. 2, 1831, Prof. Henry Bronson, M.D., b. Jan. 30, 1804 (son of Bennett Bronson of Waterbury, Ct., and Anne Smith), grad. at the Yale Med. School in 1827, practised medicine in W. Springfield (1827-30), in Albany, N. Y. (1830-4), in Waterbury, Ct. (1834-45). He was appointed Prof. of Medicine and Therapeutics in Yale College in 1842, and in 1845 removed to New Haven, Ct. He resigned his professorship in 1852, to which he was reappointed in 1853, and accepting the office anew held it until 1860, when he became Prest. of The New Haven County Bank. He published in 1858 *The History of Waterbury, Ct.*, pp. 582, and in 1864 "An Historical Account of Conn. Currency, Continental Money, and The Finances of the Revolution," as a part of "The N. H. Colony Society Papers, vol. i." Dr. Bronson resides still (1874) in New Haven.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5502. i. Hon. Samuel Lathrop Bronson, b. Jan. 12, 1834.

5503. ii. George Bronson, b. Sept. 22, 1836, d. Jan. 31, 1837.

5504. iii. Nathan Smith Bronson, b. Nov. 20, 1837.

5505. iv. Stephen Henry Bronson, b. Feb. 18, 1844.

5502. i. Hon. Samuel Lathrop Bronson, b. Jan. 12, 1834, in Waterbury, grad. at Yale in 1855 and at Yale Law School in 1857, settled in Seymour, Ct., in Jan. 1858; was a member of the State legislature in 1859. He removed in 1860 to New Haven, and in 1866 was made judge of the City Court of New Haven. He m. Nov. 30, 1861, Fanny Eunice Stoddard, b. Jan. 13, 1840 (dau. of Dr. Thomas Stoddard of Seymour, Ct., grad. at Yale in 1836 and Esther Ann Gilbert).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5506. i. }  
5507. ii. } Twins, unnamed, b. Aug. 29, 1862, that d. the next day.

5508. iii. Thomas Stoddard Bronson, b. Sept. 27, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

5504. iii. Nathan Smith Bronson (son of Prof. Henry Bronson, M.D., and Sarah M. Lathrop), b. in Waterbury, Nov. 20, 1837, studied



civil engineering at Yale, and was grad. as bachelor of philosophy in 1856. He became a merchant, and in 1864 a farmer, and resides in New Britain, Ct. He m. May 30, 1861, Charlotte Ann Pond (dau. of Burton Pond of Torrington, Ct.).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5509. i. Alice Pond Bronson, b. Aug. 23, 1862.

5510. ii. Henry Burton Bronson, b. Sept. 6, 1864, d. June 8, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.]

5477. viii. Elizabeth Dwight Lathrop (dau. of Hon. Samuel Lathrop and Mary McCrackan), b. March 3, 1813, m. Oct. 2, 1833, Washington Romeyn Vermilye (son of William W. Vermilye and Mary Montgomery), a well-known banker in New York. She d. at St. Augustine, Fla., April 11, 1874.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5511. i. Mary Elizabeth Vermilye, b. Nov. 17, 1834, d. Jan. 18, 1836.

5512. ii. Washington Romeyn Vermilye, b. Oct. 2, 1837, is a banker in New York, and resides with his family in Englewood, N. J.

5513. iii. Samuel Lathrop Vermilye, b. July 15, 1839, d. early.

5514. iv. George Smith Vermilye, b. March 18, 1841, d. early.

5515. v. Emily Augusta Vermilye, b. March 24, 1846, m. Elbert A. Brinckerhoff, and resides in Englewood, N. J.

5516. vi. Arthur Montgomery Vermilye, b. March 4, 1849, d. March 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

5478. ix. Joseph Lathrop, b. May 22, 1815, m. Oct. 16, 1838, Abby Alexander Pomeroy, b. Oct. 21, 1816 (dau. of Medad and Jerusha Pomeroy of Warwick, Mass.), is proprietor of a commercial and collecting agency at St. Louis, Mo. (since 1860). From 1835 to 1860 he resided in Northampton, Mass. She d. March 21, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5517. i. Mary Sprague Lathrop, b. Aug. 23, 1839.

5518. ii. Abby Pomeroy Lathrop, b. Aug. 23, 1841.

5519. iii. Elizabeth Dwight Lathrop, b. April 7, 1844, m. May 8, 1873, Oscar Livingston Whitelaw, a wholesale merchant in drugs, paints, and oils in St. Louis.

5520. iv. Joseph Lathrop, b. Oct. 3, 1845, d. Dec. 21, 1846.

5521. v. Caroline Dewey Lathrop, b. Dec. 16, 1847.

5522. vi. Joseph Lathrop, b. Aug. 8, 1849.

5523. vii. Sarah Grace Lathrop, b. April 7, 1852.

\*\*\*\* viii. William Addison Howe Lathrop, b. Feb. 20, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

5480. xi. Martha Perkins Lathrop (dau. of Hon. Samuel Lathrop,

and Mary McCrackan), b. March 17, 1819, m. May 13, 1840, Rev. Artemas Augustus Wood, D.D., b. June 22, 1811 (son of Artemas Wood of Leominster, Mass., and Catharine Drake), grad. at Amherst in 1831, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1838. He was settled at W. Springfield, Mass. (Dec. 19, 1838—Aug. 28, 1849), The Pearl St. Presb. Ch. in New York (Sept. 1849—Feb. 1853), and the Broome St. Presb. Ch., N. Y. (Feb. 1853—May 1860) and was settled (1860–73), as pastor of the Presbyterian Ch. at Geneva, N. Y. Since Nov. 1873, he has been settled at Lyons, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5524. i. Edward Augustus Wood, b. Feb. 12, 1841, in W. Springfield, Mass., grad. at N. Y. Free Academy (now N. Y. College); in 1859, m. Dec. 12, 1867, Mary Elizabeth Conger (dau. of Dr. Genet Conger, a physician for many years at Niagara Falls, but now a lumber merchant at Geneva, N. Y., and Elizabeth ——). He is a seedsman at Geneva.

5525. ii. Joseph Lathrop Wood, b. Oct. 28, 1843, d. May 20, 1845.

5526. iii. Clara Lathrop Wood, b. April 15, 1846, d. June 19, 1850.

5527. iv. William Lefferts Wood, b. Dec. 25, 1847, m. July 22, 1868, in Lyons, N. Y., Frances Caroline Taylor (dau. of Walter Taylor). He is a bookkeeper in Indianapolis, Ind.

5528. v. Halsey Lathrop Wood, b. Dec. 7, 1849, in New York, grad. at Ham. Coll., N. Y., in 1870, is studying medicine in New York (1873).

[Sixth Generation.] See page 773.

5383. vi. Dwight Lathrop (son of Rev. Dr. Joseph Lathrop and Elizabeth Dwight), b. April 9, 1780, m. Feb. 16, 1806, Lora Stebbins, b. March 1, 1782 (dau. of Jere. Stebbins of W. Springfield, a merchant, and Elizabeth Brewster of Windham, Ct.). He was a merchant in New York. She d. Oct. 17, 1860, aet. 78.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5529. i. Francis Stebbins Lathrop, b. Nov. 10, 1806.

5530. ii. Dwight Lathrop, b. Jan. 20, 1808, d. Feb. 2, 1851, aet. 43.

5531. iii. Henry Lathrop, b. Sept. 8, 1811.

5532. iv. Jere. Stebbins Lathrop, b. Jan. 26, 1816.

5529. i. Francis Stebbins Lathrop, b. Nov. 10, 1806, m. July 19, 1830, Caroline M. Gilmore, b. June 1807 (dau. of William Gilmore of Raleigh, N. C., and —— Taintor). He has been for many years Prest. of The Union Mutual Ins. Co., N. Y. His family resides in Madison, N. J.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5533. i. Louise Gibbons Lathrop, b. Aug. 19, 1831, m. Joseph A. Dean.

5534. ii. Frank Lathrop, b. Dec. 24, 1832, d. Dec. 12, 1866, aet. 34.

5535. iii. Ellen Lathrop, b. April 9, 1834, m. Henry Hopkins.

5533. i. Louise Gibbons Lathrop, b. Aug. 19, 1831, m. June 19, 1849, Joseph Abbott Dean, a merchant in New York.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5536. i. Alice Dean, b. Oct 10, 1850.

5537. ii. Ellen Dean, b. Feb. 15, 1852.

5538. iii. Arthur Dean, b. July 25, 1858.

[Eighth Generation.]

5534. ii. Frank Lathrop (son of Francis S. Lathrop and Caroline Gilmore), b. Dec. 24, 1832, m. Nov. 12, 1856, Isabel Gibbons, b. March 1833 (dau. of William Gibbons of Madison, N. J., and Abby Taintor). He was a farmer at Madison, N. J. He d. at Morristown, N. J., Dec. 12, 1866, aet. 34.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5539. i. William Gibbons Lathrop, b. Feb. 19, 1859.

5540. ii. Francis Stebbins Lathrop, b. Dec. 28, 1860.

5541. iii. Louise Gibbons Lathrop, b. April 4, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.]

5535. iii. Ellen Lathrop (dau. of Francis S. Lathrop and Caroline Gilmore), b. April 9, 1834, m. Nov. 13, 1851, Henry Hopkins, a banker in New York.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5542. i. Frank Lathrop Hopkins, b. Jan. 17, 1853.

5543. ii. Henry Hopkins, b. Feb. 17, 1854, d. May 15, 1854.

5544. iii. Ellen Hopkins, b. May 30, 1855.

5545. iv. Edward McAlister Hopkins, b. July 10, 1857.

5546. v. Caroline Lathrop Hopkins, b. March 2, 1859.

5547. vi. Fanny Hopkins, b. Jan. 25, 1861.

5548. vii. Richard Hopkins, b. Sept. 4, 1862.

5549. viii. Marie Gilmore Hopkins, b. April 17, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

5530. ii. Dwight Lathrop, Jr. (son of Dwight Lathrop of New York and Lora Stebbins), b. Jan. 20, 1808, m. June 9, 1831, Mary M. Stebbins (dau. of Edward Stebbins, a merchant in Savannah, Ga., b. at West Springfield, Mass., Aug. 21, 1765, and Ann Taylor. Edward Stebbins was the bro. of Jere. Stebbins, who m. Elizabeth Brewster. See previous page). He d. at New York, Feb. 2, 1851: she d. at Macon, Ga., Aug. 1864. He was a merchant in New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5550. i. Catharine Ann Lathrop, b. March 9, 1832, d. Aug. 1832.

5551. ii. Dwight Lathrop, 3d, b. July 27, 1833, m. April 1865, Maria Louise Brantley of Macon, Ga. She d. Oct. 1865. He was a merchant in Savannah, Ga., and d. there Dec. 1866, aet. 33, without issue.

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| 5552. iii. Edward Stebbins Lathrop, | } twins, b. July 27, 1835.<br>a merchant in New York,<br>unmarried. |
| 5553. iv. Francis Henry Lathrop,    |   |

5554. v. Mary Cleland Lathrop, b. Oct. 2, 1839, m. James R. Gibson.

5553. iv. Edward Stebbins Lathrop (twin), b. July 27, 1835, m. Georgia M. Brantley of Macon, Ga. (sister of the wife of his brother Dwight). He is a merchant in Savannah, Ga. One son :

5555. 1. Dwight Lathrop, b. May 1866.

[Eighth Generation.]

5554. v. Mary Cleland Lathrop (dau. of Dwight Lathrop, Jr., and Mary M. Stebbins), b. Oct. 2, 1839, m. Sept. 26, 1860, James Renwick Gibson, Jr. He is an insurance broker in New York, and resides in Brooklyn.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5556. i. Robert Renwick Gibson, b. July 1861.

5557. ii. Maude Gibson, b. May 27, 1862, d. Aug. 12, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

5531. iii. Henry Lathrop (son of Dwight Lathrop and Lora Stebbins), b. Sept. 8, 1811, m. Sept. 26, 1849, Clara Stebbins, b. Jan. 19, 1823 (dau. of Dr. Daniel Stebbins of Northampton and Elizabeth Gerrish Knapp, his 2d wife). He is a merchant in Savannah, Ga.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5558. i. Henry Stebbins Lathrop, b. July 28, 1850, d. May 14, 1853.

5559. ii. Joseph Dwight Lathrop, b. Oct. 11, 1851.

5560. iii. Clara Welles Lathrop, b. May 22, 1853.

5561. iv. Bessie Stebbins Lathrop, b. Nov. 8, 1854.

5562. v. Charles Henry Lathrop, b. Jan. 19, 1858, d. May 21, 1859.

5563. vi. Lucia Lathrop, b. May 7, 1860.

[Dr. Daniel Stebbins was b. April 2, 1766, and grad. at Yale in 1788. He practised medicine for a short time in Longmeadow, Mass. (1791-3), where he was also town-clerk. He m. May 1792, his cousin, Clarissa Snow, and went to S. Hadley in 1793, and in 1806 to Northampton, Mass., where his wife d. without issue, July 26, 1820, aet. 53. He m. for 2d wife, July 26, 1821, Mrs. Elizabeth Gerrish Long (widow of Charles Long of Newburyport, Mass., and dau. of Enoch and Rachel Knapp). He was elected County Treasurer in 1812, which office he



had until 1844. He d. 1856, at the great age of 90. He was much interested in genealogical and biographical matters.]

[Seventh Generation.]

5532. iv. Jere. Stebbins Lathrop (son of Dwight Lathrop and Lora Stebbins), b. Jan. 26, 1816, m. Oct. 23, 1838, Elizabeth Long, b. Dec. 22, 1813 (dau. of Charles Long of Newburyport, Mass., and Elizabeth Gerrish Knapp, who after his death m. as his 2d wife Dr. Daniel Stebbins of Northampton, Mass., Dec. 12, 1821). He was a merchant in Savannah, Ga., but has resided for several years, retired from business, at Northampton, Mass. They have one child:

5564. 1. Elizabeth Stebbins Lathrop, b. July 19, 1841.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 761.

5264. iv. Ebenezer Dwight (son of Capt. Seth Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., and Abigail Strong), b. Aug. 26, 1738, m. Feb. 27, 1783, Bethiah Truesdell of Williamsburgh, Mass. (dau. of ——— Truesdell and ——— Burnham). He was a farmer at Hatfield, Mass., where he d. May 15, 1814, aet. 76. She d. June 29, 1826. "He was a very modest man, whose worth was best known in his own family." Says a daughter-in-law: "In twenty years' connection with it, I never heard him speak a cross word. He was devotedly fond of his family"—a man of a gentle spirit and of a warm, loving heart.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5565. i. Elizabeth Dwight, b. Aug. 10, 1784, d. unmarried June 9, 1816, aet. 32.

5566. ii. Ebenezer Dwight, b. Nov. 3, 1785, d. Sept. 15, 1821, aet. 36.

5567. iii. Bethiah Dwight, b. March 29, 1787, m. Roswell Knight, and d. Aug. 29, 1812, aet. 25.

5568. iv. Mary Dwight, b. Dec. 6, 1789, d. unmarried Sept. 25, 1835, aet. 45.

5569. v. Sarah Dwight, b. March 27, 1790, lived unmarried at Hatfield, and d. there Sept. 6, 1871, aet. 81, an humble, devoted Christian.

5570. vi. Pamela Dwight, b. Dec. 1, 1791, d. unmarried July 23, 1844, aet. 50.

5571. vii. William Dwight, b. Dec. 3, 1793, d. Feb. 29, 1864, aet. 71.

The unmarried sisters of this family are all described as having been "invalids, but always cheerful and happy Christians, and excellent women;" and "the bearing of the whole family as thoroughly religious."

5566. ii. Ebenezer Dwight, Jr., b. Nov. 3, 1785, m. Sept. 17, 1807, Sally Porter (dau. of Silas Porter and Mary Graves). He was a farmer at Hatfield, Mass., "a sober and industrious man, and in comfortable circumstances." He d. at Granville, O., Sept. 15, 1821, while traveling at the west to find a new home for his family, aet. 36. His wife

also d. away from home, at Springfield, Mass., while there on a visit, Sept., 1838.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5572. i. Mary Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1809, m. and resided in Newark, N. J.

5573. ii. Bethiah Dwight, b. Feb. 7, 1811, d. about 1830.

5574. iii. Roswell Dwight, b. Aug. 11, 1813.

5575. iv. Sarah Dwight, b. Sept. 1815, d. in early infancy.

5576. v. Samuel Dwight, b. Oct. 3, 1816, is a farmer in Marshalltown, Marshall Co., Iowa. He made no response whatever to letters of inquiry.

5574. iii. Roswell Dwight, b. Aug. 11, 1813, m. June 4, 1837, Elosia Skidmore, b. Nov. 8, 1812, at Sandgate, Bennington Co., Vt. (dau. of Philo and Elizabeth Skidmore). He is a farmer in Castalia, Erie Co., O., and was previously in Margaretta, O., where all his children but one were born.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Oscar Dwight, b. May 4, 1838, at Avon, Livingston Co., N. Y., m. March 18, 1868, Harriet S. Jones of Castalia, O. He is a farmer at Castalia, O.

\*\*\*\* ii. Evcline Dwight, b. Nov. 10, 1839, m. Feb. 11, 1863, Pcter Bardshar, who d. Sept. 19, 1864, a farmer at Castalia.

\*\*\*\* iii. Mary Lamira Dwight, b. Dec. 31, 1842, m. Dec. 16, 1867, John A. Wilson, a farmer in Toledo, O. Two children.

1. Charles Dwight Wilson, b. Sept. 30, 1868.

2. Eva Wilson, b. Oct. 8, 1870.

\*\*\*\* iv. Henry E. Dwight, b. March 21, 1845, m. Sept. 5, 1867, Sarah McCarty. She d. April 30, 1870. He m. Nov. 17, 1871, Ella Mygatt. He is a blacksmith at Galion, O. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Dora Belle Dwight, b. Jan. 1873.

\*\*\*\* v. Emily Ann Dwight, b. April 13, 1847, resides unmarried at Castalia.

\*\*\*\* vi. Albert Dwight, b. June 17, 1849, a telegraph operator at Castalia, O.

\*\*\*\* vii. Frederick Dwight, b. July 16, 1851, m. Oct. 13, 1872, Eva Caswell of Margaretta, O. He is a farmer at Castalia, O.

\*\*\*\* viii. Frank Dwight, b. April 23, 1854, a farmer at Castalia.

[Sixth Generation.]

5567. iii. Bethiah Dwight (dau. of Ebenezer Dwight and Bethiah Truesdell), b. March 29, 1787, m. Feb. 8, 1810, Roswell Knight, b. in Huntington, Mass. (son of Samuel and Betsey Knight). He lived at Hatfield, and also at Westhampton, Mass., where he d. Oct. 1831. She d. Aug. 29, 1812.

## [Seventh Generation.] Children:

5577. i. Ebenezer Knight, b. in 1811, d. soon.

5578. ii. Bethiah Knight, b. Aug. 20, 1812, m. Oct. 28, 1834, Eleazer Hubbard Packard, b. July 15, 1810, in Enfield, Mass. (son of Abram Packard and Betsey Hubbard), a farmer in Hatfield. He d. Jan. 1841. They had one son:

5579. 1. George Dwight Packard, b. Sept. 25, 1838, m. Dec. 31, 1865, Sarah Parsons (dau. of Cephas Parsons of Northampton, Mass., and afterwards of Dover, Del., and Sarah Phelps). He was a farmer at Hatfield, and d. there March 7, 1867: she d. at Dover, Del., Feb. 11, 1869. No issue.

## [Sixth Generation.]

5071. vii. William Dwight (son of Ebenezer Dwight and Bethiah Truesdell), b. Dec. 3, 1793, m. May 31, 1815, Rebecca Sadler of Williamsburgh, Mass., b. Sept. 26, 1790 (dau. of Noah W. Sadler and Mary Truesdell). He was a farmer at Hatfield, where he d. Feb. 29, 1864, aet. 70: she d. Aug. 18, 1867.

## [Seventh Generation.] Children:

5580. i. Henry Dwight, b. Jan. 20, 1817.

5581. ii. Sarah Truesdell Dwight, b. Jan. 10, 1819, d. Oct. 10, 1839.

5582. iii. Ebenezer Dwight, b. June 20, 1820.

5583. iv. Sophia Dwight, b. Jan. 13, 1823, m. Oct. 6, 1866, Otis Chickering of Enfield, Mass. (son of Nathl. Chickering of Enfield and Fanny Nelson), a farmer. No issue.

5584. v. Ruth Sadler Dwight, b. April 1, 1826, m. Alonzo Dennis.

5585. vi. Jane Maria Dwight, b. May 3, 1829, m. Philetus S. Elwell.

5580. i. Henry Dwight, b. Jan. 20, 1817, m. Jan. 4, 1849, Flora Elvira Field, b. Nov. 13, 1823 (dau. of Orange Field and Rhoda Greaves). He is a farmer at Hatfield. From Mrs. Dwight the facts here presented concerning the descendants of Ebenezer Dwight, Senior, were obtained. They have had one son:

5586. 1. Silas Sadler Dwight, b. Nov. 19, 1849, a farmer in Hatfield, m. May 7, 1872, Isabel L. Parsons, b. July 10, 1848 (dau. of Israel A. Parsons of Lynnfield, Mass., and Emily R. Wiley).

## [Seventh Generation.]

5582. iii. Ebenezer Dwight (son of William Dwight and Rebecca Sadler), b. June 20, 1820, m. Jan. 4, 1844, Sarah Ann Strong, b. Dec. 12, 1828 (dau. of Horatio Strong of Hatfield and Sarah Elwell. See *Hist. of the Strong Family* by the author, vol. i. p. 563). He is a farmer at Hatfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5587. i. Mariette Jane Dwight, b. April 13, 1849.

5588. ii. Anna Maria Dwight, b. Feb. 3, 1855.

5589. iii. Lillian Isabella Dwight, b. Oct. 12, 1864, d. Jan. 22, 1870

[Seventh Generation.]

5584. v. Ruth Sadler Dwight, b. April 1, 1826, m. Jan. 2, 1850 Alonzo Dennis (son of Dolphin Dennis of Woodstock, Vt., and Mary Rogers), a farmer at Hatfield, Mass. He enlisted in 1861 in the 31st Mass. Regt., and after serving his country as a soldier for a little more than a year, d. in hospital at Fort Jackson, on the Mississippi, Dec. 13, 1862. His widow resides still (1874) at Hatfield.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5590. i. Sarah Cordelia Dennis, b. July 28, 1852, m. May 7, 1873, Alson Cowles, b. Aug. 14, 1851 (son of Edwin W. Cowles of Belcher-town, Mass., and Ann M. Perry), a miller in Hatfield.

5591. ii. George Alonzo Dennis, b. June 29, 1855.

5592. iii. William Dwight Dennis, b. Jan. 6, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

5585. vi. Jane Maria Dwight (da. of William Dwight and Rebecca Sadler), b. May 3, 1829, m. April 7, 1866, Philetus Stiles Elwell, b. April 12, 1829 (son of Jesse Elwell of Westhampton, Mass., and Elizabeth Stiles Norton. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author of this work, vol. ii. pp. 1407-8), a farmer in Southampten, Mass. No children.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 761.

5266. vi. Ensign Josiah Dwight (son of Capt. Seth Dwight of Hatfield and Abigail Strong), b. Nov. 6, 1747, m. about 1768 Tabitha Bigelow of Providence, R. I.

He was a farmer and hotel-keeper at Williamsburgh, Mass., and was considered "the father of the town." He was, with his wife, a member of the Cong. church from its very organization in the place, and was always sure to be found on the right side of every good cause in the town, whether new or old. He was for many years one of the principal Selectmen of Williamsburgh, and was greatly esteemed and beloved as a wise counsellor and a valued friend. He was large and fine-looking, and very dignified in his personal appearance. He d. Sept. 10, 1796, aet. 49. Mrs. Tabitha Dwight was also fine-looking, as well as energetic and enterprising, and desirous of making property. She managed her household affairs with much skill, and every one respected her for her talents and character. Mrs. Lydia P. Graves, an intelligent lady, then 89 years of age, all of which but six years she



had spent in Williamsburgh, was the author's informant of these particulars, at her own house, several years since. The estate of Ensign Josiah Dwight was inventoried at \$5,200.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5593. i. Seth Dwight, b. Dec. 15, 1769, d. April 3, 1825, aet. 55.

5594. ii. Abigail Dwight, b. Sept. 22, 1771, d. Oct. 18, 1771.

5595. iii. Josiah Dwight, Jr., b. Aug. 12, 1772.

5596. iv. Dorus Dwight, b. Oct. 4 (bapt. Oct. 9), 1774.

5597. v. Abigail Dwight, 2d, b. Sept. 2, 1776, m. Moses Wells, and for a 2d husband Jonathan Bliss.

5598. vi. Daniel Dwight, b. July 2, 1778, d. Aug. 10, 1805, aet. 27.

5599. vii. Tabitha Dwight, b. June 4, 1781, m. Ezekiel Bates.

5593. i. Seth Dwight, b. Dec. 15, 1769, at Williamsburgh, Mass., m. Dec. 30, 1790, Hannah Strong, b. in Coventry, Ct., March 19, 1768 (dau. of Rev. Joseph Strong of Williamsburgh, Mass., and Jane Gelson. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. i. pp. 399-400). He was a merchant at Williamsburgh, and afterwards at Utica, N. Y., and Buffalo. He was less a man of business than one of strong and even gay social instincts, and inclined much more to skeptical views than to religious convictions. He is described by those who knew him as a man of handsome features, and of a showy presence and agreeable manners, and very vivacious. She was quite observably opposite to him in all her natural characteristics, and cherished habits of feeling, having a character full of solid qualities, and being earnestly religious in her aims and aspirations, and remarkable for her gentle spirit. She d. at Utica, April 15, 1813. He m. for a 2d wife, March 17, 1814, widow Susan Hewson, *née* Hooker, b. in Conway, Mass., Sept. 19, 1779 (widow of Caspar Hewson, a German, of Albany, N. Y., and dau. of Samuel Hooker of Utica, and previously of Barre, Mass., and Rachel Hind). He d. April 3, 1825, at Buffalo, N. Y., aet. 55. She d. at E. Boston, Mass., June 8, 1861.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5600. i. Harriet Dwight, b. Feb. 21, 1792, m. James Dana, and d. Sept. 13, 1870, aet. 78.

5601. ii. Delia Jane Holcombe Dwight, b. March 8, 1794, m. Rev. John White.

5602. iii. Emily Olcott Dwight, b. at Williamsburgh, Mass., July 1796, d. in Conway, Mass., Aug. 1803.

5603. iv. Mary Ann Dwight, b. in Conway, Mass., in 1798, d. in Sterling, Mass., Aug. 1807.

5604. v. Cornelia Strong Dwight, b. Dec. 8, 1801, m. William Justus Buck, and d. June 5, 1846.

5605. vi. Rev. Harrison Gray Otis Dwight, D.D., b. Nov. 22, 1803, d. Jan. 25, 1862.

5606. vii. Maria Matilda Dwight, b. June 5, 1806, d. July 1, 1806.

*By second wife:*

5607. viii. Susan Hooker Dwight, b. Feb. 14, 1815, m. Dr. Phineas M. Crane.

5608. ix. William Hooker Dwight, b. at Utica, Sept. 15, 1817, m. March 29, 1847, Emily Chester Burnett of Charlestown, Mass., without issue. He was a merchant at Winona, Minn., and afterwards a farmer. He d. at Mendota, Ill., Nov. 29, 1862, aet. 45. His widow m. for 2d husband James L. Ives of Ogdensburgh, N. Y.

5609. x. Eliza Kirkland Dwight, b. April 24, 1820, m. William B. S. Gay.

5600. i. Harriet Dwight, b. at Williamsburgh, Mass., Feb. 21, 1792, m. May 7, 1812, Dea. James Dana, b. at Ashburnham, Mass., May 29, 1780 (son of George Dana and Elizabeth Parks). He became early a resident of Utica, N. Y., where he was at first a saddler and harness-maker, but became ere long a hardware merchant, and very successful in business. He was a man of great simplicity of character, and of thorough honesty, industry and piety, and was regarded with great reverence by all who knew him when in his advanced years of Christian experience and excellence. He was an elder in the First Presb. Ch. of Utica for 32 years (1828-60). He d. Jan. 7, 1860, aet. 79, having spent 50 years and more of his life at Utica. She was said to greatly resemble her excellent mother in the mingled firmness, gentleness and religiousness of her character. She d. at Norwood, N. J., Sept. 13, 1870, aet. 78.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5610. i. Prof. James Dwight Dana, LL.D., b. Feb. 12, 1813.

5611. ii. George Strong Dana, b. Feb. 13, 1815, d. May 30, 1859, aet. 44.

5612. iii. John White Dana, M.D., b. March 28, 1817, was one of the firm of "James Dana & Co.," hardware merchants in Utica (his father and brother George being the other members of the firm), and doing a lucrative business, when, in 1840 (aet. 23) he became sick at heart of mere merchandise and money-making, and, fitting himself with great energy and despatch for college, entered Columbia Coll., N. Y., from which he was graduated with honor in 1843. He was grad. in his medical studies in "The College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York," in 1846. Establishing himself in his profession in New York, he fell a victim to cholera there, Aug. 27, 1849, aet. 32. He remained at his post while others fled, and devoted himself especially to the care of the poor. He might justly have been expected to have

attained to superior excellence in his chosen profession, from his enthusiastic devotion to its duties, had his life been spared but a few years longer.

5613. iv. Harriet Dwight Dana, b. April 8, 1819, m. J. Wyman Jones.

5614. v. Harrison Dwight Dana, b. May 29, 1822, drowned in the Mohawk river, at Utica, June 15, 1833.

5615. vi. Henry Dana, b. Sept. 18, 1824, d. June 2, 1828.

5616. vii. Cornelia Elizabeth Dana, b. March 23, 1827, d. Sept. 7, 1854, aet. 27.

5617. viii. William Buck Dana, b. Aug. 26, 1829, grad. at Yale in 1851, m. Sept. 18, 1853, Catharine Floyd (dau. of John B. Floyd of Mastic, L. I.). He was for several years a practising lawyer at Utica, but has been for some 15 years past the editor and proprietor of "The Merchant's Magazine" (formerly "Hunt's Merchant's Magazine"), published in New York. He has had no children.

5618. ix. Delia White Dana, b. Dec. 9, 1832, m. Curtiss White.

5619. x. Elizabeth Dana, b. July 7, 1835, d. Aug. 10, 1835.

[Dana is a name of Huguenot origin wherever found in this country. Richard Dana, b. in France in 1612, or thereabouts, fled to England in 1629, and emigrated thence to this country in 1640, and in 1647 m. Ann Bullard of Cambridge, Mass. He had a son, Daniel Dana, b. March 20, 1663, who m. Naomi Crosswell. Their son, Caleb Dana, b. in 1697, was a tanner in Cambridge (now Brighton), Mass., and d. there aet. 72, April 28, 1769. He left an estate of £5,839 18s. 4d. as appraised—of which real estate was £5,468 13s. 4d., and personal was £371 5s. 8d. He m. July 14, 1726, Phebe Chandler, b. in 1707 (dau. of Thomas Chandler of Andover, Mass., and Mary Stevens, dau. of Dea. Joseph Stevens of Andover).

Caleb Dana had six children: 1, Caleb Dana, Jr. 2, Phebe Dana, who m. Henry Coolidge. 3, Priscilla Dana. 4, Caleb Dana, 2d. 5, Rev. James Dana, D.D., b. in 1735, grad. at Harvard in 1753, and settled at New Haven, Ct., see Sprague's Annals Am. Pulpit. 6, George Dana, b. Jan. 1, 1744, who m. Feb. 14, 1764, Margaret Clark (dau. of Capt. John Clark of Waltham, Mass., and Hannah Cutting), and for a 2d wife, in 1771, Eliza Parks, b. Jan. 18, 1749. He had 10 children. For fuller account of Dana Genealogy, see the history of the Chandler Family, Boston, 1872. See also account of Ohio Danas, under larger account of the descendants of Hon. Peregrine Foster of Belpè, O.].

#### [Eighth Generation.]

5610. i. Prof. James Dwight Dana, LL.D. (son of James Dana of Utica, N. Y., and Harriet Dwight), b. Feb. 12, 1813, was grad. at

Yale in 1833. He m. June 5, 1844, Henrietta Frances Silliman, b. April 30, 1823 (dau. of Prof. Benjamin Silliman, LL.D., of Yale College, and Harriet Trumbull, dau. of Gov. Jonathan Trumbull, 2d, of Connecticut). He evinced while in college a special relish for the studies in which he has since so distinguished himself as the chief scientific man yet produced in this country. For two years after his graduation he taught mathematics to midshipmen in the U. S. Navy. During the two succeeding years he was an assistant of Prof. Silliman in his laboratory at Yale. In Dec. 1836 he was appointed Mineralogist and Geologist to the U. S. Exploring Expedition, which, under Com. Wilkes, sailed, five vessels composing the squadron, in Aug. 1838, on a voyage around the world. In 1837, before going to the Pacific, he published the first edition of his "Mineralogy," which has ever been accounted a standard work, and has been since, in successive editions, greatly enlarged. After his return to his native land, in June 1842, he busied himself for 13 years (1842-55), under government-pay, in preparing for publication the results of his own researches in the expedition, as well as the various reports of it which were committed to his care. During a brief period of this time (1842-4), he resided at Washington, D. C., but since 1844 has resided continuously at New Haven, Ct. Of the "Reports," three in number, thus prepared by him, only 200 copies each were printed by the Government. They were "A Report on Zoophytes," a quarto of 740 pages, with an atlas of 61 folio pages, published in 1846; "A Report on the Geology of the Pacific," a quarto of 756 pages, with an atlas of 21 plates; "A Report on Crustacea," a quarto of 1620 pages, with an atlas of 96 plates in folio.

In 1850 he was elected Silliman Prof. of Geology at Yale, but did not enter upon his duties as such until 1855, on account of his engagements with the Government as already described. In 1864, the description of his professorship was made to include also Mineralogy. Beside "Dana's Mineralogy," he is the author also of "Dana's Manual of Geology" pub. in 1862, and of "Corals and Coral Islands," pub. in 1872. He has also written at various times for "The Bibliotheca Sacra" (Andover, Mass.), and "The New Englander" (New Haven, Ct.), and occasionally for the newspapers, articles of much interest on various scientific topics. Infidel speculations have never found any scientific honor or toleration at his hands. He has been ever a man of most unwearied habits of mental application, and full of earnestness in his devotion to the claims of both science and religion. He has been for many years the active editor of "The American Journal of Science and Arts," founded in 1819 by Prof. Silliman at New Haven.

Prof. Dana has been treated with distinguished honor by several



foreign scientific societies. At the annual meeting in 1872 of the Geological Society of London, Eng., the Wollaston Gold Medal, the highest honor awarded by the Society, was conferred upon him. The President, Mr. Joseph Prestwich, remarked at the time: "Professor Dana's works have a world-wide reputation. An able naturalist and skilful mineralogist, he has studied our science with advantages of which few of us can boast. His contributions to it embrace cosmical questions of primary importance, palæontological questions of special interest, and recent phenomena in their bearings on the right study of rocks, especially of volcanic origin. We feel that the bonds of friendship and brotherhood are strengthened among all civilized nations by their one common and kindred pursuit of truth in the various branches of Science." He was elected also, in 1872, "Doctor of Philosophy and Master of Liberal Arts" by the Royal Bavarian Academy of Munich, on the occasion of its Fourth Centennial Anniversary, and was the only foreigner so noticed. He has still more recently been elected (1873) a member of the French Academy of Sciences, and is the only American as the author conceives, beside Bache and Agassiz, that has ever received this honor.

[Prof. Benjamin Silliman, LL.D., b. in Trumbull, Fairfield Co., Ct., Aug. 8, 1779, was the son of Brig. Genl. Gold Selleck Silliman and Mary Fish, dau. of Rev. Jos. Fish of Stonington, Ct. They resided in Fairfield, Ct. He was grad. at Yale in 1796, tutor there (1799-1802) for 3 years, and for 51 years Prof. of Chemistry, Mineralogy and Geology (1802-53), being Prof. Emeritus for 11 years afterwards, to the day of his death, Nov. 24, 1864. He was remarkable for his fine personal appearance, his very gentlemanly manners, his genial qualities and his high magnetic enthusiasm in his varied work as a teacher, public lecturer, journalist and author. Whoever may now or in future years excel him at any time in the extent or exactness of his scientific knowledge, his name will ever be honored in the history of our country's growth to greatness as that of the father of all true science upon our shores. He was the first one to lecture in this land, if not anywhere in the world, on scientific subjects, before a miscellaneous audience, which he often did with great success in several of our large cities. It would be difficult to overstate the amount of stimulation that he gave to the educated mind of the country. It is believed that, next after Prest. Dwight, no one in the nation, beside Moses Stuart, has so roused the mental activity of large classes of studious minds in the direction of his own special tastes and attainments as Prof. Silliman.

In making a geological survey of Connecticut, he was the first to initiate that long and most useful series of State-surveys which has thrown before the eyes of the world the spectacle of the vast and before

unimagined riches with which the Great Maker of all things has stored our immense continent.

Harriet Trumbull, his wife, b. Sept. 2, 1783, d. Jan. 18, 1850, aet. 66.]

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5620. i. Frances Henrietta Dana, b. July 24, 1846, m. Nov. 3, 1870, George Douglas Coit of Norwich, Ct., b. Jan. 2, 1845 (son of Charles Coit of Norwich, and Sarah Grosvenor), grad. at the Yale Scientific School in 1866. He is a bank officer and insurance agent in Norwich. They have one child :

\*\*\*\* 1. George Dana Coit, b. Sept. 29, 1873.

5621. ii. Edward Salisbury Dana, b. Nov. 16, 1849, grad. at Yale in 1870, pursued his scientific studies in Germany since graduation, and has just (1873) been chosen tutor at Yale.

5622. iii. James Silliman Dana, b. April 19, 1853, d. Aug. 16, 1861.

5623. iv. Harriet Trumbull Dana, b. Dec. 22, 1857, d. Aug. 27, 1861.

5624. v. Arnold Guyot Dana, b. Aug. 29, 1862.

5625. vi. Maria Trumbull Dana, b. March 19, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

5611. ii. George Strong Dana (son of James Dana of Utica and Harriet Dwight), b. Feb. 13, 1815, m. Sept. 18, 1838, Huldah Beach Wright, b. July 4, 1815 (dau. of Zenas Wright of Utica, b. in Northampton, Mass., and Melinda Beach, b. in Torrington, Ct.). He was a hardware merchant at Utica, N. Y., and a manufacturer of locks and screws, active, enterprising, and successful in business, and a man of public spirit. He was conspicuous also for his modest, amiable and genial characteristics as a Christian gentleman. He d. at Piermont, N. Y., May 30, 1859. His widow still resides at Utica.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5626. i. James Wright Dana, b. Aug. 18, 1842, is a hardware merchant in Utica, of the old firm of "Dana & Co.," and is unmarried.

5627. ii. George Silliman Dana, b. March 7, 1844, was educated at the U. S. Naval School at Annapolis, Md. He is now a clerk in New York (1874).

5628. iii. Mary Brantley Dana, b. Nov. 30, 1848.

5629. iv. William Dwight Dana, b. May 1, 1855, d. Aug. 8, 1855.

[Eighth Generation.]

5613. iv. Harriet Dwight Dana (dau. of James Dana and Harriet Dwight), b. April 8, 1819, m. Aug. 14, 1846, John Wyman Jones, b. at Enfield, Ct., May 2, 1822) son of John Jones and Ruth Arven of Enfield, N. H.), grad. at Dartmouth in 1841. He practised law in New York a few years (1844-9), and at Utica, N. Y., where he ere long engaged in agricultural pursuits (1849-58). Since 1858 he has resided

at Englewood, N. J., and been engaged extensively in building railroads and buying and selling real estate.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5630. i. James Dana Jones, b. at Utica, June 18, 1850, grad. at Yale in 1871.

5631. ii. Dwight Arven Jones, b. at Utica, Oct. 25, 1854, now in Yale in the class of 1875.

[Eighth Generation.]

5618. ix. Delia White Dana (dau. of James Dana and Harriet Dwight), b. Dec. 9, 1832, m. May 12, 1858, Nathan Curtiss White (son of Brainerd White of Winsted, Ct.) He was a lawyer at Utica for several years, but has resided of late at Norwood, N. J., and is Secy. of The Palestine Exploring Expedition.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5632. i. George Dana White, b. April 24, 1859.

5633. ii. Edward Harrison White, b. May 5, 1861.

5634. iii. A daughter, unnamed, b. and d. Dec. 19, 1862.

5635. iv. Harriet Dwight White, b. Sept. 27, 1864, d. at Norwood, N. J., April 5, 1871.

[Seventh Generation.]

5601. ii. Delia Jane Holcombe Dwight (dau. of Seth Dwight and Hannah Strong), b. at Williamsburgh, Mass., March 8, 1794, m. Jan. 1, 1817, Rev. John White of Dedham, Mass., b. Dec. 2, 1787 (son of Dea. John White of Concord, Mass., and Esther Kettell of Charlestown, his second wife, whom he m. Nov. 11, 1778, and who d. July 31, 1804), grad. at Harvard in 1805, and tutor at Bowdoin Coll. for 1 year (1808-9). He was an Unitarian clergyman, settled for nearly 38 years at West Dedham, Mass. (1814-52), where he d. Feb. 1, 1852, aet. 64. "He was a man of great personal excellence, calm in temperament, discreet in judgment, thorough in principle and earnest in his purposes of life—frank in the expression of his feelings and opinions, and generous in his interpretation of others, and a man of great consistency of character, whose chief sermon to the world was his beautiful life."

Mrs. Delia D. White m. for a 2d husband, May 25, 1859, Benjamin Dudley Emerson, b. April 20, 1781 (son of Col. Benjamin Emerson of Hampstead, N. H., and Ruth Tucker), grad. at Dartmouth in 1805, for many years a teacher in the public schools of Boston. In his later years he lived at Jamaica Plain, West Roxbury, Mass. He d. Oct. 1, 1872, aet. 91. She d. there Dec. 6, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

5636. i. Elizabeth Jane White, b. Nov. 5, 1818, m. Benjamin H. Silsbee.

5637. ii. Delia Dwight White, b. Oct. 14, 1825, m. Nov. 19, 1857, John Hill Thorndike, b. in Boston, June 1, 1811 (son of John Prince Thorndike of Boston, who d. at Newport, R. I., Aug. 6, 1865, and Sarah Hill who d. there July 13, 1870), an architect in Boston. No children.

5636. i. Elizabeth Jane White, b. Nov. 5, 1818, m. Oct. 21, 1840, Benjamin Hodges Silsbee, b. Oct. 23, 1811 (son of William Silsbee of Salem, Mass., and Mary —), a merchant in Salem, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5638. i. Elizabeth White Silsbee, b. Oct. 11, 1841.

5639. ii. Margaret Silsbee, b. March 2, 1850.

5640. iii. Francis Henry Silsbee, b. April 7, 1852.

[Seventh Generation.]

5604. v. Cornelia Strong Dwight (dau. of Seth Dwight and Hannah Strong), b. in Conway, Mass., Dec. 8, 1801, m. about 1830, William Justus Buck, b. Dec. 8, 1802, at Chester, Ct. (son of Justus Buck of Chester and Mary Higley Mills), a hardware merchant in New York, where she d. June 5, 1846, aet. 44, and he d. April 7, 1866, aet. 63. They had one child:

5641. 1. Cornelia Mills Buck, b. Jan. 9, 1833. She resides at Norwood, N. J., unmarried (1874).

[Seventh Generation.]

5605. vi. Rev. Harrison Gray Otis Dwight, D.D. (son of Seth Dwight and Hannah Strong), b. at Conway, Mass., Nov. 22, 1803, was grad. at Hamilton College, N. Y., in 1825, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1828. He was agent of the A. B. C. F. M. (1828-9) for a short time, and was ordained and commissioned, July 15, 1829, as a Missionary of the American Board to the east, at Gr. Barrington, Mass., and sailed for Malta Jan. 1830. The same year he started, with Eli Smith, D.D., on an exploring tour through Asia Minor, Persia, Armenia and Georgia, of 15 months' duration. At the end of it, in July 1831, he settled at Constantinople, and became one of the founders of the Mission to the Armenians. Manifesting remarkable executive abilities and sound judgment, especially in times of perplexity and danger, together with unwavering trust in God through scenes of severest trial, he became ere long a leader in counsel for all the missions of the east, and was soon recognized, not only at home but in Great Britain also, and the Protestant countries of Europe, as among the foremost in zeal and skill of all the missionaries that had ever gone forth from the American churches. He was the first "Frank" that gained a residence for himself within the walls of old Stamboul, which he used ever afterwards with great and growing advantage to the cause of evangel-



ism in Turkey. In addition to constant preaching and daily religious labors with the natives in whose neighborhood he lived, his correspondence with the secretaries at home, with other missionaries, and with leading Christians in many parts of the world, was exceedingly diversified and voluminous. He composed books and tracts in the native languages, translated portions of the sacred scriptures and was the author of several volumes published in his native land and in England. The titles of those well-known volumes will sound like a pleasant memory in the hearts of many who see them anew upon this page: "The Researches of Smith and Dwight in Armenia, etc., Boston, 1833," "Memoir of Mrs. Elizabeth B. Dwight, N. Y., 1840," "Christianity Revived in the East, N. Y., 1850," and reprinted in London in 1854. He furnished also for "The Journal of The American Oriental Society," New Haven, Ct., "A complete Catalogue of Literature in Armenia." A large pile of unpublished manuscripts and sermons would deserve to be added to any just description of the great amount of his mental productiveness.

He crossed the Atlantic six times, and his travels were very widely extended through all the lands of Western Asia, the different countries of Europe, and large outlying portions of his own native country; and they were all made in the interest of the great work of love to which he gave himself body and soul. His last long journey in the east was over the same general track that he took in his first one, with Palestine and Syria added to his route. But at this time he went alone (1859-60), at the age of nearly 60 years, travelling solitarily but serenely and delightedly, thousands of miles on horseback, through the wildest regions of Asia Minor and the lands lying around it, in order to comprehend all the better the real necessities and resources of the missionary field in which he was stationed. A sublime moral spectacle this, easily realized in its main outlines of interest by even a weak imagination! How few would dare, even for purposes of great gain, and much less of simple benevolence, to push their way alone for many long weeks and months, through all kinds of new and sudden dangers, among strange and uncultivated people, tenting often in the open fields and in dark by-places at night. But God was with him, and he felt the assurance of the inspiring fact, and went on mightily to the full end of his purpose. After finishing his grand tour of successful exploration, with the noblest of objects in view, he re-visited the United States in Nov. 1861, in the full vigor of his health, and with the deeply cherished expectation of returning soon again to his wonted labors of love for God and man. He came hither to stir the heart of the church at home, if he could, to a new sense of its duty to the now desolate regions where Christianity once triumphed in its early

strength. He came here also to feast his eyes, for his own refreshment of soul, on whatever good things of the kingdom of Christ he might be anywhere able to find. He came also for the purpose of adding to his own bereaved household a kindred ministering spirit to those which had previously blessed and beautified it, but now forever passed away from earth. He advocated earnestly the great and tender cause of missions in many pulpits. Two of his sons had gone, with his cordial approval, if not also personal suggestion, into the Union army, in the fearful civil war then opened to view in all its length and breadth before all eyes; and he went to Kentucky and Virginia, into the lines of the army, to visit them, full of holy sympathy with them in their patriotism, and to bid them "God speed!" and their cause with them!

After a very brief and hurried sojourn of two busy months of travel and toil he started for Canada, to attend some missionary anniversaries which were to be held there. While he was travelling on the Troy and Bennington Railroad, between the two places thus named, on Jan. 25, 1862, a sudden gust of wind of great violence struck the train as it passed swiftly by an open gorge, and blew over the car, in which he sat, down an embankment. He was instantly killed by the accident, without even a broken bone or a bruise to bear witness to the fact, or any contortion of his features, which remained as placid as if he were asleep. He lay in the repose of death unidentified for some time—the official who had his remains in charge remarking, "Whoever it may be, he must have been one of the best men that ever lived"—so unmistakable was the moral expression of his aspect. But one other life was lost by this disaster, that of another active Christian, who was thus suddenly translated, like himself, into the Upper Presence. He was interred in the cemetery at Utica, N. Y., amid the familiar scenes of his early life. The writer had the pleasure of welcoming him to his own fireside but a few weeks before his death. Greatly was he interested in the purpose then just awakened into life in the author's heart, of which this work and a similar history of the Strong Family, of like interest to his own thoughts, are so long afterwards the matured fruit.

He m. Jan. 4, 1828, Elizabeth Barker of North Andover, Mass., b. Jan. 27, 1806 (dau. of Joshua Barker and Ruth —). She d. at St. Stefano, near Constantinople, of plague, July 7, 1837, aet. 31. She was a lady of thorough mental and moral culture, of bright, positive habits of thought, and of great symmetry of character, and remarkable for her habitual industry and self-forgetful patience, as well as her devotion to maternal duties.

During all the progress of her terrible malady her only attendants

for ten days were, because no others could be obtained, her husband and an old man. She was buried on a hill-side, where the little white wall surrounding her grave was visible for years to all who passed in ships to and from the great city.

Dr. Dwight m. April 16, 1839, for a second wife, Mary Lane of Sturbridge, Mass., b. May 4, 1811 (dau. of Rev. Otis Lane and Elizabeth Paine). She d. of cancer at Constantinople, Nov. 16, 1860, aet. 49. She was the mother of 5 children, and beside discharging faithfully her duties as a wife and mother, she spent much time and strength in making books for the natives.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5642. i. Rev. James Harrison Dwight, b. at Malta, Oct. 9, 1830, d. Dec. 2, 1872, aet. 42.

5643. ii. Rev. William Buck Dwight, b. at Constantinople, May 22, 1833.

5644. iii. John White Dwight, b. there Dec. 4, 1834, d. of the plague June 29, 1837.

5645. iv. Charles Parmelee Dwight, b. Feb. 25, 1837, d. Feb. 18, 1853, aet. 16.

*By second wife:*

5646. v. Mary Tappan Dwight, b. Aug. 19, 1840, d. July 5, 1847.

5647. vi. Henry Otis Dwight, b. at Constantinople, June 3, 1843. At the breaking out of the late rebellion he left the Ohio Wes. University at Delaware, O., to join the army of the west as a private in the 20th Ohio Regt., in the 17th army corps. He participated with high delight in all the great battles under Genls. Grant and Sherman, at Fort Donaldson, Shiloh, Corinth, Raymond, Vicksburgh, Meridian, Atlanta, etc. At the expiration of his term of enlistment he joined the army anew as a veteran, and made the great march with Sherman through Georgia and the two Carolinas. He was promoted to various offices until he became aid-de-camp to Major Genl. Ford. He was offered a captain's commission, but declined it, preferring his position as aid. He remained in the service until the end of the war. He m. March 1867, at Middleboro, Mass., Mary A. Bliss (dau. of Rev. Edwin Elisha Bliss, D.D., of Western Turkey, since 1843, who was grad. at Amherst in 1837). He has been since 1867 the financial agent of the Turkish Mission at Constantinople. She d. there Nov. 15, 1872.

5648. vii. Cornelia Porter Dwight, b. at Constantinople, Nov. 12, 1846, was educated at Englewood, N. J. (1861-) in the Female Seminary, conducted there by her brothers. She was a teacher for a time at Westerley, R. I. She sailed, Feb. 23, 1871, as a missionary of the A. B. C. F. M. to Western Turkey at Sivas.

5649. viii. Sarah Hinsdale Dwight, b. at Constantinople, July 17, 1848, was educated at Englewood (1861-) and became a teacher of music at White Plains, N. Y., and New Milford, Ct. She m. May 29, 1869, Rev. Edward Riggs (son of Rev. Elias Riggs, D.D., grad. at Amherst in 1829 and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1832, missionary to the east since 1832): grad. at Princeton in 1865, he was ordained a Missionary to Turkey June 13, 1869.

5650. ix. Susan Elizabeth Dwight, b. Feb. 6, 1851, d. at Olivet, Mich., July 13, 1870.

5642. i. Rev. James Harrison Dwight, b. Oct. 9, 1830, grad. at Yale in 1852, and at the Union Theol. Sem., N. Y., in 1855, studied medicine in "the N. Y. Coll. of Physicians," etc. (1856-7), m. Aug. 6, 1855, Susan Eaton Schneider, b. at Broosa, Asia Minor, April 5, 1835 (dau. of Rev. Dr. Benjamin Schneider and Eliza Abbott, missionaries of the A. B. C. F. M. in Turkey). She was educated at New Haven, Ct., and d. at Englewood, N. J., Feb. 13, 1860, leaving behind her a son 7 days old. He m. Oct. 18, 1865, at Englewood, for a 2d wife, Josephine Christina Wilder, b. Oct. 26, 1838 (dau. of Sampson Vryling Stoddard Wilder of New York and Electa Barrell). He was stated supply at Cherry Valley, N. Y. (1857-8), founded the Presb. Ch. at Englewood, N. J., in 1859, and was its formal pastor from June 1860 to May 1867. From 1867 to 1871 he was chiefly devoted to writing for the press, being for a portion of the time editorially connected with "The Christian Union" (an earnest religious weekly in New York), and preaching also meanwhile irregularly as opportunity offered. He became, in 1871, and was at the time of his death, the Secretary and General Agent of "The Palestine Exploring Society" of New York. He d. at Englewood, N. J., Dec. 2, 1872. He was a clear and earnest thinker, a thorough and varied scholar, a genial companion and a devoted Christian. From him most of the facts here detailed concerning his father's descendants were obtained. He had one child by his first wife:

5651. 1. Charles Abbott Schneider Dwight, b. Feb. 7, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

5643. ii. Rev. William Buck Dwight (son of Rev. Dr. H. G. O. Dwight and Elizabeth Barker), b. May 22, 1833, came to America in 1850, grad. at Yale in 1854, and at Union Theol. Sem., N. Y., in 1857, and at the Yale Scientific School in 1859. He was licensed to preach by the 4th Presb. of N. Y., April 14, 1857. He took part in founding the town of Englewood, N. J., in 1859, and established a Young Ladies' Institute there, of which he was for some years principal and proprietor. He is now (since 1871) Asst. Principal of the Conn. State Normal School



at New Britain, Ct.; and Associate Editor of the Conn. School Journal, pub. at New Haven, Ct. (since 1872). He preached at West Point, N. Y., for some few years. He m. Nov. 17, 1859, Eliza Howe Schneider, b. at Broosa, Asia Minor, Jan. 9, 1837 (dau. of Rev. Dr. Benjamin Schneider and Eliza Abbott). She came to America in 1852, and was educated at New Haven.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5652. i. William Harrison Dwight, b. at Kinderhook, N. Y., April 23, 1863, d. at Englewood, Aug. 3, 1863.

5653. ii. Amy H. Dwight, b. Feb. 1868, d. at West Point, N. Y., Aug. 24, 1869.

5654. iii. James Schneider Dwight, b. Oct. 1870.

[Seventh Generation.]

5607. viii. Susan Hooker Dwight (dau. of Seth Dwight and Susan Hooker, his 2d wife), b. at Utica, Feb. 14, 1815, m. Dec. 10, 1833, Phineas Miller Crane, M.D., b. at Canton, Mass., Nov. 28, 1804 (son of Major Genl. Elijah Crane of that place and Desire Withington), grad. at Harvard Coll. in 1824, and at Harvard Med. School in 1828. He is a physician at East Boston, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5655. i. Delia White Crane, b. Jan. 4, 1835, d. next day.

5656. ii. John White Crane, b. and d. April 20, 1837.

5657. iii. Phineas Miller Crane, b. Nov. 12, 1838, is an invalid and resides at the paternal home.

5658. iv. Capt. William Dwight Crane, b. Nov. 29, 1840, entered Harvard Coll. in 1859, but abandoned his studies for the army, Aug. 11, 1862, in the hour of his country's peril, enlisting as a private in the 44th Mass. Regt. On June 7, 1863, he was made First Lieut. in the 55th Mass. Regt., and on June 16th following, Capt. He was killed at Honey Hill, S. C., Nov. 30, 1864. He was a gallant soldier as well as a superior scholar. He was also an accomplished musician. His religious convictions were deep and strong.

5659. v. Edward Ware Crane, b. Nov. 2, 1844, is engaged in the express business at E. Boston (1872).

5660. vi. Harrison Dwight Crane, b. Oct. 14, 1847, d. March 14, 1849.

5661. vii. Frederic Lincoln Crane, b. April 21, 1850, is a teacher of music at E. Boston (1872).

5662. viii. George Francis Crane, b. April 21, 1852.

[Seventh Generation.]

5609. x. Eliza Kirkland Dwight (dau. of Seth Dwight and Susan Hooker), b. at Utica, April 24, 1820, m. Sept. 8, 1842, William Branford Shubrick Gay, b. Dec. 13, 1820 (son of George Gay, Esq., of

Boston, and Nancy Lovering), a merchant at Boston, residing at Boston Highlands.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5663. i. Eliza Dwight Gay, b. at Albany, N. Y., June 7, 1843, d. Nov. 27, 1843.

5664. ii. Eliza Dwight Gay, 2d, b. at Boston, April 26, 1846.

5665. iii. Georgiana Henrietta Gay, b. May 10, 1850.

5666. iv. Charles Edward Gay, b. at Roxbury, Mass., Dec. 10, 1853, d. March 22, 1854.

5667. v. Grace Miller Gay, b. June 12, 1855.

5668. vi. William Branford Dwight Gay, b. July 29, 1858.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 794.

5595. iii. Josiah Dwight, Jr. (son of Ensign Josiah Dwight of Williamsburgh, Mass., and Tabitha Bigelow), b. Aug. 12, 1772, m. Nov. 18, 1795, Sarah Hartwell, b. in Concord, Mass., May 10, 1772 (dau. of Francis and Abigail Hartwell of Conway, Mass.). He was a farmer in Williamsburgh, and for many years a selectman of the town, and much like his father for personal character and influence. She d. May 3, 1822, aet. 50, and he m. April 22, 1823, for a 2d wife widow Lucy Geere of Northampton, Mass., *née* Ware, b. in 1777, dau. of Jonathan Ware of Conway, Mass. She had no children. He d. Dec. 24, 1826, aet. 54. She d. Nov. 1, 1835, aet. 58.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5669. i. Morris Dwight, M.D., b. Oct. 3, 1796.

5670. ii. A child, unnamed, b. April 3 and d. April 21, 1798.

5671. iii. Fidelia Dwight, b. April 22, 1799, m. Phineas Nash, and d. 1823, aet. 24.

5672. iv. Leonard Dwight, b. June 26, 1801.

5673. v. Josiah Dwight, b. Nov. 29, 1803, d. April 20, 1862.

5674. vi. Sarah Dwight, b. March 1, 1806, m. Newton Pease, and d. Sept. 17, 1867.

5675. vii. Clarissa Dwight, b. July 8, 1811, m. Henry P. Little.

5676. viii. A child, unnamed, b. and d. Sept. 10, 1814.

5669. i. Morris Dwight, M.D., b. Oct. 1, 1796, m. Oct. 3, 1825, Minerva Bryant, b. Feb. 18, 1800 (dau. of Eli Bryant of Chesterfield, Mass., and Susan Warren). He pursued his medical studies at Pittsfield, Mass., and practised his profession at Halifax, Vt., for 3 years (1826-9), and at Cummington, Mass., for 10 years (1829-39). In 1839-40 he went to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and engaged in the cultivation of the *morus multicaulis*. After two years' residence there, his wife and children removed to Lafayette, Onondaga Co., N. Y. He has resided

in later years at Ithaca, N. Y., and various other places, and she at Lockport, N. Y., where she now (1874) resides.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5677. i. Col. Augustus Wade Dwight, b. in Halifax, Vt., Feb. 22, 1827, d. March 25, 1865.

5678. ii. Edwin Henry Dwight, b. there March 6, 1828, d. Sept. 1830.

5679. iii. Everard Home Dwight, b. in Cummington, Aug. 19, 1829, d. Dec. 14, 1850, killed by the accidental discharge of a gun in Charlestown, Mass.

5680. iv. George Wood Dwight, b. May 1831, d. in 1835.

5681. v. Martha Chapman Dwight, b. in Cummington, March 1833, d. in 1834.

5682. vi. Cornelia Bates Dwight, b. April 12, 1835, m. George F. Thomson.

5683. vii. Harriet Newell Dwight, b. Aug. 27, 1837, m. John Hosmer.

5684. viii. George Dwight, 2d, b. Sept. 1839, d. Oct. 1841.

5685. ix. Susan Dwight, b. June 30, 1841, m. Charles W. Warren.

5677. i. Col. Augustus Wade Dwight, b. Feb. 22, 1827, found life a battle for him from the first against many difficulties. Full of irrepressible ardor to obtain a liberal education, he struggled into Yale College, but after two years or so (1851-3) of hard fighting against fearful odds he sorrowfully relinquished his college studies because pecuniarily unable to pursue them further. He went from Yale to California, where he spent 4 years, and afterwards to the Sandwich Islands and China, and came back home, having made the tour of the world, in the spring of 1858. While in California he studied law, and on his return homewards he pursued his legal studies for a year at Syracuse, and in 1859 was admitted to the bar of Onondaga County, N. Y.

In 1862 he joined the Union army as Lt. Col. of the 122d N. Y. Regt. Having passed through many battles and skirmishes unharmed, he was slightly wounded at Winchester, Va., Sept. 19, 1864; recovering soon from which he led his regiment again, Oct. 19, in the battle of Cedar Creek. Here his right wrist was shattered by a ball—nine pieces of bone being removed from the wound. He suffered greatly from this wound, which, when it was healed, left him but a helpless right arm. He had returned to his home when thus thoroughly disabled for further service in the field, but when his wound was healed he could not stay longer idly there. "On Jan. 30, 1865, he again left us for the front," writes his fond mother, "although never expecting to go into active service any more. He was promoted on his appearance there anew to a full colonelcy—his commission being dated some



Yours truly  
A. W. Dwight





months backwards. The enthusiasm with which he was received by his comrades aroused at once old feelings in his heart, which had had but little time to grow cool there, and he again took command of his regiment in the battle before Petersburg, in which, in the beginning of the attack on Fort Stedman, he fell, instantly killed by a solid shot, March 25, 1865." He had previously taken part in 21 pitched battles. "Of our grief," she adds, "I cannot and will not speak: it is the story of thousands of mothers and sisters all over our desolated land."

Of his legal abilities and his professional ideas and ideals, Rev. J. C. Fillmore of Syracuse thus spoke in a funeral discourse: "As a lawyer, he was noted for his appreciation of the dignity of the profession, for his diligence in it, and for his high and honorable bearing. He despised all meanness and trickery, and never encouraged litigation for the sake of a case."

His intellectual and personal qualities are thus described. He had superior and versatile talents, a very fine memory, and rare conversational powers, with a wonderful flow of language (because of ideas), intermingled with quaint humor and poetic sentiment. His reading was wide, his knowledge extensive, and he read human nature with a quiet but keen eye. He had a strong will, and thorough individuality of character, and was both a man of power and a man to be loved, for, with his varied elements of intellectual and moral strength, he had a warm heart and cordial manners. He had likewise a fine physique and a personal presence of both a commanding and inspiring kind. He was, best of all, a man of high integrity and honor. He was constitutionally a man of order and of progress, and full of enthusiasm in what he undertook to do. It might have been readily foreseen that such superior endowments and attainments would make him the fine tactician that he was in preparing his regiment for duty, and the brave and skilful officer that he proved to be when handling them in the hour of battle. Of his religious character, says his sister, Mrs. Harriet N. Hosmer: "He was, during the last year of his life, humble as a little child, trusting fully in the atonement and blood of Jesus Christ, and we doubt not that he reigns now with him in glory."

[Eighth Generation.]

5682. vi. Cornelia Bates Dwight (dau. of Dr. Morris Dwight and Minerva Bryant), b. April 12, 1835, m. May 1, 1856, George Festus Thomson, b. July 13, 1829 (son of Timothy Thomson and Lucy Ward), a grocer in Lockport, N. Y., for a short time, but since 1868 has been a farmer at Murray, Orleans Co., N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5686. i. Lillian Thomson, b. July 3, 1857, d. Sept. 8, 1858.

5687. ii. Charles Thomson, b. Nov. 20, 1859.

5688. iii. Addie Minerva Thomson, b. April 18, 1862.

5689. iv. Augustus Dwight Thomson, b. April 10, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

5683. vii. Harriette Newell Dwight (dau. of Dr. Morris Dwight and Minerva Bryant), b. Aug. 27, 1837, m. Feb. 15, 1854, John Hosmer, b. Oct. 1, 1825 (son of Sylvester Hosmer of Wilson, N. Y., and Rebecca Kittredge), a merchant at Lockport, N. Y. (1859-67) where he still resides, and has been since 1867 engaged in buying and shipping staves from Western markets for foreign ports.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5690. i. Nelly Cornelia Hosmer, b. Aug. 1, 1859.

5691. ii. Willie Hosmer, b. Jan. 18, and d. Jan. 20, 1865.

5692. iii. Eugene Dwight Hosmer, b. March 7, 1866, d. April 1, 1868.

5693. iv. Harrison Dwight Hosmer, b. March 25, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.]

5685. ix. Susan Dwight (dau. of Dr. Morris Dwight and Minerva Bryant), b. June 30, 1841, in Lafayette, N. Y., m. Jan. 1, 1862, Charles Wright Warren, b. Dec. 30, 1836 (son of Jonathan Warren and Naomi Clayton), a merchant in Lockport. Two children :

5694. 1. Frank Dwight Warren, b. Dec. 25, 1863.

5695. 2. Minerva Warren, b. Feb. 22, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

5671. iii. Fidelia Dwight (dau. of Josiah Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Hartwell), b. April 22, 1799, m. April 25, 1821, Phineas Nash of Bath, Ohio (son of Thomas and Naomi Nash of Williamsburg, Mass.), a farmer. She d. Jan. 9, 1823, aet. 24. He was blind in the latter part of his life, and lived in Virginia. He was a man of thoroughly conscientious principles, and asserted them always in the fear of God, and without any other fear. When the recent slavocratic rebellion broke out, some of his dastardly neighbors seized him and threw him blind and helpless into a wagon to carry him off--no one knows where. He was, however, soon rescued from their vile hands without further maltreatment. His health rapidly declined after this cruel event, and he d. soon, in April 1862. They had one son :

5696. 1. Augustine Dwight Nash, b. Nov. 24, 1822, who went to sea, and is supposed to have perished in a storm or died from sickness, when 25 years old, in 1847.

[Seventh Generation.]

5672. iv. Leonard Dwight (son of Josiah Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Hartwell), b. June 26, 1801, m. Nov. 21, 1827, Minerva Bradford, b.

Aug. 28, 1807 (dau. of Shubael Bradford of Conway, Mass.) He resides at New Bedford, Mass., and has a meat market there. His children were all born in Williamsburgh, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5697. i. Fidelia Dwight, b. Aug. 18, 1828, resides unmarried in New Bedford.

5698. ii. Julia Ann Dwight, b. Dec. 27, 1830, m. Charles Heath.

5699. iii. William Bradford Dwight, b. April 15, 1832.

5700. iv. James Edwin Dwight, b. May 19, 1834, a resident of New Bedford.

5698. ii. Julia Ann Dwight, b. Dec. 27, 1829, m. July 29, 1854, Charles Heath of New Bedford. Two children :

5701. 1. Leonard Dwight Heath, b. Oct. 14, 1862.

5702. 2. Charles Herbert Heath, b. Aug. 20, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

5699. iii. William Bradford Dwight (son of Leonard Dwight and Minerva Bradford), b. April 15, 1832, m. Oct. 13, 1858, Margaret Earle Dyer, b. in Dartmouth, Mass., July 15, 1838. He resides in New Bedford : has two children :

5705. 1. Henry Leonard Dwight, b. May 8, 1860.

5706. 2. Mabel Elizabeth Dwight, b. Nov. 16, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

5700. iv. James Edwin Dwight, b. May 19, 1834 (son of Leonard Dwight and Minerva Bradford), m. March 11, 1855, Emily Brown Gifford of Dartmouth, Mass., b. Aug. 9, 1833. He resides in New Bedford.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5708. i. Minerva Bradford Dwight, b. Jan. 13, 1857.

5709. ii. Emily Frances Dwight, b. Feb. 9, 1859, d. March 26, 1865.

5710. iii. Fidelia Dwight, b. Feb. 27, 1861, d. Jan. 5, 1862.

5711. iv. Phebe Gifford Dwight, b. Feb. 13, 1863, d. Aug. 5, 1864.

5712. v. Myrtie Matthews Dwight, b. Feb. 23, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

5673. v. Josiah Dwight, 3d (son of Josiah Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Hartwell), b. Nov. 29, 1803, m. Dec. 29, 1830, Beulah Pease (dau. of Asher Pease of Enfield, Ct., and Elizabeth Chaffee). He was a merchant at Mountain Cove, Va., where he d. April 20, 1862. Mrs. Dwight d. there July 6, 1859. They had one son :

5713. 1. Josiah Dwight, 4th, b. Dec. 2, 1831, whether now living or dead is not known by his family friends.

[Seventh Generation.]

5674. vi. Sarah Dwight (dau. of Josiah Dwight, Jr., and Sarah



Hartwell), b. March 1, 1806, m. Nov. 26, 1833, Newton Pease, a farmer in Conway, Mass., b. Nov. 17, 1805 (son of Asher Pease of Enfield, Ct., and Elizabeth Chaffee). She d. Sept. 17, 1867, aet. 61.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5714. i. Sarah Caroline Pease, b. Dec. 9, 1834, m. June 18, 1862, Charles Carroll Oakes, a farmer in Ellington, Ct., b. June 26, 1834 (son of Lovell Oakes of Grafton, Vt.).

5715. ii. Edward Franklin Pease, b. Oct. 8, 1837, d. Sept. 22, 1839.

5716. iii. Ellen Maria Pease, b. Jan. 4, 1840.

5717. iv. Harris Dwight Pease, b. April 13, 1842, lives unmarried at Conway.

5718. v. Jenny Eliza Pease, b. March 3, 1844, d. of consumption April 16, 1861.

5719. vi. Henry Eldredge Pease, b. May 30, 1846, d. Feb. 20, 1847.

5720. vii. Harriet Amelia Pease, b. Jan. 9, 1849.

[Seventh Generation.]

5675. vii. Clarissa Dwight (dau. of Josiah Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Hartwell), b. July 8, 1811, m. April, 1830, Henry Paine Little, a farmer in Williamsburgh, Mass., b. July 16, 1805 (son of Isaac Little of same place, b. in Simsbury, Ct., in 1758, and d. Aug. 11, 1822, in Williamsburgh, and Hannah Paine, b. in Hatfield, Mass., in 1751, who d. March 11, 1839).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5721. i. Charles Harvey Little, b. Dec. 7, 1832, a merchant (crockery and oil) at Freeport, Ill., m. March 2, 1857, Sarah Catharine Dyslin, dau. of John and Nancy Dyslin of Herkimer Co., N. Y. No children.

5722. ii. Edwin Dwight Little, b. June 26, 1835, a clerk in Springfield, Mass., and afterwards in Hartford, Ct., d. Feb. 3, 1861, aet. 26.

5723. iii. Ellen Mary Little, b. May 18, 1838, was for several years a teacher. She m. Feb. 7, 1872, Henry Garner Curtiss, b. April 23, 1831 (son of Garner Curtiss of Litchfield, Ct., and Annis —). He is a merchant in Odell, Ill. (since 1861). They have one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. May Josephine Curtiss, b. July 21, 1873.

5724. iv. Henry Dwight Little, b. Aug. 4, 1847, is a crockery and glassware dealer at Rockford, Ill.

[Sixth Generation.]

5596. iv. Dorus Dwight (son of Ensign Josiah Dwight and Tabitha Bigelow), b. Oct. 4, 1774, m. about 1799 Sally Rogers, b. Nov. 26, 1778 (dau. of James Rogers of Hardwick, Mass., and Hannah Fay). He was a farmer at Williamsburgh, Mass., where he d. June 22, 1805, aet. 30. She d. Aug. 4, 1855, aet. 76, having spent 50 years in widowhood. His estate was inventoried at \$1615.35.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5725. i. Dimmis Dwight, b. Sept. 20, 1800, m. Eli Bird, and, for a 2d husband, Reuben Damon.

5726. ii. Rev. Anson Dwight, b. July 29, 1804.

5725. i. Dimmis Dwight, b. Sept. 20, 1800, m. Feb. 9, 1819, Eli Bird, b. Aug. 17, 1795 (son of Ebenezer Bird of Williamsburgh, Mass., and Mary Ripley), a mechanic and farmer at Williamsburgh. He d. Dec. 27, 1825, aet. 30. She m. for a 2d husband, Aug. 27, 1828, Reuben Damon, b. Oct. 4, 1789 (son of Isaiah Damon and Mercy Hayden), a farmer at Chesterfield, Mass. She is still (1874) living there.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

5727. i. Amanda Bird, b. Dec. 3, 1819, m. Edward Stebbins.

5728. ii. Sarah Bird, b. Oct. 7, 1821, m. Gershom Damon.

*By second marriage:*

5729. iii. Martha Damon, b. April 25, 1830, m. Cotton Munson.

5730. iv. Eli Damon, b. June 16, 1833, d. Oct. 22, 1833.

5731. v. Orpha Damon, b. May 11, 1835, m. Henry Dwight Graves.

5732. vi. Hudson Damon, b. June 26, 1838.

5733. vii. Elvirah Dwight Damon, b. April 30, 1841, m. Ambrose Cudworth.

5734. viii. Lester Ferdinand Damon, b. Aug. 31, 1843.

5727. i. Amanda Bird, b. Dec. 3, 1819, m. Jan. 25, 1842, Edward Stebbins, b. March 31, 1813 (son of Levi Stebbins and Amy Pierce), a farmer at Chesterfield, Mass. He d. Oct. 19, 1858, aet. 45.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

5735. i. Emerson Herbert Stebbins, b. Feb. 29, 1844, d. July 11, 1845.

5736. ii. Albert Francis Stebbins, b. March 14, 1846, d. Nov. 8, 1863.

5737. iii. Emory Dwight Stebbins, b. Feb. 18, 1849.

5738. iv. Foster Osborne Stebbins, b. April 6, 1851, d. June 12, 1853.

5739. v. Israel Pierce Stebbins, b. April 24, 1853.

5740. vi. Orville Dewey Stebbins, b. April 17, 1855.

[Eighth Generation.]

5728. ii. Sarah Bird (dau. of Eli Bird and Dimmis Dwight), b. Oct. 7, 1821, m. Aug. 8, 1842, Gershom Damon, b. April 1, 1822 (son of Jason Damon and Jane Collier), a farmer at Chesterfield, Mass. Two children:

5741. 1. Sarah Jane Damon, b. Dec. 10, 1842.

5742. 2. Charles Damon, b. Oct. 22, 1847.

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5729. iii. Martha Damon, b. April 25, 1830, m. April 22, 1850, Cotton Munson, b. March 16, 1825 (son of Joel Munson and Amanda Bardwell), a farmer at Whateley, Mass. He d. March 27, 1865. She resides at W. Whateley, Mass. Two children :

5743. 1. Jenny A. Munson, b. June 3, 1854.

5744. 2. Helen Leola Munson, b. March 6, 1859.

5731. v. Orpha Damon, b. May 11, 1835, m. June 15, 1854, Henry Dwight Graves, b. Aug. 27, 1839 (son of Reuben Graves and Nancy Bradford), a farmer at Whateley. She d. Oct. 25, 1866. Two children :

5745. 1. Elwood Forester Graves, b. Aug. 16, 1857.

5746. 2. Ida Estella Graves, b. Feb. 19, 1861, d. Oct. 11, 1861.

5732. vi. Hudson Damon, b. June 26, 1838, m. May 12, 1861, Martha Pitcher, b. Aug. 6, 1842 (dau of Linus Pitcher and Laura Witherell). He is a farmer at Chesterfield, Mass. Two children :

5747. 1. Frank Eugene Damon, b. Dec. 1, 1862.

5748. 2. Nelly Isabel Damon, b. Feb. 14, 1867.

5733. vii. Elvirah Dwight Damon, b. April 30, 1841, m. Nov. 13, 1859, Ambrose Cudworth, b. July 16, 1832 (son of Charles Cudworth and Roxana Witherell), a farmer at Chesterfield. Two children :

5749. 1. Ada Cudworth, b. Sept. 30, 1861.

5750. 2. Nellie Orpha Cudworth, b. May 19, 1867.

5734. viii. Lester Ferdinand Damon, b. Aug. 31, 1843, m. May 23, 1866, Sarah L. Smith, b. Sept. 22, 1845 (dau. of Warren N. Smith and Maria Keech). He is a machinist at Ashton, R. I. One child :

5751. 1. George Warren Damon, b. Dec. 1, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

5726. ii. Rev. Anson Dwight (son of Dorus Dwight of Williamsburgh and Sally Rogers), b. July 29, 1804, m. April 25, 1826, Eliza White of Chesterfield, Mass., b. Jan. 5, 1809 (dau. of Sylvanus White and Martha Cogswell). He was ordained as a Baptist clergyman at Bath, O., April 6, 1850, and preached as such some 10 years. Since 1860 he has been a preacher in the *Christian Church*, and has been engaged for several years past (1867— ) in farming at Chesterfield, Mass., preaching gratuitously as he has opportunity. To him is due the account here given of his father's descendants. His wife d. Dec. 14, 1866, at Blainstown, Iowa, where he was then engaged (1864-6) in merchandise and post-office matters

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5753. i. Eliza Maria Dwight, b. July 23, 1827, m. Ammiel Engram.

5754. ii. Harriet Pamelia Dwight, b. June 3, 1831, m. Wm. Sullivan Snow.

5753. i. Eliza Maria Dwight, b. July 23, 1827, m. March 15, 1846, Ammiel Engram of Chesterfield, b. April 19, 1824 (son of Otis Engram and Dolly White), a farmer there.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5755. i. Juliet Adolphine Engram, b. May 6, 1847, m. John Monson (son of William Monson of Chesterfield and Rachel Damon).

5756. ii. Alfred Dwight Engram, b. Dec. 24, 1850, is a farmer at Chesterfield.

5757. iii. Clara Allison Engram, b. June 13, 1855, m. Marshal Rhodes, a blacksmith and carriage-maker in Williamsburgh, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.]

5754. ii. Harriet Pamela Dwight (dau. of Rev. Anson and Eliza Dwight), b. June 3, 1831, m. Jan. 1852, William Sullivan Snow, b. April 21, 1829 (son of Henry Snow and Sarah Jamison), a farmer at Blainstown, Iowa. One child :

5758. 1. Salina Belle Snow, b. Aug. 8, 1859.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 794.

5597. v. Abigail Dwight (dau. of Ensign Josiah Dwight and Tabitha Bigelow), b. Sept. 2, 1776, m. May 11, 1795, Moses Wells of Hatfield, Mass. He d. and she m. for a 2d husband Jonathan Bliss of Hartford, Ct. She d. about 1836. She had by her first marriage a daughter :

5759. 1. Sally Wells, who m. a Mr. Percival of Greenbush, N. Y.

[Sixth Generation.]

5598. vi. Daniel Dwight (son of Ensign Josiah Dwight and Tabitha Bigelow), b. July 2, 1778, m. in 1800 Prudence Hillman, b. June 25, 1782 (dau. of Lot Hillman of Martha's Vineyard and Lovey Luce). He was a farmer, and an active, enterprising man, at Williamsburgh, where he d. Aug. 10, 1805. She d. Dec. 23, 1864, for nearly 60 years a widow. His estate was inventoried at \$1,259.66.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5760. i. Marietta Dwight, b. Feb. 4, 1801, m. Dea. John Maxam.

5761. ii. Roderick Dwight, b. Nov. 25, 1802.

5762. iii. Daniel Dwight, Jr., b. Dec. 28, 1804.

5760. i. Marietta Dwight, b. Feb. 4, 1801, m. Sept. 7, 1820, Dea. John Maxam of Coleraine, Mass., a farmer, b. Sept. 12, 1796 (son of Kingman Maxam and Content Shaw).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5763. i. Cordelia Butler Maxam, b. Oct. 5, 1822, d. July 27, 1864.

5764. ii. Marietta Dwight Maxam, b. Sept. 7, 1826.

5765. iii. Prudence Houghton Maxam, b. May 6, 1830.

5766. iv. Juliette Johnson Maxam, b. June 29, 1835.



## [Seventh Generation.]

5761. ii. Roderick Dwight (son of Daniel Dwight and Prudence Hillman), b. Nov. 25, 1802, m. June 19, 1832, Emily Johnson of Buckland, Mass., b. April 21, 1808 (dau. of Josiah Johnson and Betsey Elmer), a farmer at Coleraine, Mass., and a man of more than ordinary talent. He d. March 10, 1863.

## [Eighth Generation.] Children :

5767. i. Josiah Dwight, b. April 22, 1833.

5768. ii. Elizabeth Dwight, b. Sept. 28, 1838, m. George Ames.

5767. i. Josiah Dwight, b. April 22, 1833, m. May 3, 1855, Emmeline Eliza Walker of Shaftesbury, Vt., b. Aug. 28, 1838 (dau. of Gideon Walker and Betsy Smith) : a farmer at Coleraine, Mass.

## [Ninth Generation.] Children :

5769. i. Daniel Jay Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1856, at Coleraine.

5770. ii. Elizabeth Emma Dwight, b. at Coleraine, Sept. 8, 1858.

5771. iii. Anna Louisa Dwight, b. Oct. 22, 1860, at Meriden, Ct.

## [Eighth Generation.]

5768. ii. Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Roderick Dwight and Emily Johnson), b. Sept. 28, 1838, m. March 1, 1860, George Ames of Williamsburgh, Mass., b. Sept. 25, 1839, in Troy, N. Y. (son of George N. Ames and Jane Mason), a travelling merchant. Two children :

5772. 1. George Ames, Jr., b. April 25, 1861, d. June 18, 1866.

5773. 2. Roderick Dwight Ames, b. March 13, 1863.

## [Seventh Generation.]

5762. iii. Daniel Dwight, Jr. (son of Daniel Dwight and Prudence Hillman), b. Dec. 28, 1804, m. June 23, 1825, Patience Maxam (dau. of Kingman Maxam and Content Shaw). He is a farmer at Coleraine.

## [Eighth Generation.] Children :

5774. i. Emmeline Houghton Dwight, b. April 15, 1827, d. Feb. 19, 1849.

5775. ii. Dianthe Dwight, b. May 3, 1830, m. Nov. 1865, Hart Cressey of Rowe, Mass., a farmer, b. May 20, 1834 (son of George Washington Cressey and Sylvia King). No issue.

5776. iii. Anson Dwight, b. Sept. 15, 1836, m. Dec. 20, 1859, Marian Elizabeth Kinsman of Heath, Mass., b. April 6, 1843 (dau. of Bliss Kinsman and Betsey Temple). He is a farmer at Coleraine, Mass. His children are :

5777. 1. Edgar Morris Dwight, b. Feb. 13, 1861.

5778. 2. Emma Helen Dwight, b. Feb. 4, 1863.

## [Sixth Generation.] See page 794.

5599. vii. Tabitha Dwight (dau. of Ensign Josiah Dwight and Ta-

bitha Bigelow), b. June 4, 1781, m. April 24, 1798, Ezekiel Bates of Chesterfield, Mass., and afterwards of Pittsfield, b. in Cohasset, Mass., Aug. 30, 1778. He was a blacksmith. She d. and he m. in 1840 for a 2d wife Jerusha Burt, by whom he had 2 children.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5779. i. Elizabeth M. Bates, b. at Williamsburgh, Nov. 2, 1798, m. Reuben Penhollow.

5780. ii. Josiah Dwight Bates, b. Nov. 28, 1800.

5781. iii. Cornelia Bates, b. May 20, 1803, m. George M. Newell.

5782. iv. Dorus Bates, b. May 28, 1805, m. Dec. 10, 1826, Emma Norton. He resides at Pittsfield.

5783. v. Jane A. Bates, b. May 29, 1811, d. Nov. 10, 1822.

5784. vi. Susan C. Bates, b. July 10, 1814, M. Robert Melville.

5779. i. Elizabeth Marietta Bates, b. Nov. 2, 1798, m. Nov. 13, 1819, Reuben Penhollow, a blacksmith at Clear Creek, Chautauqua Co., N. Y. They have had ten children. Nos. 5785-94: Ezekiel and Cornelia who d. unmarried; Jane; Marietta, who m. a Mr. Barlow, a merchant, in Conawango, N. Y.; Philena who m. Delos Crookes of Ravenna, O.; Reuben; Martha, who m. Albert Frink; Dorus Dwight; Mary, who m. Edwin Ross; and William Harrison.

[Seventh Generation.]

5780. ii. Josiah Dwight Bates, b. Nov. 28, 1800, m. March 4, 1823, Eliza Stanton, b. March 10, 1802. He is a farmer at Pittsfield, Mass. (1874). She d. and he m. Nov. 6, 1859, for a 2d wife, Mary E. Garrison.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

5795. i. Jane A. Bates, b. July 1, 1824, m. May 1, 1859, Eleazer Wilbur, a farmer. He was an Union soldier in the late war, and d. in Anderson prison, Aug. 23, 1864. They had one child :

5796. 1. Ida Jane Wilbur, b. Oct. 2, 1860, d. May 28, 1865.

5797. ii. Harriet S. Bates, b. March 19, 1826, m. John Castle.

5798. iii. D. (name not given) Bates, b. Dec. 13, 1828, m. Sept. 20, 1849, Lafayette Butler, a harness-maker in Mich. No children.

5799. iv. Ezekiel E. Bates, b. Feb. 25, 1831, is a farmer.

5800. v. Hannah M. Bates, b. May 24, 1833, m. Joseph H. Fairchild.

5801. vi. Eliza A. Bates, b. Aug. 24, 1835, m. Sept. 8, 1853, Samuel Cogswell, a farmer. No children.

5802. vii. Oliver L. Bates, b. April 7, 1840, became an Union soldier in the late war. After having served for 3 years he enlisted anew and was wounded before Petersburg, when on picket-duty. After

having had his leg amputated in vain, he d. Aug. 18, 1864, at Alexandria, Va.

5803. viii. Martha Bates, b. April 6, 1842, m. James M. Warner.

*By second wife :*

5804. ix. Alfred H. Bates, b. Oct. 20, 1860.

5797. ii. Harriet S. Bates, b. March 19, 1826, m. Sept. 21, 1848, John Castle, a farmer.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

5805. i. Eliza Castle, b. July 25, 1849.

5806. ii. Jeanette Castle, b. Dec. 15, 1851.

5807. iii. Helen Ann Castle, b. May 19, 1855.

5808. iv. Charles Castle, b. Jan. 10, 1857, d. Sept. 25, 1865.

5809. v. Dorus Castle, b. Dec. 10, 1862, d. Sept. 10, 1864.

5810. vi. Catharine Castle, b. May 20, 1864, d. Sept. 25, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.]

5800. v. Hannah M. Bates (dau. of Josiah Dwight Bates and Eliza Stanton), b. May 24, 1833, m. June 17, 1852, Joseph H. Fairchild, a printer at New Haven, Ct. Two children :

5811. 1. Henry Dwight Fairchild, b. Nov. 29, 1856.

5812. 2. Fay Fairchild, b. Oct. 9, 1858.

[Eighth Generation.]

5803. viii. Martha Bates (dau. of Josiah D. Bates and Eliza Stanton), b. April 6, 1842, m. Aug. 9, 1865, James M. Warner, a machinist at New Haven, Ct. One child :

5813. 1. Wendell Holmes Warner, b. June 9, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

5781. iii. Cornelia Bates (dau. of Ezekiel Bates and Tabitha Dwight, b. May 20, 1803, m. April 9, 1821, George Mozier Newell, b. at Dutton, Mass., Feb. 23, 1799 (son of Aaron Newell and Ellen Crossman). He resides now (1874) at Davenport. She d. at Pittsfield, Aug. 1852.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5814. i. Harriet Newell, who m. William Busch. He d. in Chicago, Ill., in 1854, and she m. in 1856, for 2d husband, Henry A. Metzgar of Rushford, Minn. She had by her first husband 5 children :

\*\*\*\* 1. William Busch, a farmer in Chicago, Ill.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frank Busch, a bookkeeper in Peoria, Ill.

\*\*\*\* 3. Oscar Busch, who d. early

\*\*\*\* 4. Ivan Dorus Busch, a clerk at Key West, Fla.

\*\*\*\* 5. Frederick Busch.

5815. ii. George C. Newell, b. at Pittsfield, April 25, 1831, m. in 1852, at Stephentown, N. Y., Elizabeth Langdon. He is a dentist in Lancaster, Wis. They had one child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Frank Newell, b. 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

5784. vi. Susan (Crofut) Bates (dau. of Ezekiel Bates and Tabitha Dwight), b. July 10, 1814, m. Sept. 17, 1838, Robert Melville, b. June 20, 1817, at Pittsfield, Mass. (son of Thomas Melville, Jr., b. in Boston in 1779, and Mary Ann Augusta Hobart, b. in Kennebeck, Me., in 1797, whom he m. in 1816. He was a farmer in Pittsfield, Mass. [1816-37], and afterwards in Galena, Ill. [1837-45], where he d. in 1845, and where his widow still [1874] lives). He was a farmer in Pittsfield, Mass., until 1851, and at Galena, Ill. (1851-61). Since 1861, he has resided at Davenport, Iowa, where he is agent of the "St. Louis and St. Paul Packets and Commission Merchants' Co."

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5816. i. Robert Thomas Melville, b. Nov. 11, 1839, m. Nov. 20, 1869, at Moline, Ill., widow India Jefferson. He is an insurance agent at Red Bud, Randolph Co., Ill.: has one child:

5817. 1. Thomas Dearborn Melville, b. July 3, 1873.

\*\*\*\* ii. Allan Ezekiel Melville, b. Jan. 13, 1841, d. Aug. 22, 1841.

\*\*\*\* iii. Julien Hobart Melville, b. at Pittsfield, Dec. 17, 1846, a lawyer at Davenport, m. April 4, 1872, Martha Earhart (dau. of Philip and Maria Earhart of Pleasant Valley, Iowa): have had one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Robert Philip Melville, b. Jan. 13, 1873, d. July 31, 1873.

Here ends the account of the descendants of Capt. Seth Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., of whom the names of some 600 have been recounted.

[Fourth Generation.] See page 623.

4150. iii. Dorothy Dwight (dau. of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., and Lydia Hawley), b. Sept. 17, 1709, m. June 1732, Major Noah Ashley of Westfield, Mass., b. June 15, 1704 (son of Col. John Ashley, b. June 27, 1669, and Sarah Dewey, b. March 28, 1672). They removed to (Western, now) Warren, Mass., and afterwards back to Westfield. She d. Jan. 12, 1745, aet. 36. He m. for a 2d wife a dau. of Samuel Porter of Hatfield, Mass. (her Christian name not ascertained), who after his death removed to Hatfield. He was at Johnson's fight, near Lake George, and was killed there Sept. 8, 1755.

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

5818. i. Noah Ashley, b. April 15, 1733, d. May 17, 1733.

5819. ii. Dorothy Ashley, b. July 29, 1734, d. in infancy.

5820. iii. John Ashley, b. April 6, 1737.

5821. iv. Dorothy Ashley, 2d, b. about 1740, m. William Colton, and had a child, Dorothy.

5822. v. Simeon Ashley, b. about 1742.

5823. vi. Sarah Ashley, b. about 1744.



Much effort has the author made at various times, in different ways, to trace out the history of any and all Dwight-Ashleys that could be found; but none were to be found. There are probably some, and possibly many, in existence; but if there are any, they are wholly as yet outside of the author's range of genealogical observation.

[Ashley Lineage.

[First Generation.]

1. Robert Ashley, the settler, established himself with his wife Mary in Springfield, Mass., in 1639. They had 5 children.

[Second Generation.]

2. i. David Ashley, b. July 3, 1642.

3. ii. Mary Ashley, b. April 6, 1644.

4. iii. Jonathan Ashley, b. Feb. 25, 1646.

5. iv. Sarah Ashley, b. Aug. 23, 1648.

6. v. Joseph Ashley; b. July 6, 1652.

[Third Generation.]

2. i. David Ashley (son of Robert and Mary Ashley) b. July 3, 1642, m. in 1663 Hannah Glover of New Haven, Ct., and settled in Springfield, Mass., but removed about 1673 to Westfield, Mass. Their children were:

7. i. Samuel Ashley, b. Oct. 1664.

8. ii. Dea. David Ashley, Jr., b. March 10, 1667.

9. iii. Col. John Ashley, b. June 27, 1669, d. April 17, 1759, aet. 89.

10. iv. Joseph Ashley, b. July 31, 1671, m. in 1699 Abigail Dewey, and had son James.

11. v. Sarah Ashley, b. Sept. 19, 1673, m. in 1691 Thomas Ingersoll. See Goodwin's Notes, p. 123.

12. vi. Mary Ashley, } d. soon.

                                      } twins, b. at Westfield, Mass., Dec. 14, 1675.

13. vii. Hannah Ashley, } m. Nathaniel Eggleston.

14. viii. Jonathan Ashley, b. there June 21, 1678.

15. ix. Abigail Ashley, b. April 27, 1681, m. Nathaniel Lewis of Farmington, Ct.

16. x. Mary Ashley, 2d, b. March 3, 1683, m. Benjamin Stebbins of Northampton.

17. xi. Rebecca Ashley, b. May 30, 1685, m. Samuel Dewey of Westfield.

[Fourth Generation.]

7. i. Samuel Ashley (son of David Ashley and Hannah Glover), b. Oct. 1664, m. April 1686, Sarah Kellogg of Hadley, Mass. He lived and d. in Westfield, Mass. He had 11 children.

17. i. Mary Ashley, b. March 6, 1687.

18. ii. Samuel Ashley, b. Nov. 3, 1688.
19. iii. Daniel Ashley, b. Sept. 1691.
20. iv. Sarah Ashley, b. in 1693, m. July 3, 1717, David Bull of Farmington, Ct., and had a dau. Abigail, who m. in 1699 Nathaniel Lewis.
21. v. Rachel Ashley, b. in 1695.
22. vi. Jacob Ashley, b. in 1697.
23. vii. Joanna Ashley, b. in 1699.
24. viii. Aaron Ashley, b. in 1702, m. in 1727 Bethiah Dewey of Westfield.
25. ix. Ezekiel Ashley, b. about 1706.
26. x. Abigail Ashley, b. in 1708.
27. xi. Rev. Joseph Ashley, b. Oct. 11, 1709, grad. at Yale in 1730, settled at Winchester, N. H., in 1736, and remained there until the breaking up of the settlement by the Indians. He settled afterwards (1747) in Sunderland, Mass., where he d. Feb. 8, 1797, aet. 88. He m. Feb. 16, 1736, widow Anna Dewey of Westfield. They had 5 children, viz. : Joseph, Stephen, Anna, who m. Jonathan Russell, Sarah, who m. Jonathan Dickinson, and Gideon Ashley, who m. Mary Russell and lived and died in Sunderland, Mass.

[Third Generation.]

8. ii. Dea. David Ashley, b. March 10, 1667 (son of David Ashley and Hannah Glover), was a farmer at Westfield, Mass., and was eminent for his piety. He m. July 11, 1688, Mary Dewey of Westfield (dau. prob. of Josiah Dewey and Hepzibah Lyman, who was b. Oct. 16, 1665). He d. Aug. 7, 1744, aet. 77. She d. Dec. 13, 1751, aged prob. 86. They had 9 children.

[Fourth Generation.]

28. i. David Ashley, b. July 16, 1689, d. soon.
29. ii. Thomas Ashley, b. Sept. 17, 1690.
30. iii. David Ashley, 2d, b. Dec. 26, 1692.
31. iv. Mary Ashley, b. March 12, 1694.
32. v. Elizabeth Ashley, b. March 3, 1697, m. May 15, 1718, James Dewey of Westfield, b. April 3, 1692 (son of Jedediah Dewey), and had 9 children. She d. Sept. 25, 1737, aet. 40. He m. for 2d wife, Dec. 20, 1738, Jeanna Taylor, by whom he had one son, Paul. He d. of small-pox Aug. 28, 1767, aet. 75.
33. vi. Abigail Ashley, b. Jan. 6, 1700, m. Aug. 23, 1724, David Dewey, and had 9 children.
34. vii. Hannah Ashley, b. Nov. 8, 1706.
35. viii. Dr. Israel Ashley, b. Oct. 14, 1710.
36. ix. Moses Ashley, b. Oct. 9, 1703.



35. viii. Dr. Israel Ashley, b. Oct. 14, 1710, m. Nov. 20, 1735, Margaret Moseley (originally Maudesley). He was a physician in Westfield. He was grad. at Yale in 1730, and d. in 1758 at Stillwater, N. Y., a surgeon in the army. She d. in 1791, or thereabouts. They had 9 children.

## [Fifth Generation.]

37. i. Elizabeth Ashley, b. Sept. 26, 1736.

38. ii. Israel Ashley, b. Nov. 22, 1737, d. Dec. 29, 1742.

39. iii. Ezra Ashley, b. Feb. 3, 1739, d. soon.

40. iv. Solomon Ashley, b. Sept. 20, 1741, d. Jan. 5, 1742.

41. v. Theodosia Ashley, b. Nov. 1, 1743, d. Jan. 9, 1746.

42. vi. Margaret Ashley, b. Sept. 3, 1745, m. Jonathan Dwight of Springfield. See subsequent page.

43. vii. Dr. Israel Ashley, Jr., b. June 15, 1747, d. March 26, 1814, aet. 67.

44. viii. Solomon Ashley, b. Jan. 20, and d. Feb. 1749.

45. ix. Theodosia Ashley, b. Jan. 2, 1750–1, m. Rev. Aaron Bascom of Chester, Mass., and had children: James, Ashley, Aaron, John, Theodosia, Frances and Charlotte. Ashley and Rev. John Bascom were grad. at college.

43. vii. Dr. Israel Ashley, Jr. (son of Dr. Israel Ashley and Margaret Moseley), b. June 15, 1747, grad. at Yale in 1767, was a physician at Westfield, Mass., like his father. He m. Feb. 10, 1774, Mary Gelston of Southampton, L. I., b. Aug. 10, 1746 (dau. of Judge Hugh Gelston and Mary Pelletreau). He d. March 26, 1814, aet. 66. She d. March 31, 1816, aet. 69. They had six children.

## [Sixth Generation.]

46. i. Israel Gelston Ashley, b. Aug. 13, 1776, d. May 29, 1800.

47. ii. Mary Ashley, b. Aug. 21, 1778, m. Elijah Bates, and d. July 10, 1845.

48. iii. Margaret Ashley, b. Nov. 11, 1780, m. Lyman Lewis. She d. Nov. 18, 1833.

49. iv. Harriet Ashley, b. in 1783, m. Jesse Farnam: no issue. She d. April 2, 1855.

50. v. Thomas Ashley, b. March 16, 1787, has been long a resident of Westfield, and if living now, as he was a few years since, is 87 years old. Some of the leading facts here presented he furnished. In closing his letter to the writer, he said (Westfield, May 28, 1866): "I knew but little of my ancestors: I would like to know more. Some of them were eminent for piety: I have not heard the name of any one of them connected with crime." He had a son living in Bloomington, Ill., who had a son, and these three were, in 1866, all the male repre-

sentatives then living of his grandfather's descendants who bore the family name.

51. vi. Hannah Ashley, b. in 1785, d. Oct. 21, 1791.

See, for further details, Appendix, under Gelston Lineage.

[Third Generation.]

9. iii. Col. John Ashley (son of David Ashley of Westfield and Hannah Glover), b. June 27, 1669, m. Sept. 8, 1692, Sarah Dewey of Westfield, b. March 28, 1672 (dau. of Jedediah Dewey and Sarah Orton). She d. March 30, 1708, and he m. for 2d wife in 1708-9, widow Mary Sheldon, *née* Whiting, b. Aug. 19, 1672 (dau. of Joseph Whiting of Westfield, Mass., and afterwards of Hartford, Ct., and Mary Pynchon, only dau. of Col. John Pynchon of Springfield, whom he m. Oct. 5, 1669), widow of Joseph Sheldon of Suffield, Ct. (b. in Northampton, Mass.). She d. in 1735, and he m. for 3d wife, in 1735, Hannah Glover. He was a man of large wealth and many public offices and trusts. He d. April 17, 1759, aet. 89. He had 9 children—all but one by his first wife.

[Fourth Generation.]

52. i. Sarah Ashley, b. in 1693.

53. ii. Hannah Ashley, b. in 1695, d. June 28, 1696.

54. iii. John, b. Oct. 19, 1697, d. soon.

55. iv. Moses, b. Oct. 14, 1700.

56. v. Ebenezer Ashley, b. March 29, 1701, d. April 11, 1702.

57. vi. *Major Noah Ashley*, b. June 15, 1704, m. *Dorothy Dwight*, and had 6 children. See previous page.

58. vii. Roger Ashley, b. Jan. 30, 1705.

59. viii. Lydia Ashley, b. in 1708, d. April 19, 1708.

*By second wife:*

60. ix. Judge John Ashley, b. Dec. 2, 1709, grad. at Yale in 1730, was a lawyer at Sheffield, Mass., a colonel of militia and judge of the county court (1765-81). He d. Sept. 1802, aet. 92. He m. Hannah Hogaboom of Claverack, N. Y., who d. June 19, 1790, aet. 78. He was a man of large wealth. For account of his son and 3 daughters, see Hinman's *Puritan Settlers*, etc., p. 67. His son Major Genl. John Ashley, b. Sept. 26, 1736, grad. at Yale in 1756, was active in suppressing the Shays' Rebellion in Massachusetts. He d. Nov. 5, 1791, aet. 55. He m. May 20, 1762, Louisa Ward of New Marlboro, Mass., who d. April 2, 1769, and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 17, 1769, Mary Ballantine, dau. of Rev. John Ballantine of Westfield. He had 10 children, 8 of them by his last wife. One of those by the 2d marriage, Major William Ashley, b. Jan. 4, 1773, grad. at Harvard in 1793, was a gentleman farmer of large property in Sheffield, Mass.



He m. Jan. 4, 1803, Jane Hillyer, b. Aug. 24, 1779 (dau. of Judge Hillyer of Granby, Ct.), and Jane Pelletreau, dau. of Elias and Sally Pelletreau of Southampton, L. I.

See subsequent pages, under Gelston Lineage.

[Third Generation.]

10. iv. Joseph Ashley, b. July 31, 1671, m. April 12, 1699, Abigail Dewey. He was a farmer at Westfield, where he d. Feb. 25, 1705: she d. March 11, 1707.

[Fourth Generation.]

61. i. James Ashley, b. Feb. 26, 1699-70.

62. ii. Abigail Ashley, b. Oct. 1, 1702.

63. iii. Naomi Ashley, b. Feb. 1704, d. Feb. 22, 1705.

64. iv. Joseph Ashley, b. in 1706.]

[Fourth Generation.] See page 623.

4151. iv. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, and Lydia Hawley), b. April 25, 1712, m. May 28, 1735, Major Elijah Williams of Deerfield, Mass., b. Nov. 13, 1712 (son of Rev. John Williams of Deerfield, Mass., and Abigail Allen of Windsor, Ct., his 2d wife. For a brief sketch of his history, see Sprague's *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. i. pp. 214-17). He was grad. at Harvard in 1732, and was a lawyer at Deerfield, a major of militia and town clerk for many years, and was distinguished for his zeal in all town matters of public interest. In the Indian wars he removed to Enfield, Ct., where his wife Lydia d. Jan. 25, 1749, aet. 36. He afterwards returned to Deerfield, and was appointed one of the judges of the County Court. He m. Jan. 7, 1750, for 2d wife, Margaret Pynchon, b. Nov. 24, 1727 (dau. of Col. William Pynchon and Catharine Brewer. See *Hist. of Strong Family* by the author, vol. ii. p. 1282). She d. April 15, 1772, aet. 44. He d. July 10, 1771, aet. 58. He had by this 2d marriage one son, John Williams, Esq., of Deerfield, b. Jan. 6, 1751, who d. in 1816.

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

5824. i. Sibyl Williams, b. March 4, 1735, d. Oct. 15, 1750, aet. 14.

5825. ii. Sarah Williams, b. Feb. 3, 1737, d. April 4, 1738.

5826. iii. Abigail Williams, b. Jan. 17, 1738, m. Thomas Williams, and d. May 13, 1818.

5827. iv. Lydia Williams, b. March 23, 1740, m. Daniel Jones.

5828. v. Sarah Williams, 2d, b. June 11, 1743, d. June 14, 1756.

5829. vi. Elijah Williams, b. Jan. 27, 1745, d. at Deerfield unmarried, March 24, 1793, aet. 48. He was grad. at Harvard in 1764, and was a lawyer at Keene, N. H., and a loyalist in the Revolution.

5830. vii. Eunice Williams, b. Dec. 17, 1746, m. William Felton

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(who he was and where he lived not ascertained). They had 4 children: Eunice, bapt. in 1776: William, bapt. in 1778: Elijah, b. about 1780; and Charles, b. in 1782.

5826. iii. Abigail Williams, b. Jan. 17, 1738-9, m. May 27, 1760, Dr. Thomas Williams, b. at Roxbury, Mass., Oct. 12, 1736 (son of Eleazer Williams, b. Feb. 20 1694, who d. Nov. 1768, and Sarah—), grad. at Harvard in 1757. He was a physician at Roxbury, Mass., where he d. suddenly Sept. 10, 1815, aet. 79. He was remarkable for industry, generosity, temperance and activity. See Hist. of Williams Family, pp. 47-9. She d. May 31, 1818, aet. 79.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

The order assumed after the first three is one that is guessed, but not known definitely to be entirely right.

5831. i. Ebenezer Hinsdale Williams, b. in 1761, d. June 1, 1838.

5832. ii. Sarah Williams, b. Oct. 13, 1762, m. Simeon Jones, and d. Jan. 11, 1833, aet. 70.

5833. iii. Thomas Williams, b. May 28, 1765, d. aet. 58, Nov. 1823, m. Frances Jones, his cousin. (See No. 5847. iv. infra).

5834. iv. Eleazer Williams, b. about 1767, m. Charlotte Deane of Newport, R. I., and for a 2d wife a Miss Carew of Springfield, Mass., a very estimable lady and highly regarded by the other members of the family. His father disliked the match so much that he disinherited his son for it; but his other children made over to him afterwards his proportion of the estate. He was a hotel-keeper at Springfield.

5835. v. Elijah Williams, b. about 1769, was a sailor and unmarried. He left Liverpool, Eng., Oct. 11, 1793, in the brig Maria, for New London, Ct., and was never heard from afterwards.

5836. vi. Abigail Williams, b. about 1768, m. Alexander Bliss, and d. at Springfield, Mass., July 6, 1807, aet. 39.

5837. vii. Lydia Williams, b. about 1774, d. unmarried at E. Bridgewater, Mass., May 13, 1856, aet. 82.

5838. viii. Dwight Williams (prob. twin), b. about 1774, d., deformed, Aug. 10, 1812, aet. 38.

5831. i. Ebenezer Hinsdale Williams, b. about 1761, grad. at Harvard in 1783, m. Jan. 2, 1792, Joanna Smith (dau. of Capt. Reuben Smith of Northfield, Mass.). He was a farmer at Deerfield, Mass. He d. June 1, 1838, aet. 77. She d. May 14, 1852.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5839. i. Anna McCarthy Williams, b. Nov. 30, 1799, m. Nov. 11, 1818, Charles Howard of Springfield, Mass. She d. July 18, 1822.

5840. ii. Elijah Williams, b. Aug. 13, 1802, grad. at Harvard in 1822, practised law in Deerfield, Mass., m. June 6, 1825, Isabella

Hoyt, b. Nov. 10, 1804 (dau. of Genl. Epaphras Hoyt of Deerfield and Experience Harvey). He went to Jacksonville, Fla., in 1834, and established a paper called "The Jacksonville Courier," but d. Nov. 3, 1835, of a nervous fever there.

[Sixth Generation.]

5832. ii. Sarah Williams (dau. of Dr. Thomas Williams of Roxbury, Mass.), b. Oct. 13, 1762, m. Aug. 13, 1786, Simeon Jones, b. Dec. 1, 1751 (son of Elisha Jones of Weston, Mass., and Mary Allen, and brother to Daniel Jones, who m. her aunt Lydia). He d. Aug. 14, 1823: she d. Jan. 11, 1833, aet. 70.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Louisa Jones, b. June 3, 1788, m. James T. Hanford. She d. Sept. 19, 1849: he d. Oct. 3, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Thomas Jones, b. Oct. 4, 1789, d. 1872, aet. 82.

\*\*\*\* 3. Frances Elizabeth Jones, b. Sept. 18, 1791, m. Jan. 20, 1820, Lt. George West, a Lt. in the British Navy, who afterwards was engaged in the Crown Land Department in New Brunswick, residing at Fredericton. He d. April 19, 1837, without issue: she resides now (1874) at St. John's, N. B., aet. 82.

\*\*\*\* 4. Richard W. Jones, b. Dec. 7, 1792, d. Nov. 29, 1873, aet. 80.

\*\*\*\* 5. Ann Jones, b. Aug. 8, 1794, m. a Mr. Davidson. She d. Oct. 1871.

\*\*\*\* 6. Mary Jones, b. Jan. 20, 1796, m. a Mr. Hazen. She is still (1874) living. He d. March 16, 1865.

\*\*\*\* 7. Lydia Jones, b. Dec. 16, 1797, m. Alpheus Jones. She d. May 26, 1865, aet. 67.

\*\*\*\* 8. Charlotte Jones, b. Sept. 16, 1800, d. Oct. 18, 1816.

\*\*\*\* 9. Margaret Jones, b. Aug. 20, 1802, m. a Mr. Lyon. She d. March 15, 1865.

[Sixth Generation.]

5833. iii. Thomas Williams (son of Thomas and Abigail Williams), b. May 28, 1765, grad. at Harvard in 1784, was a lawyer at Roxbury, Mass., living on the old family homestead. He m. Oct. 20, 1791, Elizabeth McCarthy, b. Aug. 17, 1769 (dau. of Capt. Daniel McCarthy of Roxbury and Anna Savage). She d. Aug. 26, 1807, aet. 38; and he m. April 16, 1808, Frances Jones, b. Aug. 9, 1768 (dau. of Daniel Jones of Hinsdale, Mass., and Lydia Williams), his cousin. By this marriage he had a dau., Frances Lydia Williams, that d. in infancy. He d. at Dorchester, Mass., Sept. 20, 1823, of angina pectoris, aet. 59. [Capt. McCarthy, b. at Bandon, Ireland, d. at Jamaica Plain, Mass., Feb. 19, 1791, aet. 68. Anna Savage, b. at Bandon, Jan. 5, 1733, d. at Jamaica Plain, March 16, 1803].

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5841. i. Daniel Thomas Williams, b. Nov. 9, 1792, d. in Calcutta, India, Oct. 27, 1812.

5842. ii. Rev. John Adams Williams, b. July 28, 1800, grad. at Harvard in 1820, d. at E. Bridgewater, Mass., March 15, 1872. He was an Unitarian clergyman, and was settled for a short time (1826-8) at that place. He was afterwards a teacher for some 7 years at Athens, Ga. He had poor health, and but little energy of character, and d. unmarried.

5843. iii. Elizabeth Cleland Williams, b. Aug. 4, 1803, m. Jan. 16, 1828, Dr. Samuel Angier Orr, b. Dec. 16, 1802 (son of Dr. Hector Orr of E. Bridgewater, grad. at Harvard in 1792, who was in the E. India service, and Mary Angier, dau. of Hon. Oakes Angier). He is a physician at E. Bridgewater, Mass., and still (1873) in full practice and high health. She d. Aug. 4, 1871, aet. 68.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. Elizabeth Orr, b. April 1, 1830, m. June 6, 1848, Edward Soper Keith, b. July 18, 1826 (son of Zenas Keith of E. Bridgewater and Salome —), a bookkeeper at Boston, residing at E. Bridgewater. They have had 3 children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Oakes Angier Keith, b. Nov. 13, 1849, d. Sept. 17, 1850.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frederic Edward Keith, b. Nov. 27, 1851, d. April 2, 1853.

\*\*\*\* 3. Lydia Williams Keith, b. Dec. 8, 1854, d. Nov. 29, 1855.

\*\*\*\* ii. George West Orr, b. Feb. 22, 1832, d. April 9, 1833.

\*\*\*\* iii. William Harrison Orr, b. March 4, 1840, d. Aug. 15, 1840.

[Fifth Generation.]

5827. iv. Lydia Williams (dau. of Major Elijah Williams and Lydia Dwight), b. March 23, 1740, m. Dec. 8, 1763, Daniel Jones of Hinsdale, N. H., b. July 25, 1740 (son of Elisha Jones of Weston, Mass., and Mary Allen, dau. of Dea. Nathaniel Allen of same place), grad. at Harvard in 1759, a lawyer at Hinsdale, and Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. He d. 1786.

[Elisha Jones, son of Josiah Jones, Jr., of Watertown, Mass., and Abigail Barnes of Marlboro, Mass., b. Nov. 20, 1710, d. at Boston, Mass., Feb. 15, 1775, aet. 64. The parents of Josiah Jones, Jr., b. Oct. 20, 1670, were Josiah Jones of Watertown and Lydia Treadway. Abigail Jones, b. Sept. 14, 1694, who m. Col. Ephraim Williams of Newton, Mass., afterwards of Stockbridge, Mass., was sister of Elisha Jones. It was her dau. Abigail Williams, b. April 20, 1721, who m. Rev. John Sergeant of Stockbridge, and for a 2d husband, Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight, as his 2d wife. She was the mother of Pamela Dwight,



who became the 2d wife of Hon. Theodore Sedgwick, LL.D., of Stockbridge. See p. 626.]

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

5844. i. Abigail Jones, b. about 1766, m. John W. Blake of Brattleboro, Vt. They had 4 children: 1. Henry Jones. 2. Anna Sophia. 3. John Reid. 4. William Caldwell. These brothers are now (1874) bankers in Boston. Information was sought of them, but not obtained.

5845. ii. Frances Jones, b. Aug. 9, 1768, m. April 16, 1808, her cousin, Thomas Williams, No. 5833. iii.

5846. iii. Sophia Jones, b. about 1770, m. Henry Jones (another account says Joseph Jones) of Warren, Mass., and afterwards of St. Albans, Vt. They had 5 children: 1. *Sidney Jones* of Brockville, Canada, who was a forwarder and merchant in Montreal, and d. at Brockville in 1856. He m. a dau. of Judge David Ford of Morristown, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., and had 7 sons, 5 of whom are now (1874) living, viz.: (1.) Sidney Ford Jones, who m. Sophia, dau. of Robert Hervey, Esq., a counsellor in Chicago, Ill. (2.) Herbert Chilion Jones, a lawyer in Montreal, who m. Mary Helen Morton of Kingston, Ontario. (3.) Beverley Jones, a lawyer at Toronto, Canada. (4.) Rev. Kearney Jones, a Jesuit priest in England. (5.) R. Heber Jones, in banking-house of Messrs. Blake Bros., in Boston. 2. *Eliza Jones* (dau. of Henry Jones). 3. *Fanny Jones*. 4. *Joseph Jones*. 5. *Henry Jones*.

iv. William Henry Jones, b. about 1774, m. Martha Smith of Middletown, Ct. They had 3 children: Elizabeth, who d. young; William Henry; John, who d. young.

This is the whole of the poor account that could be obtained of this family of Jones, after much writing to different members of the family in New Brunswick, Canada and Boston.

[Fourth Generation.] See page 624.

4153. vi. Col. Josiah Dwight (son of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield and Lydia Hawley), b. Oct. 23, 1715, grad. at Yale in 1736, m. about 1750 Sarah Pyncheon, b. Aug. 14, 1721 (dau. of Col. William Pyncheon of Springfield and Catharine Brewer, dau. of Rev. Daniel Brewer of Springfield. See previous page.) She d. without issue, Aug. 4, 1755. He m. for a 2d wife, Oct. 17, 1757, Elizabeth Buckminster, b. in 1730 (dau. of Col. <sup>Samuel</sup> Buckminster of Brookfield, Mass.). She d. March 10, 1798, aet. 67. He d. Sept. 28, 1768, aet. 53. He resided at Springfield, Mass. He was Lt. Col. of militia and judge of the Court of Common Pleas in the County of Hampshire (1750-68), and previously justice of the peace. He was a merchant, and was also a manufacturer of potash and had an iron foundry. He owned some

5,000 acres of land, and was an enterprising, energetic, prosperous man, of high respectability and influence. His property was inventoried at his death at £9,458, with the following items, viz:

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|------------------------------------|---------|
| I. Total of lands, goods, etc..... | £3,692  |
| II. Good Notes.....                | 3,529   |
| III. Mortgages.....                | 1,047   |
| IV. Doubtful Debts.....            | 1,127   |
| V. Desperate Debts.....            | 613     |
|                                    | <hr/>   |
|                                    | £9,458. |

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

*By second wife:*

5848. i. Col. Thomas Dwight, b. Oct. 29, 1758, d. Jan. 2, 1819, aet. 60.

5849. ii. Sarah Dwight, b. Aug. 6, 1760, d. April 13, 1763, aet. 3.

5850. iii. Clarissa Dwight, b. July 4, 1762, m. Abel Whitney, and d. Aug. 22, 1830, aet. 68.

5851. iv. Sarah Dwight, 2d, b. Dec. 13, 1764, m. Hon John Hooker and d. Sept. 5, 1842, aet. 77.

5852. v. Hon. Josiah Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1767, d. March 9, 1820, aet. 53.

5848. i. Col. Thomas Dwight, b. Oct. 29, 1758, grad. at Harvard in 1778, m. April 14, 1791, Hannah Worthington, b. June 17, 1761 (dau. of Col. John Worthington of Springfield and of Hannah Hopkins, dau. of Rev. Samuel Hopkins of W. Springfield, and Esther Edwards, sister of Prest. Jonathan Edwards). He was a lawyer at Springfield, a representative to the State Legislature (1794-5), State Senator twice (1796-1803 and in 1813), a member of the Executive Council of the State (1808-9) and a member of Congress (1803-5). He was a man of ample means, of great polish of manners and of most generous hospitality, In figure he was short, stout, and of a dignified bearing. He d. Jan. 2, 1819, aet. 60.

Of Mrs. Hannah Dwight, said Judge O. B. Morris of Springfield, who knew her well, to the writer: "She was one of nature's noble women; she was also a great wit, was very fine-looking, and had superior endowments of mind." She d. July 10, 1833, aet. 72.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5853. i. Mary Stoddard Dwight, b. Jan. 26, 1792, d. July 20, 1836, aet. 44. She m. John Howard.

5854. ii. John Worthington Dwight, b. Oct. 31, 1793, d. Feb. 12, 1836, aet. 43, unmarried. He was grad. at Yale in 1812. He was a man of generous ideas.

5855. iii. Elizabeth Buckminster Dwight, b. Feb. 18, 1801, m. Charles Howard, d. Oct. 7, 1855, aet. 54.

[Col. John Worthington, son of Lt. John Worthington of Springfield (whose father was Nicholas Worthington, the settler), b. Nov. 24, 1719, m. Jan. 10, 1759, Hannah Hopkins, whose parentage is given above, who was bapt. Jan. 29, 1731, and d. Nov. 25, 1766, aet. 35. Her grandmother, Mrs. Esther Edwards, was Esther Stoddard, dau. of Rev. Solomon Stoddard of Northampton. He m. for 2d wife, Dec. 7, 1768, Mary Stoddard (dau. of Col. John Stoddard of Northampton and Prudence Chester), b. in 1733. She d. aet. 79, July 12, 1812. He d. April 25, 1800, aet. 80. He was one of the most prominent men of the day. He was grad. at Yale in 1740 and practised law at Springfield, Mass., from 1744 onwards. It shows how earnest were the whigs of his day that a man of his position and power should be forced by them, as he was, to kneel inside of a ring formed by them in the open air and there forswear before God and man his real or supposed toryism.]

The distinguished Fisher Ames of Dedham, Mass., m. Frances Worthington, sister of Hannah, Col. Worthington's wife. Mary Worthington, another sister, m. Jonathan Bliss of New Brunswick, N. S., whose son, Wm. B. Bliss, was Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench, N. S.]

[Sixth Generation.]

5853. i. Mary Stoddard Dwight (dau. of Col. Thomas Dwight and Hannah Worthington), b. Jan. 26, 1792, m. Dec. 18, 1818, John Howard, Esq. (son of Rev. Dr. Bezaleel Howard of Springfield and Prudence Williams), grad. at Yale in 1810, a lawyer at Springfield and Prest. of the old "Springfield Bank," and a gentleman of high respectability. He d. Oct. 23, 1846.

Mrs. Howard was a superior woman in both intellect and character. She was a fine singer, and, like her mother, "remarkable for her benevolence." She d. July 20, 1836, aet. 44.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5856. i. Hannah Worthington Howard, b. Aug. 12, 1821, m. April 18, 1844, William Henry Swift (son of Dr. Foster Swift of Boston, and Deborah Delano of Nantucket), who resides in New York. No issue.

5857. ii. Margaret Howard, b. May 11, 1823, m. in 1854 Charles William Swift, and has 2 daughters. They reside in New London, Ct.

5858. iii. Frances Ames Howard, b. April 20, 1825, resides unmarried at Springfield.

5859. iv. Eliza Wetmore Howard, b. May 3, 1826, m. in 1856 Edouard de Streeke, then Prussian Minister at Washington, D. C., and has one son. They reside at Paris, France (1874).

[Sixth Generation.]

5855. iii. Elizabeth Buckminster Dwight (dau. of Col. Thomas Dwight

and Hannah Worthington), b. Feb. 18, 1801, m. June 21, 1824, Charles Howard of Springfield, b. March 21, 1794 (son of Rev. Dr. Bezaleel Howard and Prudence Williams). He is still a resident of Springfield (1874). She d. Oct. 7, 1855, aet. 54.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5860. i. Lucinda Orne Howard, b. March 8, 1825, lives unmarried at Springfield (1874).

5861. ii. Rev. Thomas Dwight Howard, b. Dec. 25, 1826, grad. at Harvard in 1848, m. Sarah Ann Eaton, b. in Eastport, Me., in 1831. He was settled at Perry as an Unitarian Minister for 10 years. In March 1862 he went to Hilton Head, S. C., as a teacher of contrabands, and was afterwards made Genl. Superintendent of Contraband Schools, and was afterwards a chaplain of colored troops (78th U. S. C. T.) 1864-5. He is settled now (1874) at Petersham, Me. No issue.

5862. iii. Elizabeth Bridge Howard, b. Dec. 17, 1828, m. William S. Tiffany.

5863. iv. Sophia Worthington Howard, b. Jan. 26, 1831, was for several years a teacher at Fort Kearney, Nebraska; she has been for several years past a teacher at Springfield.

5864. v. Catharine Lathrop Howard, b. Feb. 24, 1833, was for several years a teacher in Prof. Agassiz's scientific school at Cambridge, Mass., and is now teaching at Springfield.

5865. vi. Mary Dwight Howard, b. Oct. 12, 1835, m. Oct. 31, 1860, Alexander Edward Andrews, b. April 11, 1834, in Norwich, N. Y. (son of Rev. Dr. Edward Andrews, Episcopal, of Binghamton, and Elizabeth Harper). He was grad. at Hobart Coll., Geneva, N. Y., and is a lawyer at Binghamton, N. Y. (1874). Children:

5866. 1. Charles Howard Andrews, b. Nov. 22, 1861.

5867. 2. Edward Augustine Andrews, b. Sept. 21, 1863.

\*\*\*\* 3. Robert Harper Andrews, b. April 7, 1868, d. a week old.

\*\*\*\* 4. James Hayward Andrews, b. Dec. 26, 1871.

5868. vii. Sarah Bancroft Howard, b. Sept. 13, 1838, m. Dec. 25, 1866, James Warren Hayward, who resides at Boston Highlands. Their children are:

\*\*\*\* 1. Emily Howard Hayward, b. Aug. 31, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 2. Margaret Davis Hayward, b. Oct. 7, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 3. Nathan Hayward, b. Aug. 29, 1872.

5869. viii. Emily Williams Howard, b. Dec. 2, 1840, resides unmarried at Boston Highlands, Mass.

5870. ix. Amelia Peabody Howard, b. June 4, 1843, d. Jan. 27, 1844.

5871. x. John Howard, b. June 28, 1845, d. Aug. 27, 1845.

5862. iii. Elizabeth Bridge Howard, b. Dec. 17, 1828, m. Oct. 16,



1856, William Shaw Tiffany, b. in Baltimore, Md.: an artist in Baltimore (son of Osmond Tiffany and Ann Shaw). Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Osmond Checkley Tiffany, b. Nov. 26, 1857, d. by a distressful accident Nov., 28, 1862.

\*\*\*\* 2. Elizabeth Dwight Tiffany, b. June 1, 1861.

\*\*\*\* 3. Charles Howard Tiffany, b. Sept. 26, 1863.

\*\*\*\* 4. Robert Shaw Tiffany, b. Feb. 11, 1872, d. Aug. 17, 1872.

[Fifth Generation.]

5853. iii. Clarissa Dwight (dau. of Josiah Dwight of Springfield and Elizabeth Buckminster), b. July 4, 1762, m. Dec. 23, 1783, Major Abel Whitney of Westfield, Mass., a merchant, b. at Petersham, Mass., March 15, 1756 (son of Rev. Aaron Whitney of Littleton, Mass., and Alice Baker of Phillipston, Mass.). He was grad. at Harvard in 1773, and studied law with Col. John Worthington, but abandoned the pursuit of the profession on account of the troublous times of the Revolution, and entered into mercantile life, in which, for similar reasons, he had but moderate success. He was a man of more than ordinary talents, and held several government offices, as Commissioner of Taxes, Postmaster, etc. He was also a major of militia and aid to Genl. Shepard, who was the commanding officer in Springfield, in the battle had there in the Shays' rebellion. He was a decidedly religious man.

"Mrs. Clarissa (Dwight) Whitney was an intelligent and lovely woman, faithful to her household, and a patient, gentle, earnest and careful mother and wife." He d. at Westfield, March 2, 1807: she d. at Northampton, Aug. 22, 1820, aet. 58. She m. for a 2d husband, and as his 2d wife, July 4, 1809, Calvin Waldo, Esq., b. March 12, 1759, at Mansfield, Ct. (son of Shubael Waldo and Abigail Allen), grad. at Dartmouth in 1785, a lawyer in Dalton, Mass. He d. Aug. 25, 1815. His first wife was Judith, dau. of Moses Graves of Pittsfield. After his death she lived at Northampton with her son, Josiah D. Whitney, at whose house she died.

[Rev. Aaron Whitney was a strong loyalist in the revolution, and being prevented from preaching in his pulpit, held services in his own house. He was a direct descendant of John Whitney, the settler, who sailed from London for America, April 1635, on the bark Elizabeth Ann, being at that time 35 years of age. His wife Eleanor (usually called Ellen) was 30.]

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

5872. i. Elizabeth Buckminster Whitney, b. Jan. 4, 1785, d. unmarried at Springfield, where she resided, Jan 31, 1860, aet. 75.

5873. ii. Josiah Dwight Whitney, b. July 9, 1786, d. Jan. 29, 1869.

5874. iii. Clarissa Whitney, b. March 22, 1788, resided unmarried at Northampton.

5875. iv. Frances Whitney, b. Dec. 5, 1789, m. Rev. Horatio Waldo, d. Dec. 26, 1871, aet. 82.

5876. v. Francis Whitney, b. Oct. 10, 1792, was a merchant in various places, and d. unmarried at Northampton, Dec. 30, 1863.

5877. vi. Robert Whitney, b. Aug. 18, 1794, is still living (1874), aet. 79.

5878. vii. Sarah Whitney, b. July 8, 1796, m. Henry Marsh, is still (1874) living, aet. 77.

5879. viii. Caroline Whitney, b. May 10, 1798, d. Aug. 21, 1804.

5880. ix. Abel Whitney, b. March 15, 1800, is still living (1874).

5881. x. Hannah Buckminster Whitney, b. Dec. 28, 1802, d. Aug. 12, 1804.

5873. ii. Josiah Dwight Whitney, b. July 9, 1786, was for 8 years (1799-1807) in the store of "Jonathan Dwight & Sons" at Springfield, as clerk; for 26 years a merchant at Northampton (1807-33); and for 17 years afterwards (1833-50), cashier of "The Northampton Bank," and for one year its President. He d. Feb. 1869, aet. 82, having enjoyed a hale old age, and the high respect through life of his fellow-citizens. He m. Dec. 4, 1818, Sarah Williston, b. Jan. 21, 1800 (dau. of Rev. Dr. Payson Williston of Easthampton and Sarah Birdseye, dau. of Rev. Nathan Birdseye of Stratford, Ct. See, for account of her pedigree and kindred, the History of the Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. p. 1151). She d. July 1, 1833, aet. 33. She had an active, vigorous mind, possessed much executive and administrative talent, and "had a most profound ambition that her children should distinguish themselves, each and all, in things intellectual and moral." She was at the time of her marriage, although but 18 years of age, preceptress of the Academy at Hadley, Mass. She was an unpretending, whole-hearted Christian. Mr. Whitney m. Oct. 13, 1834, for 2d wife, Clarissa James, b. May 16, 1801 (dau. of Capt. Malachi James of Goshen, Mass., and Elizabeth Lyman, dau. of Elias Lyman of Northampton and Hannah Clapp. See Lyman Genealogy, p. 247). From Josiah D. Whitney, Esq., many of the facts here detailed concerning his own family, and the descendants generally of his parents, were obtained by the writer in person at Northampton. He d. there Jan. 29, 1869.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5882. i. Prof. Josiah Dwight Whitney, LL.D., b. Nov. 23, 1819.

5883. ii. Elizabeth Noble Whitney, b. March 30, 1822, m. S. O. Putnam.

834 *Descendants of Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass.,*

5884. iii. Sarah Birdseye Whitney, b. Feb. 11, 1824, m. Rev. Robt. C. Learned, d. July 9, 1864.

5885. iv. William Dwight Whitney, b. Feb. 11, 1826, d. April 3, 1826.

5886. v. Prof. William Dwight Whitney, LL.D., b. Feb. 9, 1827.

5887. vi. Margaret Whitney, b. March 12, 1829, d. June 23, 1836.

5888. vii. Maria Whitney, b. Nov. 12, 1830, resides unmarried at Northampton, is fond of linguistic study and has devoted her time greatly to the claims of "The Children's Aid Society."

5889. viii. Edward Payson Whitney, b. March 22, 1833, grad. at Yale in 1854. If he is still living, the fact is unknown to his family friends.

*By second wife:*

5890. ix. James Lyman Whitney, b. Nov. 28, 1835, grad. at Yale in 1856, was for a time a bookseller at Springfield, Mass., and is now principal assistant in the Boston Public Library (1874).

5891. x. Alice Clarissa Whitney, b. Sept. 26, 1839, d. March 25, 1840.

5892. xi. Alice Lincoln Whitney, b. Dec. 17, 1840.

5893. xii. Prof. Henry Mitchell Whitney, b. Jan. 16, 1843, grad. at Yale in 1864, was Sergt. Major in the 52d Mass. Regt. in the late war. He is Prof. of Rhetoric and Eng. Literature in Beloit Coll., Wis. He m. Aug. 3, 1869, Frances Wurts, and has two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Albert Wurts Whitney, b. June 20, 1870.

\*\*\*\* 2. Edward Payson Whitney, b. June 27, 1872, d. Aug. 13, 1873.

5894. xiii. Ellen Douglas Whitney, b. Feb. 9, 1845, d. July 27, 1846.

5882. i. Prof. Josiah Dwight Whitney, LL.D., b. Nov. 23, 1819, grad. at Yale in 1839, was employed in 1840 as assistant in the Geological Survey of New Hampshire. In 1842-3 and 1846 he studied in Europe under Elie de Beaumont, Rammelsberg, H. Rose, Liebig and others. He was employed, 1847-9, with John W. Foster, by the U. S. Gov., to survey the Lake Superior region, and Congress published two volumes of their reports in 1850-1. In 1854 he published a volume of some 500 pages, entitled "The Metallic Wealth of the United States, described and compared with that of other countries." In 1855 he was made Prof. in The Iowa State University, and State Chemist of Iowa. In 1858 two large quartos, describing the results of his investigations into the geology and paleontology of Iowa were published by the State Government. In April 1860 he was appointed State-Geologist of California, residing in San Francisco. Said Agassiz of him, in a letter to the Gov. of California, just before his appointment: "I have no hesitation in saying that there is only one man in the United States fully qualified for the survey of California—J. D. Whitney."

Since 1865 he has been Prof. in Harvard College of Geology in the School of Metallurgy and Practical Geology. The reports of the California survey are to extend to some 15 large volumes, of which four have already appeared, and several others are now in process of publication. These are founded on original surveys, in accurate and large detail, and the various maps prepared to accompany them form an era in American physical geography.

He was one of the original members of The Nat. Acad. of Sciences in this country, established by Congress in 1863, and is a member of several European scientific societies.

He m. July 5, 1854, Louisa Goddard, dau. of Samuel Goddard of Brookline, Mass. Has one child :

5895. i. Eleanor Goddard Whitney, b. at Northampton, Nov. 29, 1856.

[Seventh Generation.]

5883. ii. Elizabeth Noble Whitney, b. March 30, 1822, m. June 13, 1848, Samuel Osgood Putnam (son of Rev. Dr. George Putnam of Middleborough, Mass.): Cashier of "The California Steam Boat Co." of San Francisco.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5896. i. Catharine Mussey Putnam, b. at Milwaukee, May 2, 1849.

5897. ii. Mary Eliot Putnam, b. July 14, 1854, at San Francisco.

5898. iii. Caroline Rankin Putnam, b. Dec. 12, 1855.

5899. iv. Elizabeth Putnam, b. Dec. 25, 1858.

5900. v. Osgood Putnam, b. July 24, 1860.

[Seventh Generation.]

5884. iii. Sarah Birdseye Whitney (dau. of Josiah D. Whitney and Sarah Williston), b. Feb. 11, 1824, m. Jan. 19, 1848, Rev. Robert Coit Learned of Plymouth, Conn., b. Aug. 31, 1817 (son of Edward Learned of New London, Ct., and Nancy Coit), grad. at Yale in 1837, and at the New Haven Theol. Sem. in 1841. He was settled at Twinsburgh, O. (1843-6); at Canterbury, Ct. (1847-58); at Berlin, Ct. (1858-61), and at Plymouth, Ct. (1861-5). She d. July 9, 1864, aet. 40. He d. at Plymouth, April 19, 1867, aet. 49.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5901. i. Dwight Whitney Learned, b. Oct. 12, 1848, grad. at Yale in 1870.

5902. ii. Edward Learned, b. Aug. 14, 1851.

5903. iii. Grace Hallam Learned, b. March 14, 1854.

5904. iv. Margaret Williston Learned, b. Sept. 25, 1857, d. Dec. 4, 1857.

5905. v. Anna Coit Learned, b. July 8, 1859.



5906. vi. Sarah Whitney Learned, b. June 25, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

5886. v. Prof William Dwight Whitney, Ph.D., LL.D. (son of Josiah D. Whitney and Sarah Williston), b. Feb. 9, 1827, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1845, was Teller in "The Northampton Bank" for 3 years (1845-8), studied Sanskrit by himself in 1848, and in 1849 with Prof. Salisbury, at New Haven, and for 3 years in Germany, with Prof. A. Weber, each winter successively, in Berlin, spending the first two summers at Tübingen, in study under Prof. R. Roth, and the third in visiting the principal libraries of France and England, to collate their MSS. of the Atharva-Veda, the first edition of which he soon afterwards published, in conjunction with Roth, at Berlin. In 1854 he was appointed Prof. of the Sanskrit language and literature at Yale, and since 1870 has been Prof. also of Comparative Philology.

He m. Aug. 28, 1856, Elizabeth Wooster Baldwin (dau. of Gov. Roger Sherman Baldwin of New Haven [grandson of Roger Sherman] and Emily Perkins of Hartford). In 1856-7 he visited France and Italy, partly for health and partly for the further study of French and Italian; and since 1857 has taught German and French, one or both, in the Academic and Scientific departments of the College. He has also given instruction all the time in Sanskrit to special graduate students, and has for several years given lessons and lectures in linguistic science.

He has published an elaborately annotated translation of the Sūrya-Siddhānta (a text-book in Hindu Astronomy) in "The Journal of the Am. Orient. Society," and also the texts, with translations and notes, of two Vedic grammatical treatises (Prātiçākhyas), the last of which obtained from the Berlin Academy their first Bopp prize in 1870. He has published, also, essays and articles in various periodicals in this country and abroad, and was a large contributor of material to the great Sanskrit Dictionary published by the Russian Government. He is the author likewise of "Language and the Study of Language," of which English and German editions have been published abroad; "Oriental and Linguistic Studies," to which a companion volume is to be soon added; "A Compendious German Grammar," and "A German Reader, with Notes and a Vocabulary."

[Eighth Generation.]

5907. i. Edward Baldwin Whitney, b. Aug. 16, 1857.

5908. ii. Williston Clapp Whitney, b. April 2, 1859, d. March 11, 1861.

5909. iii. Marian Parker Whitney, b. Feb. 6, 1861.

5910. iv. Roger Sherman Baldwin Whitney, b. Jan. 6, 1863, drowned while skating on Mill River, New Haven, Jan. 17, 1874.

5911. v. Emily Henrietta Whitney; b. Aug. 29, 1864.

\*\*\*\* vi. Margaret Dwight Whitney, b. Nov. 19 1866.

[Sixth Generation.]

5875. iv. Frances Whitney (dau. of Major Abel Whitney and Clarissa Dwight), b. Dec. 5, 1789, m. Oct. 8, 1810, as his 2d wife, Rev. Horatio Waldo, b. at Coventry, Ct., March 5, 1778 (son of Dr. John Waldo and Lucy —), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1804, and tutor there (1806–7). He was settled at Griswold, Ct. (1810–30). On account of poor health he resigned his charge, and removed in 1830 to Portage, N. Y., where he preached afterwards but occasionally. He d. May 3, 1846, aet. 68. She d. at Mt. Morris, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1871, aet. 82. [He was a student at Williams for 2 years (1795–7), when he left college and taught for 5 years in academies at Cherry Valley, N. Y., and Johnstown, N. Y. He m. a widow Beach (no further facts concerning her ascertainable). They had a son, Horatio Waldo, Jr., b. March 27, 1802, grad. at Amherst in 1825, who m. in 1832 Nancy, dau. of Abijah and Chloe Smith of New Britain, Ct. He taught a classical school for some years in New York City, and afterwards (1838– ), for most of his life, at New Britain, Ct., his wife assisting him, who was a lady of superior intellect and culture. She d., full of peace and joy, June 1862, aet. 54. He d. May 19, 1863, aet. 61. They had children: 1, Louise Bingham Waldo, b. in 1833 in New York, m. in 1857 John Robert Jackson of (Parkville) Hartford, Ct., a manufacturer of iron and steel. They have one child, Anna L., b. in 1869. 2, Newton S. Waldo, b. in 1838, a real estate broker and unmarried. 3, Josephine Margaret Waldo, b. in 1847, who m. in 1858 John Ward, a farmer in New Britain.

Rev. Horatio Waldo returned to Williams and was grad. there in 1804. He taught school at Westfield, Mass., for 2 years (1804–6). He studied theology with Rev. Dr. Hooker of Goshen, Ct.]

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5912. i. John Waldo, b. Aug. 10, 1811, d. 1868.

5913. ii. Dwight Waldo, b. Nov. 26, 1814.

5914. iii. Sarah Waldo, b. June 7, 1818, m. Elmon D. Smith.

5915. iv. Frances Waldo, b. June 24, 1820, m. Dr. Jas. S. Cowdrey.

5916. v. Harriet Waldo, b. May 11, 1822, m. Wm. S. McNair.

5917. vi. Margaret Waldo, b. Oct. 28, 1824, m. Dr. Lorin J. Ames.

5912. i. John Waldo, b. Aug. 10, 1811, m. April 12, 1840, Eunice Flint of Dalton, Mass., b. April 12, 1818 (dau. of Austin Flint and Almira Scott). He was for several years purchasing agent of the A. B. C. F. M., in the Mission House at Boston, Mass. He d. there Dec. 1, 1868, aet. 57. His widow resides at S. Boston, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5918. i. Laura Wood Waldo, b. at Dalton, May 17, 1844, d. Aug. 27, 1845.

5919. ii. Sarah Waldo, b. at Springfield, Mass., Aug. 10, 1850, m. George Rice, b. May 1, 1837, a clerk in the Walworth Manufacturing Co.

5920. iii. Austin Eugene Waldo, b. at Boston, Nov. 3, 1854, d. Dec. 10, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

5913. ii. Dwight Waldo (son of Rev. Horatio Waldo and Frances Whitney), b. Nov. 26, 1814, m. Nov. 3, 1841, Julia Ball, dau. of Josiah and Lucy Ball of Berkshire, N. Y.). She d. Jan. 20, 1843, and he m. for 2d wife, Jan. 1, 1845, Juliette Hitchcock, b. in Berkshire, Dec. 18, 1817 (dau. of Isaac and Nancy Hitchcock). He is a farmer in Berkshire, Tioga Co., N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By second wife :*

5921. i. Julia Louisa Waldo, b. in Portageville, N. Y., June 1848, d. Aug. 1849.

5922. ii. William Dwight Waldo, b. in Berkshire Jan. 3, 1852, a clerk at Newark Valley, N. Y. (1874).

\*\*\*\* iii. Frank Whitney Waldo, b. in Portageville, May 1853, d. Feb. 1854.

\*\*\*\* iv. Carrie Louisa Waldo, b. in Newark Valley, N. Y., Aug. 6, 1855.

[Seventh Generation.]

5914. iii. Sarah Waldo (dau. of Rev. Horatio Waldo and Frances Whitney), b. June 7, 1818, m. Oct. 11, 1848 Elmon (D.) Smith, b. in North Haven, Ct., Nov. 5, 1817 (son of Hervey and Sarah Smith). He is a farmer and manufacturer of bricks at Hornellsville, N. Y., where he has resided since May 1853. They have had but one child :

5923. 1. Frances Whitney Smith, b. Feb. 19, 1850.

[Seventh Generation.]

5915. iv. Frances Waldo (dau. of Rev. Horatio Waldo and Frances Whitney), b. June 24, 1820, m. May 28, 1848, James Smith Cowdrey, M.D., b. April 2, 1817 (son of Daniel Smith of New York and Hepzibah Cowdrey). His name was originally James Cowdrey Smith, and was changed at his request by act of the legislature to its present form. He pursued his medical studies at New York and Cincinnati (1840-5). He is a practising physician (since 1846) at Lafayette, Indiana.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5924. i. Frederic Waldo Cowdrey, b. Sept. 27, 1849, d. Dec. 19, 1849.

5925. ii. Fanny Cornelia Cowdrey, b. Jan. 3, 1851, m. May 7, 1873,

David Elijah Caldwell, an attorney in Indianapolis and editor of "The Industrial Review," b. in Kentucky April 23, 1841, grad. at McKendree Coll., Lebanon, Ill., in 1863, and in law in 1864 (son of James McLanahan and Nancy Agnes Caldwell).

5926. iii. Robert Hall Cowdrey, b. Oct. 1, 1852, is chief clerk in a drug store in Chicago.

5927. iv. Hepzibah Louisa Cowdrey, b. Nov. 27, 1854, d. Aug. 27, 1855.

5928. v. James Henry Cowdrey, b. Feb. 17, 1857.

5929. vi. Ella Whitney Cowdrey, b. Aug. 28, 1860.

[Seventh Generation.]

5916. v. Harriet Waldo (dau. of Rev. Horatio Waldo and Frances Whitney), b. May 11, 1822, m. Jan. 19, 1848, William Stockton McNair, b. Feb. 16, 1815, in Sparta, Livingston Co., N. Y. (son of Samuel McNair, previously of Pa., and Margaret Keith Mann of Harsham, Berks Co., Pa. They lived in Sparta, where they died, for 55 years (1803-58) ), a farmer in Ottawa, Ill., since 1849.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5930. i. Martha Jane McNair, b. Nov. 19, 1848, d. July 27, 1849.

5931. ii. Charles Keith McNair, b. Oct. 2, 1850, d. Aug. 10, 1859.

5932. iii. Laura Frances McNair, b. Jan. 17, 1853.

\*\*\*\* iv. Nelly Frederica McNair, b. Jan. 1, 1856.

\*\*\*\* v. Daniel Waldo McNair, b. April 21, 1858, d. May 23, 1861.

\*\*\*\* vi. Dwight Lincoln McNair, b. Aug. 20, 1860.

\*\*\*\* vii. Maggie Lewis McNair, b. Sept. 8, 1862.

\*\*\*\* viii. Libby Buckminster McNair, b. May 23, 1865.]

[Seventh Generation.]

5917. vi. Margaret Waldo (dau. of Rev. Horatio Waldo and Frances Whitney), b. at Griswold, Ct., Oct. 28, 1824, m. Sept. 26, 1848, Lorin Jessie Ames, M.D., b. July 12, 1815, at S. Royalton, Vt. (son of Jessie and Patty Ames), a physician at Mt. Morris, N. Y.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

5933. i. Alice Louise Ames, b. Sept. 14, 1849.

5934. ii. Martha Lillibel Ames, b. July 3, 1853.

5935. iii. Howard Waldo Ames, b. Jan. 15, 1856.

5936. iv. Henry Dwight Ames, b. Nov. 11, 1857.

5937. v. Margaret Whitney Ames, b. Oct. 7, 1859.

5938. vi. Harriet Bingham Ames, b. Aug. 7, 1861.

5939. vii. Frances Buckminster Ames, b. April 25, 1865.

[Sixth Generation.]

5877. vi. Robert Whitney (son of Abel Whitney and Clarissa Dwight), b. Aug. 18, 1794, m. Sept. 11, 1820, Margaret Ashley Dwight, b. Sept.



2, 1795 (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford). He was a merchant at Westfield, Mass., for some years. In 1834 he removed to Ohio, and was cashier of the Bank of Sandusky for a short time, but in 1838 left Ohio and has spent most of his life since at Springfield, Mass. He is at present (1873-4) residing temporarily at Peterboro', N. H.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5940. i. James Dwight Whitney, b. at Westfield, Aug. 19, 1821.

5941. ii. Jonathan Dwight Whitney, b. there Jan. 24, 1823, was formerly a merchant in Sandusky City, O. He was during the late war for 4 years with Genl. Sherman in his great campaign, in the Commissary Department, in the 4th Iowa Regiment. He was for some years a farmer at Afton, Iowa, but of late years was engaged in grape-growing in Missouri. He d. at St. Louis, Mo., unmarried, May 16, 1873.

5942. iii. Robert Sanford Whitney, b. June 9, 1825, was cashier of a Savings' Bank at St. Louis, Mo., where he d. unmarried April 25, 1864, aet. 38. He was a member of the First Cong. Ch. (Rev. Dr. T. M. Post, pastor). In the church records his much lamented death is thus noticed: "The name of Robert S. Whitney will be long dear to all among us who loved modest, unassuming, genuine Christian worth, and gentle, but firm Christian principle. His character was one pervaded, lighted up and established by a godly sincerity: one of delicate and shrinking diffidence, but of thorough, genuine, manly truth. His fidelity was like the sun: his honor and integrity among business men would have secured him any trust. His aim was to be useful in any sphere. He was singularly free from ambition of precedence or display, and from that aspiration to be greatest which so often perverts characters that would otherwise be eminently useful."

5943. iv. Henry Gassett Whitney, b. at Westfield, Mass., July 3, 1827, resides unmarried at St. Louis, Mo., where he has been variously employed in banks, government business and railroad business.

5944. v. Francis Whitney, b. Nov. 22, 1829, at Westfield, is a clerk at St. Louis, unmarried.

5945. vi. Margaret Dwight Whitney, b. at Dalton, Mass., Aug. 9, 1832, resides unmarried at Springfield, Mass.

5946. vii. George Whitney, b. at Northampton, Oct. 12, 1834, d. March 9, 1837.

5947. viii. William Whitney, b. at Sandusky City, O., March 12, 1838, was a private in the late war in Co. G, 37th Mass. Regt., and "disappeared" in one of the battles of the Wilderness, May 6, 1864. Genl. Edwards, his commanding officer, said of him: "He performed his duties faithfully, and was about to be promoted at the time of his death."

5940. i. James Dwight Whitney, b. Aug. 19, 1821, m. Jan. 6, 1846, Sophia Abigail Steele of Norwalk, O., b. in Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., Nov. 23, 1824 (dau. of Judge Hiram Steele of Maumee City, O., and Abigail Kemman). He was cashier of a bank at Norwalk, O. (1844-9), engaged in forwarding and wholesale trade at Sandusky, O. (1850-70), and from 1865 to 1871 he was National Bank Examiner for Ohio and W. Virginia. He has resided since 1870 at Oberlin, O., and is now (1874) examiner for the Insurance Department of Ohio, travelling in other States and having his office at Columbus, O.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. A son, born dead, March 26, 1847.

5948. ii. Mary Dwight Whitney, b. at Norwalk, O., Sept. 23, 1848, m. at Sandusky, Nov. 10, 1869, Julius Lamson Henderson, b. at Sandusky, Oct. 1, 1844 (son of Dewitt Clinton Henderson, who d. May 27, 1867, aet. 50, and Zerviah Bliss, b. in Westford, Vt., and d. Dec. 13, 1851, aet. 35, at Sandusky). He is in the Atlanta and Gr. Western R. Office, at Youngstown, O. Had one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. De Witt Clinton Henderson, b. July 9, 1871, d. Aug. 7, 1871.

5949. iii. George Dwight Whitney, b. at Norwalk, O., Oct. 10, 1850. Is a druggist at Oberlin, O.

5950. iv. Elizabeth Whitney, b. at Sandusky, O., Oct. 17, 1853, in Oberlin Coll., class of 1874.

5951. v. Robert Sanford Whitney, b. there May 9, 1860.

5952. vi. James Steele Whitney, b. at Sandusky, Jan. 11, 1864.

[Sixth Generation.]

5878. vii. Sarah Whitney, b. July 8, 1796 (dau. of Major Abel Whitney and Clarissa Dwight), m. Sept. 5, 1821, Henry Marsh, Jr., of Dalton, Mass., b. Feb. 9, 1797 (son of Henry Marsh of Dalton and Betsey Lawrence), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1815. He resided at Dalton for 19 years (1821-40), where he was a lawyer, merchant, farmer and wool-grower, wool-dealer and manufacturer, and was greatly prosperous. In 1840 he removed to Pittsfield, Mass., where by the failure of the Ashuelot Manufacturing Co., of which he was the principal proprietor, he lost all his property. In 1843 he went to Racine, Wis., in 1846 to Sandusky City, O., and in 1850 to St. Louis, Mo.—engaging, while in the west, with two of his sons, in the mercantile and produce business on the great lakes, and while at St. Louis, with marked success. He d. June 4, 1852, of cholera, at Lasalle, Ill., aet. 55. He was an active Christian and a zealous Sabbath School Superintendent. Amid his very misfortunes in business he succeeded in educating his 3 eldest sons at Williams College. Mrs. Marsh is still living (1874) hale and hearty, aet. 77, at Owego, N. Y. [Henry Marsh

senior, was the son of Dr. Perez Marsh of Dalton, Mass., and Sarah Williams, dau. of Col. Israel Williams of Hatfield, Mass., b. Nov. 30, 1709 (son of Rev. William Williams of Hatfield and Christian Stoddard), and Sarah Chester, dau. of John Chester of Wethersfield, Ct. Dr. Perez Marsh, b. Oct. 25, 1729, was son of Job Marsh of Hatfield, b. June 11, 1690 (son of Daniel Marsh of Hatfield and Hannah Lewis, dau. of Wm. Lewis of Farmington, Ct.), and Mehitable Porter, b. Sept. 12, 1694, dau. of Hon. Samuel Porter of Hatfield, a very wealthy merchant for that day, and Joanna Cook, dau. of Capt. Aaron Cook.]

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

5953. i. Henry Lawrence Marsh, b. June 9, 1822, d. June 10, 1852.

5954. ii. Rev. Dwight Whitney Marsh, b. Nov. 5, 1823.

5955. iii. Col. Calvin Waldo Marsh, b. April 8, 1825, d. June 25, 1873.

5956. iv. Robert Marsh, b. April 25, 1828, d. at Dalton, Dec. 18, 1828.

5957. v. Elizabeth Willard Marsh, b. Nov. 28, 1829, is a teacher now (1873) at Batavia, Ill., and has been such in previous years at Jacksonville, Ill., Pittsfield, Mass., and St. Louis, Mo.

5958. vi. Clarissa Dwight Marsh, b. Feb. 4, 1834, m. Samuel W. Eager.

5959. vii. Sarah Williams Marsh, b. in Pittsfield, Mass., May 24, 1836, d. there May 14, 1841.

5960. viii. Charles Francis Marsh, b. Oct. 11, 1842, is an unfortunate at the Barre Institute for imbeciles.

5953. i. Henry Lawrence Marsh, b. June 9, 1822, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1841, removed to Racine, Wis., in 1841, where he became a lumber merchant, and was an elder in the Presb. Church. He d. at La-salle, Ill., of cholera, June 10, 1852, aet. 30. He was a liberal donor to Western Reserve Coll. His family resides still (1874) in Racine. He m. Sept. 25, 1845, Clara Ellis Canfield of Racine, b. at Sandisfield, Mass. (dau. of Roswell Canfield, afterwards of Racine, and Deborah —).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

5961. i. Henry Whitney Marsh, b. Feb. 8, 1847, is a merchant in Manistee, Mich.

5962. ii. Maria Canfield Marsh, b. Jan. 8, 1849.

5963. iii. Lizzie Dwight Marsh, b. Nov. 31, 1851, d. Sept. 21, 1852.

[Seventh Generation.]

5954. ii. Rev. Dwight Whitney Marsh (son of Henry Marsh and Sarah Whitney), b. Nov. 5, 1823, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1842, and at The Union Theol. Sem. in 1849, went as a missionary of the A. B.

C. F. M. to Mosul, Turkey in Asia (1849-60). Returning temporarily to this country, he m. Oct. 19, 1852, Julia White Peck, b. June 10, 1829 (dau of Elisha Peck of Hartford, Ct., and Mary Jane Averill), who d. in Mosul, Aug. 12, 1859. On Aug. 19, 1860, he returned to his native land permanently. He m. Aug. 22, 1862, Elizabeth Le Barron Clarke, b. Aug. 24, 1833 (dau. of Rev. Eber Liscom Clarke of Winchendon, Mass., and Sarah Lawrence). After preaching at Hinsdale, Me., for a year (1861-2), he became principal and chief proprietor of "The Rochester Seminary for Young Ladies," at Rochester, N. Y. Here he remained until 1869, including an absence of a year (1867-8), at Godfrey, Ill. (Monticello Station). Since August 1871 he has been acting pastor of the Cong. Ch. at Owego, Tioga Co., N. Y. "His labors at Rochester, although attended with pecuniary success, and very pleasant, he intermitted, because preferring preaching very much to teaching."

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

5964. i. Henry Marsh, b. in Mosul, July 19, 1854, d. Aug. 1 following.

5965. ii. Waldo Marsh, b. Dec. 15, 1856, d. May 5, 1859.

*By second wife :*

5966. iii. William Dwight Marsh, b. Nov. 21, 1865, at Bernardston, Mass.

5967. iv. Elizabeth Lawrence Marsh, b. there Sept. 8, 1869.

5968. v. Helen Whitney Marsh, b. at Owego, Sept. 9, 1871, d. there July 18, 1872.

[Seventh Generation.]

5955. iii. Col. Calvin Waldo Marsh (son of Henry Marsh and Sarah Whitney), b. April 8, 1825, m. Dec. 26, 1860, Anna Ward King (dau. of John King of Roxbury, Mass., and Mary Luke). He was a commission merchant at St. Louis, Mo. He was a Lt. Col. for 2 years and more in the late war, on the staff successively of Genls. Halleck, Curtis and Schofield. He d. at St. Louis, June 25, 1873. They have had 2 children :

5969. 1. Waldo King Marsh, b. Sept. 19, 1861.

5970. 2. Mary Gordon Marsh, b. June 8, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

5958. vi. Clarissa Dwight Marsh (dau. of Henry Marsh and Sarah Whitney), b. Feb. 4, 1834, m. May 7, 1857, Samuel Watkins Eager, Jr., b. Nov. 19, 1827 (son of Hon. Samuel W. Eager of Orange Co., N. Y., and Catharine Macaulay). He is a lawyer, and was clerk of the court in St. Louis, Mo., where he resided for many years (1845-68),



for 18 years of the time (1849-67). His war record is as follows: "He kept flying over the court house at St. Louis, of which he had charge, the flag of the Union (70 feet long by 37 feet wide, hoisted some 200 feet high), which from its size and height was visible from 10 to 20 miles around, and was a joy to every patriot eye that saw it. He did good service, too, as a soldier and a captain in the Home Guard. Having been in the court house at St. Louis for many years, he knew loyal men and rebels by heart. Thoroughly honest and patriotic himself, he was the right man in the right place." So writes Rev. Dwight W. Marsh of him to the author. Since 1868 he has resided at Racine, Wis.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 5971. i. Catharine Macaulay Eager, b. Aug. 20, 1859.
- 5972. ii. Henry Marsh Eager, b. Jan. 10, 1862.
- 5973. iii. Robert Whitney Eager, b. Sept. 19, 1865.
- 5974. iv. Sarah Marsh Eager, b. March 19, 1868, at St. Louis.
- 5975. v. Mary Eager, b. at Racine, April 1870.

[Sixth Generation.]

5880. ix. Abel Whitney (son of Major Abel Whitney and Clarissa Dwight), b. March 15, 1800, m. Oct. 20, 1838, Pamela Babcock of Harpersfield, N. Y., b. Dec. 13, 1809 (dau. of John W. Babcock and Lois Watson). She d. June 21, 1849, and he m. for 2d wife, Sept. 26, 1850, Belinda Baxter Bliss, b. in Washington, Vt., Dec. 5, 1814 (dau. of Dr. Jacob Bliss and Abigail Post). He has been a bookseller since 1851 at Lowell, Mass., and was for several years previously engaged in the wholesale flour business there.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

5976. i. John Abel Whitney, b. Dec. 6, 1839, is a bookseller at Lowell and unmarried.

5977. ii. Clarissa Dwight Whitney, b. April 24, 1841, d. April 13, 1849.

5978. iii. Edward Augustus Whitney, b. March 24, 1843, at Lowell, spent 3 years in Europe (1866-9) in the study of geological engineering. He is now (since Aug. 1872) cashier of a National Bank at West Union, Fayette Co., Iowa, and unmarried.

5979. iv. Mary Louisa Whitney, b. June 10, 1845, d. Aug. 20, 1846.

*By second wife:*

5980. v. Henry Dwight Whitney, b. Feb. 21, 1852, d. Sept. 20, 1860.

5981. vi. Mary Ella Whitney, b. Jan. 10, 1857, d. Nov. 27, 1867.

[Fifth Generation.]

5851. iv. Sarah Dwight (dau. of Col. Josiah Dwight of Springfield

and Elizabeth Buckminster), b. Dec. 13, 1764, m. Feb. 9, 1791, Hon. John Hooker of Springfield, b. Oct. 8, 1761 (son of Rev. John Hooker of Northampton, Mass., and Sarah Worthington of Springfield, sister of Col. John Worthington), grad. at Yale in 1782, a lawyer and a judge of the Court of Common Pleas. He was also a deacon in the First Cong. Ch. of Springfield, and one of the corporate members of the A. B. C. F. M., and an active, earnest Christian. H. d. March 7, 1829, aet. 67; she d. Sept. 5, 1842, aet. 77. Hon. O. B. Morris of Springfield described her to the author as "a lady of high intelligence and excellence, religious, benevolent and affectionate."

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

5982. i. John Hooker, b. Dec. 15, 1791, grad. at Yale in 1810, was a lawyer at Springfield, Mass., where he d. unmarried May 1857, aet. 65.

5983. ii. George Hooker, M.D., b. March 17, 1793, who is still living.

5984. iii. Sarah Hooker, b. Oct. 16, 1795, m. as his 2d wife, May 15, 1822, Dr. Enoch Hale, b. Jan. 19, 1790 (son of Rev. Enoch Hale of Westhampton, Mass., and Octavia Throop. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. i. pp. 338-9). He was an eminent physician in Boston, where he d. Nov. 12, 1848. She d. April 21, 1825, aet. 29. They had one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Almira Hale, b. in April 1824, who d. Oct. 15 following.

5985. iv. Hon. Josiah Hooker, b. April 17, 1796, grad. at Yale in 1815, a lawyer in Springfield, and Justice of the Peace, did a large amount of civil and criminal business. He was twice a member of the Mass. Legislature, Prest. of the Springfield Savings Bank for 24 years, and for 40 years clerk and treasurer of the Bridge Company. He was a man of a deeply religious character. He m. Oct. 23, 1849, Wealthy Jane Judd of Westhampton, b. Jan. 10, 1825 (dau. of John Adams Judd and Wealthy Kingsley). He d. in 1870 without issue.

5986. v. Elizabeth Dwight Hooker, b. Feb. 16, 1798, m. Frederic A. Packard, and d. July 15, 1862, aet. 64.

5987. vi. Mary Hooker, b. Sept. 14, 1799, d. July 17, 1824.

5988. vii. Richard Hooker, b. July, 15, 1801, d. April 24, 1802.

5989. viii. Clarissa Hooker, b. in 1802, d. in 1803.

5990. ix. Prof. Worthington Hooker, M.D., b. March 3, 1806, d. Nov. 6, 1867, aet. 61.

5991. x. Rev. Richard Hooker, b. April 10, 1808, grad. at Yale in 1827, and at the Presb. Theol. Sem. in Columbia, S. C. in 1835, having taken part of his course at Princeton. He preached at Mt. Zion, Hancock Co., Ga., for 3 years (1838-41), at Monticello, Ga., for 2 years (1841-3), and was settled for 9 years over the Presb. Ch. of

Macon, Ga. (1843-52). He m. July 15, 1846, Aurelia Dwight, b. July 31, 1816 (dau. of James Dwight of New Haven, Ct., and Susan Breed, his 2d wife). He d. Dec. 19, 1857, aet. 49, of general debility. His widow resided at New Haven, Ct., after his decease, and d. there Jan. 25, 1874. They had one child:

5992. 1. Thomas Hooker, b. at Macon, Ga., Sept. 3, 1849, grad. at Yale in 1869, has been tutor at Yale since Sept. 1871—instructs in Greek. See page 200.

5983. ii. George Hooker, M.D. (son of Hon. John Hooker and Sarah Dwight), b. March 17, 1793, grad. at Yale in 1814, m. Jan. 20, 1819, Rachel Breck of Northampton, b. June 6, 1792 (dau. of Joseph Hunt Breck and Abigail Kingsley). He has been through a long life a physician at Longmeadow, Mass., still living (1874) aet. 81, as is also his wife, aet. 81.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

5993. i. Sarah Dwight Hooker, b. Jan. 13, 1820, d. April 18, 1825.

5994. ii. Robert Breck Hooker, b. in Springfield, Mass., Jan. 31, 1821, m. Jan. 16, 1855, Mary Ophelia Young of Liberty, N. Y., b. Aug. 16, 1829 (dau. of William Young b. May 22, 1802, in New London, Ct., and Esther Hill, b. in Greenfield, Ct., Sept. 27, 1805, who were m. Jan. 1, 1827. He d. Dec. 4, 1865). He is an apothecary at Elizabeth, N. J. Has 3 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Mary Augusta Hooker, b. Jan. 3, 1857.

\*\*\*\* 2. George Breck Hooker, b. June 8, 1860.

\*\*\*\* 3. Elizabeth Dwight Hooker, b. Dec. 4, 1863.

5995. iii. Lucy Ashmun Hooker, b. Dec. 16, 1822, d. Oct. 1, 1823.

5996. iv. Mary Hooker, b. Aug. 10, 1824, resides unmarried at Longmeadow.

5997. v. John Hooker, b. June 5, 1826, m. Oct. 2, 1855, Ellen Eliza Bliss of Longmeadow, Mass., b. May 20, 1834 (dau. of Gad Olcott Bliss, b. in Longmeadow, March 1, 1807, and of Harriet Cooley, b. there Dec. 19, 1802, whom he m. May 21, 1828). He is an apothecary at Springfield, Mass. Has 3 children, all born in Elmira, N. Y.

\*\*\*\* 1. Harriet Breck Hooker, b. Sept. 19, 1857.

\*\*\*\* 2. Mary Dwight Hooker, b. Nov. 15, 1859.

\*\*\*\* 3. George Bliss Hooker, b. June 7, 1861.

5998. vi. Sarah Dwight Hooker, b. Jan. 8, 1828, resides unmarried at Longmeadow.

5999. vii. George Hooker, b. March 26, 1830, d. May 3, 1831.

6000. viii. Josiah Hooker, b. May 19, 1833, d. Nov. 8, 1862. He was a clerk in a bank at Hartford, Ct.

[Sixth Generation.]

5986. v. Elizabeth Dwight Hooker (dau. of Hon. John Hooker and Sarah Dwight), b. Feb. 16, 1798, m. May 15, 1822, Frederic Adolphus Packard, b. Sept. 25, 1794 (son of Rev. Asa Packard of Marlboro, Mass., and Nancy Quincy, b. in Marlboro Sept. 25, 1794), grad. at Harvard in 1814, studied law at Northampton, Mass., practised his profession at Springfield, Mass. (1819-28). In 1829 he became Recording Secy. of the Am. S. S. Union at Philadelphia, and editor of its publications, and resided there the rest of his life (1829-67). Every book published by the Society in all those 38 years passed under his eye, and was prepared and carried through the press by him—two thousand and more in number; of some 50 of which he was himself the author. He also edited the periodicals of the Society, the S. S. Journal (S. S. World), Youth's Friend and Child's World. He was for 21 years the editor of the Journal of Prison Discipline in Philadelphia. He wrote much for the daily papers and for various magazines, chiefly The Princeton Review. He had a superior physical constitution for health and strength, a mind of great activity and very buoyant spirits, and was exceedingly practical in all his tastes and habits. He d. of a cancer in his under-lip after much terrible suffering, Nov. 11, 1867, aet. 73. She d. July 15, 1862, aet. 64.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6001. i. John Hooker Packard, b. Jan. 20, 1827, d. Jan. 20, 1829.

6002. ii. Frederic Packard, b. July 24, 1828, grad. at Yale in 1848, d. July 18, 1862, aet. 34.

6003. iii. Mary Hooker Packard, b. Aug. 30, 1830, m. April 12, 1854, Samuel Clarke Perkins, b. Nov. 14, 1828 (son of Samuel Huntington Perkins and Mary Fearies Donnell). He was grad. at Yale in 1848, and is an attorney in Philadelphia. No children.

6004. iv. John Hooker Packard, M.D., b. Aug. 15, 1832.

6005. v. Prof. Lewis Richard Packard, Ph.D., b. Aug. 22, 1836, grad. at Yale in 1856, Prof. there since 1863 of Greek, m. Dec. 29, 1870, Harriet Moore Storrs, b. at Brookline, Mass., July 31, 1846 (dau. of Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mary E. Jenks). They have one child:

6006. 1. Mary Storrs Packard, b. April 5, 1872.

6004. iv. John Hooker Packard, M.D., b. Aug. 15, 1832, was grad. at the University of Pennsylvania in 1850, and at The Med. Sem. of same in 1853, was resident physician at Penn. Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa., and since 1856 has been a practising physician in Philadelphia. He m. June 1858, Elizabeth Wood, b. May 2, 1835, in Philad. (dau. of Charles Stuart Wood and Juliana Fitz Randolph).



[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6007. i. Elizabeth Dwight Packard, b. April 6, 1859.  
 6008. ii. Charles Stuart Wood Packard, b. June 2, 1860.  
 6009. iii. Frederic Adolphus Packard, b. Nov. 17, 1862.  
 6010. iv. John Hooker Packard, b. May 9, 1865.  
 \*\*\*\* v. Francis Randolph Packard, b. March 27, 1870.  
 \*\*\*\* vi. George Randolph Packard, b. Sept. 27, 1872.

[Sixth Generation.]

5990. ix. Prof. Worthington Hooker, M.D. (son of Hon. John Hooker of Springfield and Sarah Dwight), b. March 3, 1806, grad. at Yale in 1825, practised medicine in Norwich, Ct. He m. Sept. 30, 1830, Mary Ingersoll (dau. of John Ingersoll of Springfield, Mass., and Elizabeth Martin). She d. Jan. 11, 1853, and he m. Jan. 1855, Henrietta Edwards, b. Sept. 6, 1815 (dau. of Hon. Henry W. Edwards of New Haven and Lydia Miller). He was appointed, in 1852, Prof. of the Theory and Practice of Medicine at Yale College, which office he held until his death in 1867. He was the author of several works, such as "The Child's Book of Nature," "First Book in Chemistry," "Natural History," "Science for the School and Family," "Human Physiology and Hygiene," "First Book in Physiology," "Child's Book of Common Things," "Physician and Patient," "Homœopathy," "Medical Delusions," and "Rational Therapeutics." He d. Nov. 6, 1867. His widow resides at New Haven.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

6011. i. John Worthington Hooker, M.D., b. July 14, 1833, d. Jan. 26, 1863, aet. 29. He was grad. at Yale in 1854. He was Prof. at Amherst Coll., Mass., of Hygienics and Gymnastics for a short time (1860-1).

6012. ii. Elizabeth Martin Hooker, b. Jan. 15, 1836, d. Feb. 27, 1845.

6013. iii. Edward Ingersoll Hooker, b. March 14, 1838, d. Nov. 3, 1839.

6014. iv. Edward Ingersoll Hooker, 2d, b. Sept. 12, 1840, d. Jan. 27, 1841.

*By second wife :*

6015. v. Alfred Edwards Hooker, b. Jan. 6, 1857.

He had also a child, b. Jan. 1856, that d. almost immediately.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 829.

5852. v. Hon. Josiah Dwight, Jr. (son of Col. Josiah Dwight and Elizabeth Buckminster), b. Sept. 17, 1767, grad. at Harvard in 1786, was a merchant at Stockbridge, Mass. "He was very good-looking, and very religious, and every inch a man." His business habits were of the

most thorough kind; and he had, like many others of the Dwight family, decided military or administrative talents. He was proverbially upright. Although long beforehand a Christian, hopefully, he did not join the church until in his later years. He removed, after several years' residence at Stockbridge, to Northampton, where he was for a time connected in business with Col. Wm. T. Edwards, his brother-in-law. He was clerk for some years of the Court of Hampshire Co., then a very large county, and the office was one of much value; and he was also afterwards State Treasurer of Massachusetts, residing, while holding that office, at Boston. These two offices, which were each conferred upon him without his own previous solicitation, or even knowledge, were both of high responsibility.

He m. May 21, 1789, Caroline Williams. She d. Dec. 26, 1796, and he m. for a 2d wife, March 1, 1798, Rhoda Edwards, b. at Stockbridge, Mass., May 7, 1778 (dau. of Timothy Edwards and Rhoda Ogden, dau. of Robert Ogden of Elizabethtown, N. J.). He d. March 8, 1821, aet. 53.

Madam Rhoda Dwight deserves a clear and most honorable recognition of her distinguished characteristics in this record. She was a wonder and a joy to all who knew her, for her intellectual power and brightness, to the very end of her very long life, and was held in high veneration for her great worth of character and dignity of mien and carriage by the admiring people of Northampton, and by multitudes from far and near without that historic town. The author went there expressly from his home in central New York, to talk with her about many persons and things in the long past, quite unknown to others, but well remembered by her, and has always recollected that delightful and profitable visit as one of the marked events of his life. The trail of the memory of herself that she left upon his heart is as ineffaceable as that left by the sight and the hearing of Daniel Webster on one of his great public occasions. Form and features, voice and eye, manner, words and spirit, all in each case impressed themselves indelibly upon the gladdened consciousness of the admiring listener.

The father of "Madam Rhoda Dwight" (the name by which she was everywhere reverently known), Col. Timothy Edwards, son of Prest. Jonathan Edwards and Sarah Pierrepont, b. July 25, 1738, was a graduate of Princeton College in 1757, and was a man of very strong intellectual powers. At the decease of both his father and mother in 1758, he, aet. 20, became, as the eldest son, the guardian and head of the large surviving family, consisting of 8 members, half of them but 15 years old and younger, and including among them those two subsequently famous characters, Pierrepont Edwards, his brother, then 5 years old, and Aaron Burr, their cousin, then but a child of two years of age. Within two years' time (Sept. 25, 1760) he also married, and

began to have a family of his own, which numbered in the end 14 children (1761-87). Such sudden and large family cares compelled him to relinquish his chosen profession of the law for mercantile pursuits. Madam Rhoda Dwight came upon the stage of life at the end of the second year of the revolutionary war. Her father was busily engaged in the commissariat of the army, transporting "hard money" continually to and from Albany for the revolutionary troops. His pay for his earnest and eminent services he had to take by law in "continental money," by which he lost in the end nearly all the property that he had accumulated for years.

Of Madam Rhoda Dwight, Prof. W. S. Tyler of Amherst College thus wrote, in an obituary notice of her in "The Congregationalist" of Boston: "There is now and then an American woman, to whom other Americans, republicans as they are, concede the rank and title of 'queen,' as pre-eminently hers, and do her homage with a loyalty all the more profound because it is spontaneous, and not rendered to the mere accident of birth or position. Such an one was Madam Rhoda Dwight, who on Friday, Nov. 13 (1864), was borne to her last rest in that burial-place of kings and queens, the cemetery at Northampton. She was a queen by birth and by nature, in person and in character, in the church and in the state. Prest. Edwards was her grandfather, and his eldest son, Hon. Timothy Edwards of Stockbridge, her father. Her brothers and sisters were the leading men and women of their times—ornaments to society and the church—and not a few of them public characters, honored throughout the whole country. Who can look on such families as the Edwardses and the Dwights without being proud of our institutions."

"Her majestic form, her dignified and graceful manners, her stately but not haughty bearing, her weighty and measured but gentle speech, in short, her commanding person and presence, showed her every inch a queen. *She is a queenly woman*, was usually a stranger's first exclamation; and it was the exclamation with which her friends and acquaintances followed her to her burial. Those who enjoyed her friendship knew her to be as genial, sympathizing and kind as she was magnificent. She loved her children with a woman's tender and unchanging affection, making them always feel that they were welcome to her home, as they were dear to her heart, and dismissing them from her presence, not only charmed with her conversation, but also rich and happy in the assurance of her maternal blessing."

"Left a widow, with a flock of little children on her hands, with her husband's estate wrecked by misfortune, she always trusted, and never in vain, that 'the Lord would provide.' It was instructive to hear her speak of her trials and of her no less numerous deliverances. It was

beautiful to see on what limited resources she could educate a large and most respectable family. She loved her country with a loyalty only strengthened by age and experience; and she hated oppression, corruption and speculation with perfect hatred for her country's sake. Her crowning excellence was her unaffected piety. She was a member of the same church of which her honored grandfather was formerly pastor; and she lived and died in the same faith of which he was so distinguished an example and defender."

The writer is happy to endorse the foregoing description of Madam Dwight, as in his view none too strong, from his own fresh remembrances of her superior presence and personal wisdom and grace. For many details of special interest here furnished, he is indebted to her and to the venerable Judge O. B. Morris of Springfield (that "walking encyclopædia of family histories," as he was often called while living), who also communicated them to him in person.

She d. Nov. 13, 1864, aet. 86, full of years and honor. While she was living, there were always two special objects of interest, in her advanced years, which every cultivated stranger who visited Northampton made it a point to be sure to see—"Madam Rhoda Dwight," the granddaughter of Prest. Edwards, and "The Edwards' Trees," three venerable elms, supposed to have been planted by his own hands, which still cover with their shadow the ground where the Edwards' mansion once stood, next to the home of Prest. Dwight, which still abides in its ancient strength and beauty.

[Col. Timothy Edwards purchased the ground for his house of an Indian woman, and hired workmen from Hatfield to construct it, which was a story and a half high, and had in one end of it his store. He was a member of the Council of the State (1775-80), and Judge of Probate (1778-87). He was a deacon in the Cong. Ch. He was employed by Washington to furnish supplies to the soldiers at West Point. He d. at Stockbridge, aet. 75, Oct. 27, 1813. His wife d. at Litchfield, Ct., Nov. 22, 1822, aet. 80, and was interred at Stockbridge. "She was a lady of great excellence of character, and of exceeding gentleness of spirit." How absolutely the personal means of those who embarked "their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor" as whole-souled patriots in the revolutionary war were sacrificed in the poor returns that they realized from the Government for moneys expended or loaned, and services rendered, will be seen from a fact that Prest. Dwight used to state concerning the value to him of the pay in "continental currency" that he received for his services as chaplain, that he once paid \$450 of it for a cord of wood, when wood was worth \$2 a cord.]

Hon. Josiah Dwight had by his two marriages 17 children, of whom all but two were the offspring of Madam Rhoda Dwight.



[Sixth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

6016. i. Francis Henry Dwight, b. April 10, 1790, was "captain's clerk" on board the frigate "President" on which he was killed July 23, 1812, in the war with England.

6017. ii. William Harris Dwight, b. Aug. 10, 1792, was lost in the N. Y. packet ship "Albion," on the coast of Ireland, near Kinsale, April 22, 1822, aet. 29. He was a merchant in Boston, and "a man of excellent character, and left a name greatly respected. He was faithful in every relation of life." As a proof of his honorable sentiments, it deserves to be stated that, before sailing for Europe, he made his will, in which he left to his stepmother the sum of ten thousand dollars in case of his decease. This was the means, with careful economy on her part, of her support during her long widowhood of more than 43 years. Let his name abide in perpetual honor in the hearts of all, who read this record of his worth !

*By second wife :*

6018. iii. Caroline Williams Dwight, b. Jan. 22, 1799, d. of consumption Dec. 19, 1813.

6019. iv. Timothy Edwards Dwight, b. May 14, 1800, d. of spotted fever, Jan. 22, 1807.

6020. v. Elizabeth Buckminster Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1801, m. Charles Sedgwick, d. Nov. 18, 1864, aet. 63.

6021. vi. Rev. Robert Ogden Dwight, b. Oct. 31, 1802, d. Jan. 8, 1844, aet. 42.

6022. vii. Margaret Dwight, b. April 14, 1804, d. aet. 41, Sept. 5, 1845. She was all her life a teacher, from the age of 16 to her death (1820-45). She began her work with teaching her younger sisters, which was quite the fashion in N. E. families in those days ; and her work gradually extended from her skill in it and her enthusiasm until it embraced a host of pupils. She had a school of much note at Northampton and many remember her with great gratitude. Her moral characteristics were quite superior, and although not in the strongest sense of the term brilliant, she was very thorough, systematic and successful in her work. "She was at the same time delightfully religious. Her character was her real power in her work, and very great was the influence exerted by her over her pupils for their good."

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| 6023. viii. Amelia Dwight,                             | } m. Dr. Joseph H. Flint.<br>trines, b. Sept. 17, 1806.<br>m. Lewis Williams. |
| 6024. ix. Mary Ann Dwight, d. unmarried, Nov. 4, 1858. |   |
| 6025. x. Susan Dwight,                                 |   |

6026. xi. Timothy Edwards Dwight, b. June 5, 1808, d. aet. 25, May 29, 1833. He was grad. at Yale in 1827, and studied law at Raleigh,

N. C., with Thomas Devereux, Esq., his mother's cousin. "He was an excellent scholar, and remarkably winning in his manners, as well as upright in his principles."

6027. xii. Thomas Dwight, b. April 5, 1810, d. Oct. 29, 1815.

6028. xiii. Hannah Buckminster Dwight, } d. Dec. 16, 1814, aet. 3.  
  } twins, b. Dec. 1, 1811.

6029. xiv. Hannah Worthington Dwight, } d. Sept. 17, 1827, aet. 16.

6030. xv. Caroline Williams Dwight, b. Nov. 17, 1813, m. Rev. Samuel Hopkins.

6031. xvi. Josiah Dwight, b. June 29, 1815.

6032. xvii. Clarissa Dwight, b. June 10, 1817, d. Nov. 12, 1820.

Of the 15 children of Madam Rhoda Dwight, 5 were born at two births; and the trines, Nos. 8, 9 and 10, outlived most of the rest. Nine only of the 15 came to maturity. Only 6 lived to be over 42 years of age; and only 6 have had any descendants.

6020. v. Elizabeth Buckminster Dwight, b. Sept. 17, 1801, m. Sept. 30, 1819, Charles Sedgwick of Lenox, Mass., b. Dec. 15, 1791 (son of Judge Theodore Sedgwick and Pamela Dwight). See page 738, No. 5128. x. He was educated for the bar, but being early appointed clerk of the Sepreme Court of Mass., he held the office until his death, and never engaged in legal practice. Said Madam Dwight of him descriptively to the writer: "He was a man of great worth, upright, true at heart and benevolent." "To an inquiring mind, keen perceptions and a refined taste he united high humor and quick generous sympathies, together with much earnestness of character and constant faith in man. He met those with whom he was brought into contact with far more than common interest. No one could be long with him, so radiant were his manners and face with good feeling, without the conviction that he was his friend. His daily life was a joy to all who knew him. He kept special care in his heart for the poor; and when he died, the laboring men of Lenox begged leave to carry his cherished remains to the grave on their shoulders, and were accorded the privilege." He d. Aug. 3, 1856.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Sedgwick, kept for more than 30 years a Young Ladies' School in Lenox, which attracted pupils to it from all parts of the country. She was the author of several works, as: "The Spanish Conquest in America"; "Lessons without Books"; "Louisa and her Cousins"; "Pleasant Sundays"; "The Beatitudes"; and "A Talk with my Pupils." She d. at Lenox, Nov. 18, 1864, aet. 63.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6033. i. Catharine Maria Sedgwick, b. Sept. 15, 1820, m. William Minot, Esq.

6034. ii. Charles Sedgwick, b. April 4, 1822, was a youth of high

promise and a superior linguist. He d. of brain-fever while a member of Harvard College, March 30, 1841.

6035. iii. Elizabeth Dwight Sedgwick, b. July 15, 1826, m. Frederic W. Rackemann.

6036. iv. Major William Dwight Sedgwick, b. June 27, 1831, d. Sept. 29, 1862.

6037. v. Grace Ashburner Sedgwick, b. March 5, 1833, was active in the late Union war in the U. S. Hospital service. She m. as his 2d wife, Aug. 20, 1867, Charles Astor Bristed, Esq., of New York, b. there in 1821, grad. at Yale in 1839, and at Trinity Coll., Cambridge, Eng., in 1845. His first wife was Laura Whitten Brevoort (dau. of Henry Brevoort), whom he m. in 1847. In 1852 he published "Five Years in an English University." He wrote largely for various magazines and newspapers. He d. at Washington, D. C., Jan. 14, 1874, aet. 53.

6038. i. Catharine Maria Sedgwick, b. Sept. 15, 1820, m. Nov. 28, 1842, William Minot, b. April 7, 1817 (son of William Minot of Boston and Louisa Davis), grad. at Harvard Coll. in 1836, a lawyer in Boston, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6038. i. Jane Sedgwick Minot, b. Oct. 2, 1844, d. Nov. 18, 1847.

6039. ii. Alice Woodbourne Minot, b. July 10, 1847.

6040. iii. William Minot, b. May 10, 1849, grad. at Harvard Law School in 1868.

6041. iv. Charles Sedgwick Minot, b. Dec. 23, 1852.

6042. v. Robert Sedgwick Minot, b. Aug. 10, 1856.

6043. vi. Henry Davis Minot, b. Aug. 1859.

6044. vii. Lawrence Minot, b. May 19, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.]

6035. iii. Elizabeth Dwight Sedgwick (dau. of Charles Sedgwick and Elizabeth B. Dwight), b. July 15, 1826, m. June 20, 1855, Frederic W. Rackemann, a teacher of music in New York (son of Daniel Rackemann of Bremen, Germany, and his wife, Philipine Florentine Marianne —). They reside at Lenox, Mass. More recent information was sought, but respectfully declined.

[Eighth Generation.]

6045. i. Charles Sedgwick Rackemann, b. June 21, 1857.

6046. ii. Frederic Rackemann, b. Jan. 22, 1860, d. Dec. 18, 1861.

6047. iii. Felix Rackemann, b. June 17, 1861.

6048. iv. Elizabeth Sedgwick Rackemann, b. July 25, 1863.

[Seventh Generation.]

6036. iv. Major William Dwight Sedgwick (son of Charles Sedg-

wick of Lenox, Mass., and Elizabeth B. Dwight), b. June 27, 1831, grad. at Harvard in 1851, spent about half a year in a law office, and a year and a half subsequently in pursuing legal studies at Heidelberg, Göttingen and Breslau, Germany, and a year afterwards at Cambridge in the Harvard Law School. He then (1854) established himself as a lawyer at St. Louis, Mo. He m. July 15, 1857, Louise Tellkamp (dau. of Prof. Adolphe Tellkamp of Hanover, Germany, and Friederike Irott). At the beginning of the late war he wrote to his father-in-law from out of the slave state where he lived: "For my part, if my country is to perish, my hope is to perish with her." In the spirit of that sentiment he turned his back on his chosen profession, which was already full of large promises of honor and profit to him, to hasten to the battle-field, and became, May 25, 1861, First Lt. in the Second Mass. Regt. He was ere long detailed as ordnance officer of Major Genl. Banks' Corps, and was soon transferred to the staff of Major Gen. Sedgwick, his kinsman, with the rank of Major. Most of the winter of 1862 he passed in camp under Genl. Geo. B. McClellan, and participated actively in the ensuing peninsular campaign. He was a man of great bodily strength, which was usually quite equal to the demands of his immense ardor of spirit upon it. But while yet overborne by the fatigues of the disastrous campaign in Virginia, he hastened with his corps to the protection of the capital, and thence to the banks of the Antietam, where he received, Sept. 17, 1862, a bullet wound, which in less than a fortnight ended his mortal career. While lying, agonized by the terrible wound that he had received, on the battle-field, he wrote these words in his pocket diary: "While trying to rally our men, a musket ball struck me in the small of my back, and I fell from my horse. As I write this I have been lying here more than an hour, powerless to move my right leg. I think that the wound must be mortal. I have been praying God to forgive my sins, to bless and comfort my darling wife and children, my dearest mother and sisters. As I have been lying here in very great pain, shells have been bursting close to me, almost constantly. I wish my friends to know that I have fallen while doing my duty as well as is possible, which I can truly assert, and that I have not uttered a groan as yet, lying alone on the hard ground in the sun, with no friend near." For 8 hours he remained in this position, until he was at last found by his friends, who removed him to a quiet farm-house at Keedysville, Md., where he d. Sept. 29, 1862. Mother and sister were by his side in his last hours, but not also his greatly afflicted wife, who learned of her sad bereavement only at the moment of her arrival from a return voyage to Europe. The youngest of three little girls, whom he left behind him to the sorrows of orphanage, he had never seen.



He was tall in figure and strongly built, and prepossessing in personal appearance. His face was full of manly beauty ; and his whole frame was all aglow with energy and daring. His features were regular and handsome, and his eyes dark and expressive. Said Lt. Tucker, of the 49th Mass. Regt., of him to the author, in 1863, at New York : " He was a Number One for intelligence and character, a model-man, of noble presence, large and muscular, and as good as he looked."

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6049. i. Grace Sedgwick, b. May 12, 1858.

6050. ii. Emilia Sedgwick, b. Nov. 20, 1859.

6051. iii. Mary Elizabeth Sedgwick, b. July 3, 1861.

[Sixth Generation.]

6021. vi. Rev. Robert Ogden Dwight (son of Hon. Josiah Dwight and Rhoda Edwards), b. Oct. 31, 1802, took part of the college course at Amherst, and was grad. at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1834. He was ordained Aug. 28, 1835, a Missionary of the A. B. C. F. M. to Madura District, Southern India. He m. about the same time Mary Williams Billings of Conway, Mass., b. March 8, 1809 (dau. of Elisha Billings and widow Mary Hovey, *née* Storrs, granddau. of Rev. John Storrs of Southold, L. I.). His own heart turned most strongly towards the deep and wide-spread moral desolation of Africa. It is understood that he was diverted from Africa to India as his special destination, because of his superior business-qualities, by the Committee at Boston, who felt greatly at that time the need of such qualifications in the management of that mission. He was accordingly appointed the conductor of its pecuniary affairs. " He was a man of perfect integrity and thorough manliness, and was very successful in his access to the heathen as well as to others." He went first to Dindigul, and afterwards to Madura, where he d. Jan. 7, 1844, aet. 41.

Rev. C. F. Muzzey, once of the Madura Mission, told the author that " he had a better knowledge of the Tamil language than any of the other missionaries, and that yet on account of his great bashfulness he was unable to preach extempore in that language with any pleasure to himself. He was regarded by the natives as a very wise and judicious counsellor, and their feeling was that in losing him, ' they had lost their right hand.'"

He was of a rather tall and spare figure, but well-proportioned. Although naturally of a very retiring disposition, he was full of native unassumed dignity.

His wife was a lady of clear judgment and good taste, and of fine personal appearance, and had much force of character. She was lovingly and scrupulously devoted as a wife and mother to her household

duties. She m. for a 2d husband, March 12, 1845, Rev. Myron Winslow, D.D., LL.D., b. in Williston, Vt., Dec. 11, 1789, missionary to Ceylon. She was his 4th wife. She d. April 20, 1852. He m. for a 5th wife, May 20, 1857, Ellen A. Reed of Boston. He d. at Cape-town, South Africa, Oct. 22, 1864, aet. 75.

Rev. Dr. Robt. Anderson, former Secretary of the A. B. C. F. M., wrote of Rev. Robt. O. Dwight to the author, under date of Aug. 29, 1868: "He was an excellent missionary: he belonged to the first-class of missionaries; and the mission suffered a great loss in his early death."

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6052. i. Mary Billings Dwight, b. Feb. 19, 1837, in Dindigul, India, resides unmarried (1874) at S. Hadley Falls, Mass.

6053. ii. Robert Ogden Dwight, b. Oct. 8, 1838, studied law at Northampton, and was admitted to the bar in New York in May 1862, where he practised the profession until 1865. Since 1866 he has been established as a lawyer at South Hadley Falls, Mass. He m. Oct. 6, 1869, Sarah Elizabeth Coburn, b. Nov. 22, 1841 (dau. of John Simonton Coburn of Rockland, Me., and Sarah Elizabeth Levensaler). No children.

6054. iii. William Harris Dwight, b. Oct. 1840, d. in a few days.

6055. iv. Timothy Edwards Dwight, b. Dec. 29, 1841, at Madura, resides at S. Hadley Falls, unmarried (1874), is a market gardener. [For the Storrs kindred of this family, see Hist. of Strong family by the author, pp. 1151-3].

[Sixth Generation.]

6023. viii. Amelia Dwight (dau. of Hon. Josiah Dwight and Rhoda Edwards), b. Sept. 17, 1806, m. June 1, 1824, as his 2d wife, Dr. Joseph Henshaw Flint of Northampton, Mass., b. April 20, 1786 (son of Dr. Austin Flint of Leicester, Mass., and Elizabeth Henshaw). He d. Nov. 11, 1846, aet. 60. She resided for many years at New York, but resides now (1874) at Washington, D. C. [Dr. J. H. Flint had, by his previous marriage, Prof. Austin Flint, M.D., of New York, a medical author, and Mrs. Susan W. Jewett of Bridgeport, Ct.].

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6056. i. Elizabeth Henshaw Flint, b. at Northampton, May 23, 1825, m. Sept. 25, 1850, Dr. Arthur Augustus Shiverick of New Bedford, Mass. (son of Joseph R. Shiverick and Charlotte Donaldson). He d. Oct. 3, 1863, of typhus fever, contracted while paying his customary visits at Bellevue Hospital, N. Y., shortly after having opened an office in the city. His widow resided for some years at Stamford, Ct., but resides now (1874) at Washington, D. C. No issue.

6057. ii. Edward Flint, b. Nov. 1, 1826, m. Nov. 20, 1850, Ellen Hallet of Boston (dau. of George Hallet and Eliza, dau. of James Gordon). He was superintendent of The Pacific Mail Steamship Co., in San Francisco, Cal. He was lost on his return homewards for a visit, July 27, 1862, aet. 35, in the steamer "Golden Gate," wrecked off the coast of Mexico. He was a man of high moral worth. No issue. His widow resides (1874) in Leicester, Mass. [George Hallet was the son of Charles and Lydia Hallet of Yarmouth Port, Mass.].

6058. iii. Mary Dwight Flint, b. July 30, 1828, m. Daniel Gorham Bacon.

6059. iv. Joseph Henshaw Flint, b. Sept. 22, 1830, d. March 7, 1834.

6060. v. Hannah Willard Flint, b. July 1, 1832, d. Feb. 25, 1834.

6061. vi. Robert Ogden Flint, b. Jan. 23, 1834, was an officer on board the steam yacht "The North Star," in its visiting tour around the world, under the charge of Capt. Vanderbilt, on which he was lost overboard when off the coast of Portugal, July 29, 1853, aet. 19, in N. lat.  $39^{\circ} 55'$ , and  $9^{\circ} 43'$  W. long. He had just been promoted, when at Havre, to the office of quarter-master. "He was on the quarter-deck when the men were shifting the main sheet—a flap from which struck him as he stood at the extreme edge of the stern, outside of the netting, and tossed him into the sea. At the cry of "a man overboard!" and the sight of his hands upraised for a moment above the waves, a small boat was at once lowered, and great efforts were made to rescue him; but, after an hour's fruitless search, the vain attempt to find him was abandoned. His struggle for life was short, and not a word was heard in the air by any one from his lips as he disappeared from view. "He was very intelligent and affable, and a favorite with the whole party sailing with him."

6062. vii. Josiah Dwight Flint, b. Dec. 29, 1835, has been engaged for several years in the insurance business in New York. During the late war he was a clerk in the U. S. Quartermaster's Department in Ohio, Kentucky and New York City. He m. June 22, 1870, Mary Hawes Hull, b. in Essex, Ct., Jan. 18, 1847 (dau. of Rev. Joseph Darling Hull, grad. at Yale in 1837, a teacher in New York, and Charlotte L. Cowles). He is now (1874) special agent of the London Assurance Society in New York.

6063. viii. Laura Amelia Flint, b. in Springfield, Mass., July 11, 1840, m. May 5, 1858, Capt. Joseph Brent Griswold Isham of New York, a sea-captain. She was divorced from him by law in 1869, on the ground of desertion, and now has legally the name of Mrs. Laura D. Flint, and resides (1874) in Washington, D. C. She had one child:

6064. 1. Joseph Brent Isham, b. Feb. 19, 1859, who d. Feb. 26, 1860.

6058. iii. Mary Dwight Flint, b. July 30, 1828, m. March 27, 1851,

Daniel Gorham Bacon, b. in Barnstable, Mass., Aug. 26, 1820 (son of Daniel Carpenter Bacon and Desire Gorham), a merchant in New York, importing tea and other goods from China and India.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 6065. i. Elizabeth Henshaw Bacon, b. June 27, 1852.
- 6066. ii. Gorham Bacon, b. Oct. 13, 1855.
- 6067. iii. Constance Bacon, b. Dec. 9, 1857.
- 6068. iv. William Dwight Bacon, b. Oct. 20, 1859, d. May 1860.
- 6069. v. Daniel Bacon, b. Aug. 27, 1862.
- 6070. vi. Edward Bacon, b. April 11, 1866.
- \*\*\*\* vii. Robert Ogden Bacon, b. Aug. 29, 1872.

[Sixth Generation.]

6024. ix. Mary Ann Dwight (one of the trine daughters of Hon. Josiah Dwight and Rhoda Edwards), b. Sept. 17, 1806, d. Nov. 4, 1858, æt. 52. She was an authoress and a great lover of artistic studies. She was the author of "Dwight's Grecian and Roman Mythology," "Lectures on Art," "An Elementary Book on Astronomy," "Poetry for the Young," "Cowper's Translation of the Iliad, with Notes by her," and "An Abridgement of Lanze's History of Painting." She had most vigorous habits of mental industry. She taught painting and drawing.

In "The Annual of Obituary Notices for 1858," pub. by Nathan Crosby at Boston, it is said: "Her father had an excellent library, although not large, on which her taste was formed; and he had always that unparalleled means for training the young, the society of cultivated people at his house. During all her life she was diligent and earnest in the duty of self-cultivation. She endured suffering in her last illness with uncomplaining fortitude. She seemed to have a spirit of the most perfect Christian faith, hope, love, charity and patience, and a submission to the Father's will perfect and entire."

She had an exhaustless energy of character, and was ever buoyant and inspiring in her thoughts and feelings. Her mind developed but slowly in her early life in those directions in which she afterwards exhibited such power and pleasure.

In the "Historical Magazine," vol. iii., N. Y., it is said of her: "Her life was quiet and unobtrusive, but eminently useful, worthy and dignified. She was for many years a teacher—an office for which she was pre-eminently fitted by her patience, her gentleness, her sound knowledge and her strong sense of duty. Her work on Grecian and Roman Mythology (A. S. Barnes & Co., 111 William St., N. Y.), is one of substantial excellence.



[Sixth Generation.]

6025. x. Susan Dwight (trine dau. of Hon. Josiah Dwight and Rhoda Edwards) b. Sept. 17, 1806, m. Feb. 4, 1834, Lewis Williams, b. in Brimfield, Mass., Sept. 16, 1784 (son of Rev. Nehemiah Williams of Brimfield and Margaret Keyes of Pomfret, Ct.), a merchant in Brimfield, and afterwards at Chilicothe, O., where he d. Aug. 27, 1852. She resides now (March 1874) in Washington, D. C.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6071. i. Lewis Williams, b. in Brimfield, Mass., June 20, 1837, a civil engineer, resides at Cincinnati, O., and is Superintendent of the C. H. and D. Rail Road. He m. in 1868 Henrietta Nye of Cincinnati (dau. of Henry Nye and Maria Lawrence). He has had 2 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Susan D. Williams, b. March 69, d. Nov. 1872.

\*\*\*\* 2. Harry Nye Williams, b. July 1871.

6072. ii. Anna Dwight Williams, b. in Chilicothe, June 29, 1841, d. Aug. 22, 1842.

[Sixth Generation.]

6030. xv. Caroline Williams Dwight (dau. of Hon. Josiah Dwight and Rhoda Edwards), b. Nov. 17, 1813, m. May 29, 1832, Rev. Samuel Hopkins, b. April 11, 1808 (son of Capt. John Hopkins, a merchant in Hadley, Mass. and afterwards in Boston, and Lydia Thompson of Newburyport, Mass.), grad. at Dartmouth in 1827, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1831, was settled at Montpelier, Vt. (1831-5), at Saco, Me. (1836-44), resided at Northampton without charge (1844-66), and from May 6, 1866, to Aug. 1, 1872, he was stated supply at Standish, Me. He is the author of "Lessons at the Cross"; "History of Virginia"; "The Puritans and Queen Elizabeth." He is now preaching (1874) at Topsham, Me.

[Capt. John Hopkins, b. Jan. 17, 1770, was son of Rev. Samuel Hopkins of Hadley and Sarah Porter (dau. of Hon. Eleazer Porter of Hadley and widow of Rev. Chester Williams). He d. at Northampton, Jan. 9, 1842. He had 6 children, three of whom came to maturity, viz.: *Sarah Ann*, b. Jan. 20, 1790, who m. Rev. Dr. John Wheeler, Prest. of the Vermont University (1833-49), who d. aet. 62, in 1864; *Rev. Samuel Hopkins*, now of Standish, Me.; and *Rev. Erastus Hopkins*, b. April 7, 1810, grad. at Dartmouth in 1830, who resides at Northampton (since 1841), and has been several times a member of the State Legislature, and Prest. for some years (1846-51) of the Conn. River R. R. Co. See Hist. of the Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. p. 971.

Rev. Samuel Hopkins of Hadley, was son of Rev. Samuel Hopkins of W. Springfield, Mass., and Esther Edwards, sister of Prest. Jona-

than Edwards. He was bapt. Oct. 20, 1729, and m. in 1756 widow Sarah Williams.] Rev. Samuel Hopkins has had 6 children :

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6073. i. A child, b. dead, in 1833.

6074. ii. Elizabeth Hopkins, b. Dec. 1, 1834, m. as his 2d wife, Nov. 22, 1859, Rev. Joseph Henry Myers, b. Oct. 29, 1817 (son of Peter Joseph Henry Myers of Watertown, N. Y., a merchant there, and Lucy Fitch), grad. at Vermont University in 1837. He was a teacher in Georgia before the late war. After it he was a teacher at Oyster Bay, L. I. (1866-8). He has now a Boarding and Day School at Milton, N. Y., on the Hudson. By his previous marriage he had a son, John Wheeler Myers, b. in Nashville, Tenn., now (1873) aet. 25. They have one child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Peter Joseph Henry Myers, b. in St. Augustine, Fla.

6075. iii. Rev. George Hopkins, M.D., b. March 13, 1837, grad. in his medical studies in 1862 in the N. Y. Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons. He was Asst. Surgeon in the Mississippi Squadron under Com. Davis, (July—Oct. 1862), when he was appointed Asst. Surgeon in the Navy Dept. at Washington, D. C., and in Dec. 1863 was transferred to the Atlantic Squadron, and was engaged in the taking of Fort Fisher, receiving an honorable discharge from the service in Oct. 1865. He practised medicine afterwards at Westhampton, Mass., and Kingston, N. Y., but is now (1873) settled in the ministry at Covert, Seneca Co., N. Y.

6076. iv. Isabella Thompson Hopkins, b. Dec. 14, 1839, resides unmarried with her parents.

6077. v. Margaret Dwight Hopkins, b. Dec. 18, 1841, m. Feb. 16, 1864, James Cushing Ward, b. Aug. 28, 1821 (son of George A. Ward, a merchant formerly in New York, and Mehitable Cushing of Salem, Mass.). He is a resident at Northampton, without any professional employment. Three children :

\*\*\*\* 1. George Atkinson Ward, b. Dec. 26, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Samuel Hopkins Ward, b. Nov. 24, 1867, d. May 10, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 3. James Cushing Ward, b. Aug. 30, 1871.

6078. vi. John Hopkins, b. June 9, 1843, d. Aug. 1844.

[Sixth Generation.]

6031. xvi. Josiah Dwight, Jr. (son of Hon. Josiah Dwight and Rhoda Edwards), b. June 29, 1815, m. Nov. 1839, Amanda Leonard Griffing, b. Sept. 20, 1817 (dau. of Henry Griffing of Guilford, Ct., and Anna Leonard of Stockbridge, Mass.). He resides in Woodstock, McHenry Co., Ill., and has been for several years clerk of the Circuit Court, and ex-officio recorder of deeds for McHenry Co., Ill.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6079. i. Charles Sedgwick Dwight, b. Aug. 6, 1840, entered the Union army in the late war, Aug. 1862, as a private in "The Chicago Board of Trade Battery" for 3 years. "He fought his first battle at Stone River. Soon after the battle of Lookout Mountain the members of this battery were mounted and permanently attached to the cavalry service, in which they afterwards engaged in all 'the Kilpatrick raids' and 'in running down' Forrest and Wheeler. He was in 30 battles and skirmishes—the last of which was the last battle of Nashville, under Genl. Thomas, followed by the pursuit of the enemy to the Tennessee River. In March 1865, just before the close of the war, he was ordered to report himself to the Cavalry Bureau. In all his army life he had not one sick day, nor did he receive one wound, or suffer one spot upon the reputation that he bore with him to camp and field of thorough purity of character and manners." Thus wrote his fond father of him, in 1866, to the author, and with what honest pride! He m. Nov. 10, 1870, Ellen E., dau. of Samuel Mason of Holliston, Mass. He is a clerk in Chicago (Field & Leiter). One child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Arthur Mason Dwight, b. Oct. 3, 1872.

6080. ii. Julia Dwight, b. July 23, 1843.

6081. iii. William Harris Dwight, b. March 15, 1845, m. April 10, 1872, Margarette H. Burton (dau. of James Burton of Crystal Lake, Ill.). He is a boot and shoe merchant in Woodstock, Ill. Has one child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Elizabeth H. Dwight, b. Dec. 12, 1873.


6082. iv. George Dwight, b. May 7, 1849, d. Sept. 14, 1850.

6083. v. Edward Edwards Dwight, b. Nov. 10, 1851, a clerk in Chicago (Field & Leiter).

\*\*\*\* vi. Harry Dwight, b. Jan. 20, 1854, d. Feb. 20, 1854.

\*\*\*\* vii. Josiah Dwight, b. Dec. 10, 1855.

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 The number of descendants of Col. Josiah Dwight and Elizabeth Buckminster here presented to view is 240.

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[Fourth Generation.] See page 624.

4154. vii. Capt. Edmund Dwight (son of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield and Lydia Hawley), b. Jan. 19, 1717, was a merchant at Boston, Mass., and afterwards at Halifax, N. S., where he d. Oct. 28, 1755, aet. 38. He m. Aug. 23, 1742, Elizabeth Scutt, b. 1724 (dau. of Capt. James Scutt of Boston and Elizabeth —). She d. in 1764, aet. 40. He was an enterprising, vigorous man, of but moderate pecuniary means. He held at one time the commission of captain in his Majesty's service, and was previously ensign at the taking of Louisburgh, June 6, 1745.

[Fifth Generation.] Children :

6084. i. Jonathan Dwight, b. June 16, 1743, d. Sept. 5, 1831, aet. 88.  
6085. ii. James Scutt Dwight, b. Feb. 3, 1745, d. Aug. 11, 1748, aet. 3.

6086. iii. Edmund Dwight, b. April 19, 1747, d. Nov. 5, 1749, aet. 2.

6087. iv. Elizabeth Dwight, b. June 4, 1749, m. Hon. Samuel Fowler, and d. Dec. 18, 1784, aet. 35.

6088. v. Sarah Dwight, b. Oct. 30, 1751, m. Benjamin Day, Jr., and d. June 17, 1785, aet. 34.

6089. vi. Henry Dwight, b. Dec. 22, 1753, d. Nov. 12, 1798, aet. 45.

How strongly is one reminded, in looking at the record of this family, of the truth of the remark which has been often and quite justly made, that "the Dwights are not a long-lived race."

6084. i. Jonathan Dwight, b. June 16, 1743, at Boston. His father sent him, when but 10 years old, without any patrimony, to Springfield, where, in the end, he became possessed of large wealth. Committing him to the care of his brother, Col. Josiah Dwight of Springfield, he addressed to him the following letter from Nova Scotia :

"SIR:—I have sent my son to Boston, to father Scutt. You have once or twice mentioned it in letters I have received from you, that if I would send him to New England you would take him. If you have not enlarged your family, and can conveniently take him without giving sister too much trouble, I shall be greatly obliged to you. For some, or at least one particular reason, I should choose he should not stay long at his father Scutt's. If you should send for him, I hope his behavior will be such as will be agreeable to you. If it please God to spare my life, I hope to see you in New England within these four months. Be so good as to write a line by the first opportunity you have. I shall write you more fully. My love to you and sister, and all inquiring friends. I am your affectionate brother,

EDMUND DWIGHT."

His uncle received him with kindness, and made him a clerk in his store. That kindness he afterwards fully repaid by his careful attention, after his uncle's decease, to his estate, in behalf of his family ; and the warmest good-will has existed between the two families to this day.

He was a man of a vigorous, active intellect, and of great energy and enterprise. He was thoroughly honest and honorable in all his business, and very judicious in the management of his affairs, and a man of decided religiousness of character in both feeling and habit. As to his physique, he is described as "a man of medium size and of good aspect and appearance."

He built at his own expense the church now occupied by the Second



Cong. Society in The First Parish of Springfield, at a cost of some \$20,000 (equal to at least \$40,000 now). To a colony of seceders from the First Cong. Church (Rev. Dr. Osgood, pastor), he proposed "to build a meeting-house of such dimensions (see Holland's Hist. West. Mass., vol. ii. p. 122) and elegance as they should direct, at his own expense, and present the same to them, as a free gift, provided that they would establish an ample fund for the permanent support of the minister." The terms of the proposition were fully and readily met, and the church was erected and presented to them.

The following tribute to his memory is copied from the family record of his son, Henry Dwight, Esq., of Geneva, N. Y.: "He was active and industrious, prudent and economical, judicious and persevering. During the revolution the state of the country, the depreciation of continental money, and his own political views, which were unpopular, discouraged him, and he suspended business for a time; but was ere long induced by his wife and another friend's influence to recommence it, which he prosecuted with success until age justified his retirement from its cares." He acquired by patient effort great respectability, educated his family, provided abundantly for their wants, and bequeathed to them a large estate at his death. He acquired by his genuine, unaffected politeness the esteem of all that knew him. On retiring from business, not desiring to retain a large amount of property in his own hands exclusively, he advanced a large portion of his estate to his children, taking obligations from them for it—thus giving them the management and enjoyment of it, while its ultimate control rested legally and properly in his own hands.

"I loved him sincerely, and shall always cherish his memory with affection, and, I hope, with gratitude to God, for having given me so kind and excellent a father. April 1832."

He m. Oct. 29, 1766, Margaret Ashley of Westfield, Mass., b. Sept. 3, 1745 (dau. of Dr. Israel Ashley and Margaret Moseley, originally Maudesley). Henry Dwight, Esq., writes thus of his mother: "From the Rev. Dr. Howard, who married my eldest sister, I learn that she was vigorous in her management of all her affairs, with a temper anxious in some measure—solicitous for success in life." She d. Feb. 8, 1789, aet. 43. He m. March 29, 1790, Margaret Van Veghten Vanderspiegel of New Haven, Ct., who d. July 25, 1795, aet. 42, and he m. for a 3d wife, Oct. 13, 1796, Hannah Buckminster of Brookfield, Mass. She d. May 26, 1824, aet. 79. He d. Sept. 5, 1831, aet. 88, full of years and honor, at Springfield. His children were all by his first wife.

His son Henry adds to the brief but distinct picture of his father, already given, the following shaded lines: "From the loss of my mother, in the prime of life, and of three daughters before they had attained to

middle age, he suffered deep affliction. His quiet was disturbed also from some severe losses in the purchase of lands; yet his life was crowned with unusual prosperity."

He gave to the family name and position in Springfield like honor and conspicuousness to that conferred upon them at Dedham, by Capt. Timothy Dwight; at Northampton, by Col. Timothy Dwight; at Hatfield, by Capt. Henry Dwight; at Stockbridge, by Genl. Joseph Dwight; at Boston, by Edmund Dwight (son of Jonathan), and at New Haven, for that city, and for Connecticut, and the whole country, by Prest. Timothy Dwight of Yale. For an account of the Ashley lineage of his descendants, see page 820.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6090. i. Lucinda Dwight, b. Sept. 10, 1767, m. Rev. Bezaleel Howard, d. March 18, 1788, aet. 20.

6091. ii. James Scutt Dwight, b. July 5, 1769, d. March 18, 1822, aet. 52.

6092. iii. Margaret Dwight, b. Feb. 5, 1771, d. April 24, 1790, aet. 19.

6093. iv. Jonathan Dwight, Jr., b. Dec. 28, 1772, d. March 29, 1840, aet. 67.

6094. v. Edmund Dwight, b. Jan. 19, 1774, d. Aug. 12, 1775.

6095. vi. Sophia Dwight, b. Sept. 4, 1776, m. James Byers, d. Feb. 23, 1803, aet. 27.

6096. vii. Edmund Dwight, b. Nov. 28, 1780, d. April 1, 1849, aet. 68.

901 6097. viii. Rev. Henry Dwight, b. June 25, 1783, d. Sept. 6, 1857, aet. 74. It was of this family that Hon. O. B. Morris said to the writer, in 1863, at his house in Springfield; "The Dwight Family was the great family of Springfield 60 years ago."

6090. i. Lucinda Dwight, b. Sept. 10, 1767, m. Dec. 10, 1785, Rev. Bezaleel Howard, D.D., b. Nov. 22, 1753 (son of Nathan Howard, a farmer in Bridgewater, Mass.), grad. at Harvard in 1781, and tutor there (1783-5). He was settled over the First Cong. Ch. of Springfield for 18 years (1785-1803). In 1819 he became an avowed Unitarian. He was thoughtful, sincere, frank and quaint, and of a strongly conservative habit of mind. She d. March 18, 1788, aet. 20. He m. for a 2d wife Prudence Williams. He d. June 20, 1837, aet. 83. Mrs. Lucinda D. Howard "was remarkable for her personal beauty and her superior intelligence." They had one child:

[Seventh Generation.] Child:

6098. i. Lucinda Dwight Howard, b. Aug. 27, 1786, m. May 4, 1809, Samuel Orne, Esq., b. Jan. 30, 1786 (son of Capt. William Orne of Salem, Mass., an eminent merchant there), grad. at Harvard in

1804, a lawyer in Springfield, and a man of large property. He d. July 28, 1830, aet. 44: she d. Oct. 17, 1828, aet. 42. "She was very handsome, intelligent and talented, and quite remarkable in all respects."

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6099. i. Sophia Dwight Orne, b. March 6, 1810, m. Dr. Charles Chapin.

6100. ii. William Wetmore Orne, b. June 27, 1811, d. April 29, 1852, aet. 41.

6099. i. Sophia Dwight Orne, b. March 6, 1810, m. July 6, 1830, Charles Chapin, M.D., of Brattleboro, Vt., b. at Orange, Mass., July 10, 1803 (son of Oliver Chapin of Brattleboro and Mary Jones), grad. at Harvard Coll. in 1823, and at Harv. Med. Sem. in 1826. She is his 2d wife (his 1st wife having been Elizabeth B. Bridge of Charlestown, Mass., who d. March 28, 1828, leaving one child, Elizabeth Alice, b. Feb. 27, 1828, who m. Jan. 7, 1847, Joseph Clark of Brattleboro). He is a physician at Brattleboro. He has been a member of the Vt. legislature, U. S. Marshal for the Dist. of Vt., and disbursing agent for buildings erected by the State government at Rutland and Windsor, Vt.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6101. i. Lucinda Orne Chapin, b. Dec. 31, 1830, m. Josiah Wheelwright.

6102. ii. Oliver Howard Chapin, b. July 15, 1832, a civil engineer, was on the staff of Genl. Geo. B. McClellan in the late war.

6103. iii. Mary Wells Chapin, b. Sept. 27, 1834, m. Dec. 29, 1854, Charles Warder of Philadelphia, Pa. No children.

6104. iv. William Orne Chapin, b. March 10, 1837, was in a large jobbing house in Boston, which he left at the breaking out of the late war and entered the sutlers' department of the 4th Vt. Regt. He was taken prisoner at the White House, Va., in one of Stuart's cavalry raids, and was for 3 or 4 months in Libby Prison. He was (1866) a clerk in the Internal Rev. Dept. at Washington, D. C.

6105. v. Charles Jones Chapin, b. Aug. 31, 1846, is a clerk in St. Louis, Mo.

6101 i. Lucinda Orne Chapin, b. Dec. 31, 1830, m. Jan. 7, 1851, Josiah Wheelwright of Roxbury, Mass., grad. at Harvard in 1843, and at Harv. Law School in 1845.

[Tenth Generation.] Children:

6106. i. Josiah Wheelwright, b. Dec. 9, 1851, at Roxbury, d. May 6, 1853.

6107. ii. Caroline Blanchard Wheelwright, b. March 29, 1853.

6108. iii. Sophia Dwight Orne Wheelwright, b. July 26, 1854.

6109. iv. Charles Chapin Wheelwright, b. March 14, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.]

6100. ii. William Wetmore Orne (son of Samuel Orne, Esq., and Lucinda Dwight Orne), b. June 27, 1811, at Springfield, m. May 6, 1834, Lucy Gassett Dwight, b. Jan. 20, 1817 (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford). He was educated for a merchant, but having little relish for business retired from it soon and devoted himself to books. He was a man of talent, uprightness and honor. He d. April 29, 1852, aet. 41. Mrs. Orne still (1874) resides at Springfield. For her appreciative interest and zeal in gathering facts in answer to the author's requests for them, from time to time, he is glad to express his thanks.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6110 i. William Wetmore Orne, b. Feb. 14, 1835. He had a great taste for travel, having gone 3 times around the world before he was 21 years old. He was a merchant at New York, and just previously to his death he was employed in the service of the U. S. Govt. He d. of consumption, unmarried, Aug. 8, 1862, aet. 27.

6111. ii. James Dwight Orne, b. Sept. 11, 1836, is by profession a civil engineer. He entered the Union Army in Aug. 1861, as 2d Lieut. in the 18th Mass. Regt., and was 3 times promoted for his gallant conduct in battle. He took part in 36 battles, under Genls. McClellan and Mead of the 5th Army Corps, and was once reported dead, and left as such, which was in the Secd. Bull Run battle. He was stunned by a shell bursting so near him as to kill the soldier standing by his side, and was recovered to consciousness again by a comrade treading unheedingly on his face. At Chancellorsville the back of his saddle was shot off: at Gettysburgh a piece of a shell nearly cut his hat into two pieces, and he still bears about a small fragment of a shell that was lodged once in his hand in the hour of battle. He went through the whole peninsular campaign, and took part in all its many conflicts except that at Antietam, and his escapes from death were wonderful in the nearly 4 years of his army life. He was made successively 1st Lieut., Captain, and then Provost Marshal of the First Division of the Fifth Army Corps. He had for a time after the war a large machine factory at Rochester, N. Y. He is now a manufacturer of woolen goods at Philadelphia, Pa., where he resides unmarried (1874).

6112. iii. Lucinda Howard Orne, b. Oct. 8, 1840, m. June 4, 1852, George Walter Pratt, a wholesale stationer in New York (Pratt, Oakley & Co.), and afterwards at St. Louis, Mo. He d. (when not stated) aet. 27. She m. for a 2d husband Dwight Holland, b. in Pittsfield, Mass. He is a clerk and bookkeeper in Springfield.



There were 2 children by the first marriage (dates not given).

6113. 1. George Dwight Pratt. 6114. 2. Lucy Orne Pratt.

[Sixth Generation.]

6091. ii. James Scutt Dwight (son of Jonathan Dwight of Springfield and Margaret Ashley), b. July 5, 1769, m. Sept. 21, 1794, Mary Sanford, b. July 8, 1774 (dau. of Capt. Thomas Sanford, a merchant in Portland, Me., and Jerusha Gelston, widow of Capt. Howell and dau. of Judge Hugh Gelston of Southampton, L. I., and Mary Pelle-treau. See, for Gelston Genealogy, Appendix to this work). He was a merchant at Springfield and a man of large enterprise and wealth. He was also benevolent, and was often called "the poor man's friend." He was regarded in Boston as one of the leading merchants of all Massachusetts in his day. He had a large wholesale and retail store in Springfield, and six branch stores in as many different towns. He imported his goods directly from England, and on their arrival at New York he transported them in sloops and schooners of his own to Hartford, Ct., and thence in river-boats, which he owned, to Springfield. He d. March 18, 1822, aet. 52. Mrs. Mary S. Dwight was "a refined, large-hearted, hospitable lady, whose spirit was full of sunshine to all around her." She d. aet. 70, Dec. 7, 1844.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6115. i. Margaret Ashley Dwight, b. Sept. 3, 1795, m. Robert Whitney.

6116. ii. Frances Dwight, b. Oct. 1, 1796, m. Benjamin Day.

6117. iii. Mary Sanford Dwight, b. Feb. 15, 1798, m. William P. Cleaveland, Esq., and d. Nov. 2, 1854, aet. 56.

6118. iv. James Sanford Dwight, b. Dec. 10, 1799, d. Feb. 24, 1831.

6119. v. Sophia Dwight, b. Dec. 31, 1801, m. Henry Sterns.

6120. vi. Jerusha Gelston Dwight, b. Oct. 18, 1803, m. James Head, and for a 2d husband James P. Boyd.

6121. vii. Hannah Buckminster Dwight, b. Jan. 5, 1806, m. Henry V. Schermerhorn, and d. March 14, 1838, aet. 32.

6122. viii. Francis Dwight, b. March 14, 1808, d. Dec. 15, 1845.

6123. ix. Laura Dwight, b. Dec. 23, 1809, m. Capt. John Childe, U. S. A., and d. Sept. 27, 1854, aet. 44, wrecked at sea.

6124. x. Hon. George Dwight, b. May 20, 1812.

6125. xi. Delia Dwight, b. May 19, 1814, m. Homer Foote.

6126. xii. Lucy Gassett Dwight, b. Jan. 20, 1817, m. William Wetmore Orne. See on previous page, under No. 6100, for an account of her family.

6115. i. Margaret Ashley Dwight, b. Sept. 2, 1795, m. Sept. 11, 1820, Robert Whitney, b. Aug. 18, 1794 (son of Major Abel Whitney

of Westfield, Mass., and Clarissa Dwight). For a full account of this family, see pages for Nos. 5940-52.

6116. ii. Frances Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford, b. Oct. 1, 1796, m. Dec. 3, 1820, Benjamin Day, b. Nov. 9, 1790 (son of Heman Day of W. Springfield, Mass., and Lois Ely) He was a lawyer originally at Springfield, but afterwards cashier and then Prest. of the old "Springfield Bank" (now "The Second National Bank of Springfield"), and Treasurer of the Holyoke Water Co. He d. May 18, 1872, aet. 81.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6127. i. Mary Sanford Day, b. Sept. 4, 1821, m. Rev. Thomas H. Skinner, D.D.

6128. ii. Benjamin Day, b. Feb. 21, 1823, d. Sept. 10, 1831.

6129. iii. Elizabeth Dwight Day, b. March 17, 1825, d. July 10, 1839.

6130. iv. Frances Dwight Day, b. Aug. 25, 1833, resides unmarried at Springfield (1874).

6127. i. Mary Sanford Day, b. Sept. 4, 1821, m. Nov. 28, 1843, Rev. Thomas Harvey Skinner, D.D., b. at Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 6, 1820 (son of Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Skinner, Prof. in Union Theol. Sem., N. Y., and Emily Montgomery), grad. at N. Y. University in 1840, and at The Union Theol. Sem., N. Y., in 1843. He was settled at Patterson, N. J. (1843-6); at New York, Carmine St. (1846-55); Honesdale, Pa. (1856-9); Stapleton, Staten Island (1859- ), and is now pastor of ———, at Cincinnati, O.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6131. i. Emily Montgomery Skinner, b. Sept. 19, 1844.

6132. ii. Benjamin Day Skinner, b. June 17, 1846, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1866.

6133. iii. Elizabeth Winthrop Skinner, b. Nov. 26, 1847.

6134. iv. William Shaw Skinner, b. Feb. 21, 1853, d. Feb. 25, 1853.

6135. v. Montgomery Skinner, b. Aug. 7, 1855, d. Aug. 12, 1855.

[Seventh Generation.]

6117. iii. Mary Sanford Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), b. Feb. 15, 1798, m. Feb. 19, 1824, William Pitt Cleaveland, b. May 14, 1797 (son of William Pitt Cleaveland and Mary Bacon), grad. at Yale in 1816, an eminent lawyer at New London, Ct., and in every way a superior man. He took a leading part in the celebrated Armistead slaver-case before the U. S. Supreme Court at Washington, D. C., and won it. He d. Feb. 5, 1841, aet. 43. She d. Nov. 2, 1854, aet. 56.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6136. i. Mary Dwight Cleaveland, b. Oct. 1825, m. Lewis Bristol.

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6137. ii. William Bacon Cleaveland, b. June 8, 1829, d. unmarried at Brattleboro, Vt., at the Insane Retreat, Nov. 8, 1859. He was an invalid from early life, although having good abilities, and for the last two years before his death insane.

6136. i. Mary Dwight Cleaveland, b. Oct. 1825, m. May 29, 1844, Lewis Bristol of New London, Ct. (son of Judge William Bristol of New Haven, Ct.), and she was divorced from him Feb. 1, 1865, by her own application.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6138. 1. William Cleaveland Bristol, b. at New London, March 10, 1845, d. Sept. 7, 1852.

6139. ii. Lewis Bacon Bristol, b. Dec. 30, 1847.

6140. iii. John Cleaveland Bristol, b. Aug. 26, 1854.

6141. iv. Fanny Louisa Bristol, b. Jan. 11, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.]

6118. iv. James Sanford Dwight, b. Dec. 10, 1799 (son of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), was at Harvard Coll. for two years, but relinquished further classical study for mercantile life on account of poor health—succeeding to his father's extensive and successful business. Like him, he had his large central wholesale store and retail at Springfield, with branches in several leading places, which he filled with his own imported goods; and kept a line of sloops and boats plying between Springfield and New York, to furnish him with continually new supplies. He was an upright honorable man, of a genial disposition and refined tastes, bright, active and talented, and successful in his mercantile operations. He d. while on a tour of pleasure at Florence, Italy, from a malarious fever, Feb. 24, 1831, aet. 31. He m. Sept. 30, 1823, Elizabeth Lee, b. at Lancaster, Mass., Aug. 16, 1801 (dau. of Benjamin Lee of Taunton, Eng., b. there Feb. 26, 1765, and afterwards of Cambridge, Mass., and Norwich, Ct., and Elizabeth Leighton, b. at Luxemburg, near Boston, Eng., Sept. 22, 1776, who d. at the great age of 95). After the decease of Mr. James S. Dwight, she married for a 2d husband, Sept. 7, 1839, Hon. John Turvil Adams, as his 2d wife. He, a native of Demarara, Dutch Guiana, was then a lawyer at Norwich, and probate judge, and afterwards a State Senator. They had no issue. She d. at Springfield, suddenly, of apoplexy, Jan. 9, 1865, while on a visit there, aet. 63. "She left a large circle of relatives, to whom a life of love and devotion, of beauty and of service had made her greatly beloved, and for whose loss to them the world offered no recompense." Her brother, Rev. Dr. Alfred Lee, is now Episcopal bishop of Delaware.

That she sympathized warmly with our loyal soldiers in the late re-

bellion, is manifest from the fact that she knitted with her own hands 111 pairs of stockings for their use on their weary marches. In this patriotic, womanly work she was engaged the very evening before her unlooked-for decease.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6142. i. Elizabeth Lee Dwight, b. July 27, 1824, m. Prof. Fordyce Barker, M.D.

6143. ii. Mary Sanford Dwight, b. Oct. 13, 1826, m. Hon. David A. Wells.

6144. iii. Ellen Augusta Dwight, b. July 23, 1829, resides unmarried in Norwich, Ct.

[Benjamin Lee, Esq., d. at Skaneateles, N. Y., where he owned an estate. He was, through his mother, Mary Pitt, a member of the Pitt family of Charleton-Somerton, in Somersetshire, Eng., a nephew of the Earl of Chatham, cousin to William Pitt and Lady Hester Stanhope, and a fellow midshipman with William IV. (the Duke of Clarence), and Lord Nelson. He was a man of large-hearted characteristics.]

6142. i. Elizabeth Lee Dwight, b. July 27, 1824, m. Sept. 14, 1843, Prof. Fordyce Barker, M.D., b. at Wilton, Me., May 2, 1819 (son of John Barker, M.D., and Phebe Abbott), grad. at Bowdoin in 1837 and at Harvard Med. School in 1840, spent a year in Europe, and practised his profession in Norwich, Ct., for a few years (1842-50). Since 1850 he has resided in New York, and has had large success in his profession. He is professor of obstetrics in "The Bellevue Hospital Med. Coll. of New York" (since 1860). He has been elected at different times to the same professorship also in different institutions, as in 1845, in the Med. Department of Bowdoin; in 1846, in The Transylvania University of Kentucky, and in 1850, in the N. Y. Med. Coll. He has been also V. Prest. of The Academy of Medicine in New York, and Prest. of the N. Y. State Med. Soc. He is a member of several leading medical societies in Europe. He has written several monographs on medical subjects, some of which have been translated into different European languages—a recent one on sea-sickness having received large attention. He is now busy in preparing a work on puerperal diseases.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6145. i. Fordyce Dwight Barker, b. Dec. 27, 1847, after being fitted for college at Exeter, N. H., pursued his classical studies in France and Germany. He is now (1874) in a banking house in New York.

6146. ii. Florence Elizabeth Barker, b. Feb. 1, 1853, d. March 24, 1853.

[Eighth Generation.]

6143. ii. Mary Sanford Dwight (dau. of James Sanford Dwight and



Elizabeth Dwight), b. Oct. 13, 1826, m. May 9, 1860, Hon. David Ames Wells, LL.D., b. at Springfield, Mass., June 17, 1827 (son of James Wells of Springfield and Rebecca Ames, dau. of David Ames of Springfield), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1846, and spent two years at the Lawrence Scientific School in Cambridge. From 1850 to 1866 he edited "The Scientific Annual" and prepared several popular school books, as "The Science of Familiar Things"; "Wells' Natural Philosophy"; "Wells' Chemistry," etc. In 1864 he published a pamphlet, "Our Burden and Our Strength," at a time of great general despondency, which had a large circulation at home and abroad in several languages. In 1865 he was appointed special commissioner of the U. S. Treasury Department, and resided at Washington, holding the office for 6 years (1865-71), until it was abolished by Prest. Grant as no longer a public necessity. In 1872 he was appointed by Gov. Hoffman to revise the laws of taxation in the State of New York. He is regarded as a very superior statistician, and has one of the finest statistical libraries in the country. His family resides at Norwich, Ct. He is now in Europe (1873). They have one child:

6147. 1. David Dwight Wells, b. April 22, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

6119. v. Sophia Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), b. Dec. 31, 1801, m. Feb. 28, 1826, Henry Sterns, b. at Halifax, N. S., May 11, 1794 (son of Jonathan Sterns, a refugee from this country, in the revolutionary war, and Mehitable Robie). He came to this country, an orphan, in 1803, to live with his uncle. He was a merchant at Springfield, and Treasurer of a Savings Bank there, where he d. July 28, 1859. His widow resides at Bristol, R. I.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6148. i. Mary Sewell Sterns, b. March 15, 1827, d. Feb. 26, 1829.

6149. ii. Mary Sewell Sterns, b. Feb. 12, 1829, resides unmarried at Springfield.

6150. iii. Elizabeth Robie Sterns, b. Dec. 16, 1831, m. Nov. 6, 1862, Jonathan Howe, b. Sept. 2, 1813 (son of Samuel Howe of Boston and Eunice Worthington), a merchant at Boston. She d. there Feb. 16, 1864, leaving one child:

6151. 1. Robie Sterns Howe, b. Feb. 11, 1864.

6152. iv. Robie Sewell Sterns, b. March 29, 1834, d. June 11, 1838.

6153. v. J. Sewell Sterns, b. Feb. 11, 1837, d. March 3, 1838.

6154. vi. Sophia Dwight Sterns, b. May 2, 1840, resides at Springfield, Mass., unmarried.

6155. vii. Henry Sterns, b. Jan. 1843, d. April 18, 1843.

[Seventh Generation.]

6120. vi. Jerusha Gelston Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and

*Son of Timothy, Son of John, both of Dedham, Mass.* 873

Mary Sanford), b. Oct. 18, 1803, m. Oct. 5, 1829, James Head of Portland, Me., b. Sept. 1792 (son of Col. James Waller Head of Warren, Me., and Sarah Olney of Providence, R. I.), a merchant and "an honest, straightforward man." He d. March 30, 1835, and she m. as a second husband, Sept. 12, 1838, John Parker Boyd, b. June 1, 1792 (son of Robert Boyd of Portland and Ruth Smith, dau. of Capt. David Smith of Portland), grad. at Bowdoin Coll. in 1812, a lawyer at Portland, Me., where he d. July 20, 1871. She d. May 20, 1868, aet. 64.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

6156. i. Ellenore Waller Head, b. Jan. 11, 1832, m. Thomas H. Sandford.

*By second marriage:*

6157. ii. Capt. Parker Dwight Boyd, b. Jan. 25, 1840, was an Union soldier in the late war for 3 years, and was commissioned Capt. by Prest. Lincoln. He d. unmarried at Pownal, Me., Oct 1, 1872.

6158. iii. Susan Coffin Boyd, b. July 16, 1842, m. May 28, 1868, William Cook, b. in New York, April 3, 1842 (son of Edward Cook and Catharine Ireland), grad. at Yale in 1861, has just returned from a 6 years' absence in Europe and is now teaching German (1874) in Harvard College. They have 2 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Catharine Ireland Cook, b. in Berlin, Prussia, April 15, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 2. Robert Boyd Cook, b. at Lausanne, Switzerland, Aug. 29, 1872.

6159. iv. Mary Dwight Boyd, b. April 5, 1845, m. Aug. 15, 1872, at Ouchy, Lausanne, Switzerland, Franklin Ripley Barrett of Portland, Me., b. there Jan. 21, 1835 (son of Charles Edwards Barrett and Elizabeth Mary Baker), grad. at Brown University in 1857. He is Sec. of one R. R. Co. at Portland (The Atlantic and Lawrence) and Treas. of another (the Grand Trunk R. Co., of Canada) at the American end of the line. [Mr. Charles E. Barrett, grad. at Bowdoin, b. in 1804 at Northfield, Mass., was son of John Barrett, a lawyer there, who was grad. at Harvard in 1780.]

6156. i. Ellenore Waller Head, b. Jan. 11, 1832, m. as his 2d wife, May 3, 1854, Thomas Hovey Sandford, her cousin, who was b. April 11, 1816 (son of Thos. Gelston Sandford of Topsham, Me., b. Jan. 17, 1781, and Maria Halsey Head, b. April 22, 1796, who d. Feb. 15, 1832, dau. of James Waller Head of Warren, Me., and Sarah Olney of Providence, R. I.) He was a merchant in New York for many years. He resides now in Pownal, Maine. His 1st wife was Caroline Mary Bond, whom he m. Sept. 6, 1837, and who d. Jan. 11, 1853.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6160. i. Edith Dwight Sanford, b. June 4, 1857.

6161. ii. Frederic Swift Sanford, b. May 16, 1862.

6162. iii. Parker Boyd Sanford, b. Dec. 7, 1865, d. Oct. 13, 1868.

There were two children by the first marriage viz: 1. Adelaide McKenzie Sanford, b. Dec. 18, 1841. 2. Lucretia Bond Sanford, b. May 4, 1844.

[Seventh Generation.]

6121. vii. Hannah Buckminster Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), b. Jan. 5, 1806, m. Sept. 6, 1826, Henry Van Rensselaer Schermerhorn, b. March 20, 1797, at Albany, N. Y. (son of Cornelius Schermerhorn and Catharine Van Rensselaer). He practised law in Geneva, N. Y., for 26 years (1819-45), and was after that a farmer for 16 years on Seneca Lake, N. Y. (1845-61). Since 1861 he has resided in New York. She d. at Geneva, March 14, 1838.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6163. i. Mary Sanford Dwight Schermerhorn, b. Aug. 14, 1827, m. Samuel Bowles, Jr.

6164. ii. Henry James Dwight Schermerhorn, b. at Geneva, Sept. 1, 1829.

6165. iii. Hannah Buckminster Dwight Schermerhorn. She m. Dec. 16, 1863, Thomas Lyman Greene, b. in Florida, Montgomery Co., N. Y. (son of John Greene and Susan —). He is general agent of the Boston and Albany R. Road, and resides at E. Albany, N. Y. They have one child:

6166. 1. Mary Dwight Greene, b. at Albany, May 30, 1865.

6163. i. Mary Sanford Dwight Schermerhorn, b. Aug. 14, 1827, m. Sept. 6, 1848, Samuel Bowles, Jr., b. at Springfield, Mass., Feb. 29, 1826 (son of Samuel Bowles, b. at Hartford, Ct., June 8, 1797, and Huldah Deming, b. at Wethersfield, Ct., Nov. 25, 1796). He became partner, in 1849, with his father in "The Springfield Republican," of which he has been manager and editor since 1850.

In 1865 he went with Hon. Schuyler Colfax by stage across the continent from the Missouri river to California, before there was any connecting link, as now, between the two outlying coasts of our continent. The summer of 1868 he spent in Colorado, and in 1869 went overland again to California, and also to Oregon, but this time made the grand tour by steam. Those journeyings westward he has described in various volumes as: "Across the Continent" (in 1866), which had a sale of 15,000 copies; "The Switzerland of America: Colorado, its Parks and Mountains" (in 1868), which had a sale of 8,000 copies, and (in 1869) "Our New West" (sale 28,000 copies).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

- 6167. i. Sarah Augusta Bowles, b. June 6, 1850.
- 6168. ii. Samuel Bowles, b. Oct. 15, 1851.
- 6169. iii. Mary Dwight Bowles, b. Jan. 10, 1854.
- 6170. iv. Charles Allen Bowles, b. Dec. 19, 1861.
- 6171. v. Dwight Whitney Bowles, b. Nov. 16, 1863.
- 6172. vi. Ruth Standish Bowles, b. Dec. 5, 1865.
- 6173. vii. Elizabeth Lee Bowles, b. Dec. 3, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

6164. ii. Henry James Dwight Schermerhorn, b. at Geneva Sept. 1, 1829, m. Nov. 21, 1855, Cornelia Bruin Irwin of New York, b. in Walden, Ulster Co., N. Y. (dau. of Andrew and Ann Irwin). She d. Sept. 7, 1864, and he m. for 2d wife, Jan. 24, 1866, Catharine Thompson, b. in New York (dau. of Lawrence and Ann Thompson). He is foreman in the U. S. Armory at Springfield, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

- 6174. i. Henry Van Rensselaer Schermerhorn, b. July 31, 1856.
- 6175. ii. Annie Grace Schermerhorn, b. Dec. 21, 1858, d. Sept. 25, 1863.

[Cornelius Schermerhorn, b. at Rhinebeck, N. Y., June 6, 1769, was a merchant, and afterwards a farmer, at Geneva, N. Y., for more than 30 years (1828-60), where he d. Dec. 1860, aet. 91. He was a man of a large and powerful frame, of great intelligence and activity, and always an ardent political opponent of the democracy. His first presidential vote was given for Washington, and his last for Lincoln, and he voted at every such election during the entire period of his political life. He m. in 1794 Catharine Van Rensselaer, b. May 23, 1773 (dau. of Genl. Henry K. Van Rensselaer, a distinguished revolutionary officer). She d. at Geneva, N. Y., March 10, 1846, aet. 73. Her father commanded the rear-guard of Genl. Schuyler's army when retreating before Genl. Burgoyne, and was severely wounded, the ball remaining in his thigh until his death. His brother, Genl. Solomon Van Rensselaer, was an officer under Wayne in the Indian war of 1795, and was shot through the lungs at the battle of Queenstown Heights. He was M. C. 1819-22, and Postmaster at Albany for 17 years (1822-39).]

[Seventh Generation.]

6122. viii. Francis Dwight (son of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), b. March 14, 1808, grad. at Harvard in 1827, finished his law studies in 1830, and after a long tour of travel in Europe was admitted to the bar of Mass. in 1834, of Michigan in 1835, and of N. Y., in Geneva, where he then resided, in 1838.



In Barnard's Am. Journal of Education (Dec. 1848) occurs the following account of him: "Possessed of an ardent temperament and a strong will, he gave, at a very early period, promise of future proficiency, and evinced an unconquerable determination to excel in the acquisition of knowledge. His name stands high among those who seek to do good to their fellow-men in their sphere of action. Connected with one of the oldest and best families in our country, descended from ancestors celebrated for their exalted religious and literary attainments, and their strict application of them to practical objects and ends, *he early imbibed a proper sense of obligation to live up to the standard which his progenitors had reared for his imitation.* His brief career imparted to his fair family name additional lustre."

He left the profession of the law for what seemed to him the higher and nobler one of education; and that he might arouse as many other minds as possible to sympathy with his own in his estimate of the cause of education, he established a journal under State patronage, devoted to that greatest of intellectual and moral interests combined. He adopted for his motto in all things the fine sentiment of Buxton, that "the difference between the great and the little, the powerful and the feeble, is made by energy and invincible determination"—a purpose once fixed, and then death or victory. For the better circulation of his ideas by means of his journal, he removed to Albany, N. Y.; and though strongly urged to accept high political preferment, he declined all forms of public honor or of private ease, that he might do what one man could with all his might for the elevation of the style and course of popular education. The title of his journal was "The District School Journal for the State of New York."

To the work of conducting it effectively and giving it as wide a diffusion as possible everywhere, he gave five years of earnest, happy, successful toil (1840-5), which his early death, at the age of 37, compelled him then to intermit forever. Said Horace Mann of him: "He was actively instrumental in devising and establishing the present code of public instruction in the State of New York, which, at the time of its adoption, and until copied by other legislatures, was the most perfectly organized and efficient system in the world." In all his stations of honor and trust he conducted himself with great discretion and ability and zeal. Said S. S. Randall of him: "In the discharge of his various public duties he was accurate, thorough and efficient. If a life of constant and earnest endeavor to be useful in his generation constitutes any test of Christian charity and religious hope, those consolations of the Word of God, which cheered his dying hours, afford the most gratifying assurance that for him 'to die was gain.'" Said the Hon. D. D. Barnard of Albany, of him: "The impressions made on



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me by his brilliant parts, his manly bearing, his high-souled generosity, his gentle heart, as tender and loving as a woman's, are never to be forgotten. He had troops of grateful friends here and all over the State." So also the Hon. Henry Barnard, then of Hartford, wrote of him, thus: "No one could be more sincerely wedded to any cause, more willing to spend and to be spent in its service, than was he to the cause of a generous and complete education of the whole people."

He m. July 4, 1834, Catharine Van Rensselaer Schermerhorn of Geneva, N. Y., b. in 1814 (dau. of Cornelius Schermerhorn and Catharine Van Rensselaer, and sister to Henry V. R. Schermerhorn, who m. his sister Hannah Buckminster Dwight). She d. Aug. 20, 1840. He m. April 20, 1843, for 2d wife, Catharine Waters Yates of Albany (dau. of John W. Yates and Ann Metcalfe). He d. Dec. 15, 1845. She m. for a 2d husband, April 1852, Nathan B. Graham of New York. He d. Aug. 5, 1870, during his wife's absence in Europe. She resides still (1874) in New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

6176. i. Catharine Van Rensselaer Dwight, b. March 29, 1835, m. Hon. George Bliss. See subsequent page.

6177. ii. Mary Sanförd Dwight, b. Aug. 9, 1836, is a chronic invalid (injured by a fall when a child), residing at Northampton, Mass.

6178. iii. Grace (Alida) Dwight, b. April 10, 1840, m. Henry C. Dowley.

*By second wife :*

6179. iv. Annie Metcalfe Dwight, b. June 19, 1844, m. Henry H. Porter.

6178. iii. Grace (Alida) Dwight, b. April 10, 1840, m. May 14, 1862, Henry Corbett Dowley, b. at Worcester, Mass., April 16, 1837 (son of Levi Austin Dowley, a retired merchant, and Calista Corbett), who is engaged in the clothing business in New York.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6180. i. Francis Dwight Dowley, b. April 6, 1863.

6181. ii. George Bliss Dowley, b. May 25, 1867, d. June 1867.

6182. iii. Mary Catharine Dowley, b. Feb. 26, 1873.

[Eighth Generation.]

6179. iv. Annie Metcalfe Dwight, b. June 19, 1844, m. Henry Hobart Porter, Sec. of the Metropolitan Fire Insurance Co. of New York. Two children :

6183. 1. Henry Hobart Porter, b. in 1865.

6184. 2. Francis Dwight Porter, b. 1869.



## [Seventh Generation.]

6123. ix. Laura Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford, b. Dec. 23, 1809), m. March 13, 1832, Capt. John Childe, b. Aug. 30, 1802, in West Boylston, Mass. (son of Zechariah Childe, a revolutionary soldier, and Lydia Bigelow, dau. of David Bigelow of Worcester, Mass.), grad. at West Point in ——. He was 1st Lieut. and Capt. in the U. S. A., and a superior civil engineer. He constructed "The Western R. Road" (from Pittsfield to Albany), "The Conn. River R. Road" and also "The Cleveland and Columbus R. Road," and "The Mobile and Ohio R. Road"—the last (300 miles long) being his great work as an engineer. He was a man of high-toned character, well educated, very energetic and generous in the use of his means. Mrs. Laura D. Childe was lost in "The Arctic," Sept. 27, 1854, with her daughter, Lelia Maria, on her return voyage from a tour of pleasure through Europe. He m. Oct. 23, 1856, for 2d wife, Ellen Wells Healy, by whom he had a son, John Healy Childe, b. Jan. 18, 1858. Capt. John Childe d. at Springfield Feb. 2, 1858.

## [Eighth Generation.] Children:

6185. i. Francis Dwight Childe, b. Jan. 18, 1833, d. Sept. 20, 1838.

6186. ii. Lelia Maria Childe, b. April 11, 1835, was lost at sea in "The Arctic," Sept. 27, 1854.

6187. iii. Mary Dwight Childe, b. August 9, 1845.

## [Seventh Generation.]

6124. x. Hon. George Dwight (son of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), b. May 20, 1812, m. Oct. 2, 1833, Mary S. Foote, b. July 16, 1812 (dau. of Adonijah Foote of Springfield and Clarissa Woodworth of Montville, Mass.), twin sister of Mabel Foote. He succeeded his brother, James Sanford Dwight, in conducting the large business operations which his father so successfully inaugurated and carried on for 30 years, which are now represented by the firm Homer Foote & Co. of Springfield. He has been at different times a member of both branches of the Mass. legislature, and is now Prest. of The Springfield Gas Co.

## [Eighth Generation.] Children:

6188. i. Clara Dwight, b. April 4, 1840, m. Nov. 26, 1857, William Steele Shurtleff, b. Feb. 17, 1830 (son of Roswell Shurtleff and Clara Gleason) grad. at Yale in 1854, a lawyer at Springfield and register of probate. One child:

6189. 1. Mary Dwight Shurtleff, b. Dec. 2, 1859.

6190. ii. Capt. James Scutt Dwight, b. April 24, 1836, has been for many years a sailor, and now commands and partly owns an East India vessel, named, from his birth-place, "The Springfield," which sails out from New York. He is unmarried.

6191. iii. George Dwight, Jr., b. Feb. 25, 1838, m. Oct. 17, 1861, Caroline Melita Freeman (dau. of Edmund Freeman of Springfield and Melita Morse). He is a manufacturer of steam machinery, at Springfield.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6192. i. Gertrude Freeman Dwight, b. June 31, 1864, d. Feb. 12, 1865.

6193. ii. Grace Freeman Dwight, b. Nov. 14, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

6125. xi. Delia Dwight (dau. of James Scutt Dwight and Mary Sanford), b. May 19, 1814, m. May 6, 1834, Homer Foote, b. July 27, 1810 (son of Adonijah Foote of Springfield and Clarissa Woodworth, dau. of Jesse Woodworth of Montville, Mass.), a merchant in Springfield, Mass., successor to the large business (Homer Foote & Co.) of James S. Dwight, Esq., and of his sons successively, James S. and George. As he and Mr. George Dwight married each other's sisters, their children are of course double cousins, and have had precisely the same ancestors back to Adam.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6194. i. Edward Foote, b. May 7, 1835, m. Mary Tyler of Boston. He is a metal broker in New York. No children.

6195. ii. Emerson Foote, b. April 28, 1837, m. a Miss Allen. He is a metal broker in New York. No children.

6196. iii. Homer Foote, b. Dec. 22, 1839, m. Oct. 22, 1863, Catharine Chambers Bailey, b. June 7, 1842 (dau. of John G. Bailey of New York). He is a merchant at Springfield. One child:

6197. 1. Homer Foote, b. July 5, 1865.

6199. iv. Cleveland Foote, b. Jan. 1, 1842, is a metal broker in New York.

6200. v. Maria Shepard Foote, b. May 12, 1844.

6201. vi. Francis Dwight Foote, b. Nov. 19, 1845.

6202. vii. Delia Dwight Foote, b. March 9, 1847.

6203. viii. James Dwight Foote, b. Feb. 14, 1850.

6204. ix. Laura Dwight Foote, b. Sept. 7, 1855.

6205. x. Sanford Foote, b. Jan. 6, 1858.

[The dates and facts which are wanting in the above family record were requested, but not furnished.]

[Sixth Generation.] See page 865.

6093. iv. Hon. Jonathan Dwight, Jr., b. Dec. 28, 1772 (son of Jonathan Dwight and Margaret Ashley), m. Jan. 8, 1798, Sarah Shepard, b. June 23, 1774 (dau. of Levi Shepard of Northampton, b. Jan. 1743, who d. Oct. 26, 1805, and Mary Pomeroy, b. in 1742

dan. of Genl. Pomeroy, who d. aet. 82, Oct. 20, 1824). He was grad. at Harvard in 1793, and read law with Hon. George Bliss of Springfield, where he also resided. He employed his large means in mercantile affairs, although not personally attentive to them, and was a shrewd and successful manager of money matters. He was at different times a member of both houses of the Mass. legislature. He was a man of culture and of exact and honorable ideas and conduct. On his tombstone is this epitaph: "Virtute vixit, memoria vivit:" his life was honorable; his memory is lasting. He d. March 29, 1840, aet. 67: she d. Dec. 24, 1848, aet. 73.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6206. i. Jonathan Dwight, b. Aug. 30, 1799, d. Sept. 28, 1856, aet. 57.

6207. ii. Mary Shepard Dwight, b. Feb. 28, 1801, m. Hon. George Bliss, and d. April 12, 1869, aet. 69.

6208. iii. Sarah Hopkins Dwight, b. Jan. 22, 1803, d. June 26, 1837, aet. 34. She m. Hon. George Bancroft, LL.D.

6209. iv. William Dwight, b. April 5, 1805.

6210. v. Thomas Dwight, b. Sept. 27, 1807.

6211. vi. Lucinda Dwight, b. July 7, 1809, m. Jonathan Chapman, Jr.

6212. vii. Eliza Wetmore Dwight, b. Aug. 19, 1811, d. April 9, 1817.

6213. viii. Frederic Dwight, b. June 23, 1815.

[1. Edward Shepard of Cambridge, Mass., the settler, was made freeman there in 1643. His first wife, Violet, d. Jan. 9, 1643. By his second wife, Mary, he had 4 children: John, Abigail, Deborah and Sarah.

II. Sergt. John Shepard (son of Edward) was admitted freeman in 1650, and removed to Hartford, Ct., between 1660 and 70. His first wife was Rebecca Greenhill. His children by her were: John, b. about 1660; Edward, b. in 1662; Samuel, in 1664, and Thomas, in 1666. These all lived and died in Hartford but Edward, who settled in Middletown, Ct. She d. and he m. for 2d wife Martha Henbury, by whom he had 7 children more, all daughters, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Sarah, Deborah, Hannah, Abigail and Violet. He d. in 1707, and was commonly called Sergeant John Shepard.

III. Dea. John Shepard (son of Sergt. John Shepard and Rebecca Greenhill), b. about 1660, m. in 1680 Hannah Peck, and for a 2d wife, in 1728, Mary Bigelow. His children, six in number, and all by the first wife, were: 1. John, b. in 1681, d. at Milford, Mass. 2. Samuel, b. about 1684. 3. Hannah, b. about 1686. 4. Joseph, b. in 1687. 5. Timothy, b. in 1697. 6. Rebecca, b. in 1698, d. in 1706.

IV. Samuel Shepard (son of Dea. John Shepard and Hannah Peck), b. about 1684, m. in 1709 Bethiah Steele. Their children were eight: 1. John. 2. James, b. in 1714. 3. Bethiah, b. in 1718. 4. Sarah,

b. in 1726. 5. Samuel, b. in 1728. 6. William, b. in 1732. 7. Amos, b. in 1738. 8. Samuel, b. in 1750.

V. James Shepard (son of Samuel), b. in 1714, m. Nov. 1737 Sarah Hopkins. He d. at Hartford in 1790. His children, 8 in number, were: Lucy; Levi, b. Jan. 1743; James; Ruth; Asher; Epaphroditus; Wealthy; Theodore.

VI. Levi Shepard (son of James Shepard and Sarah Hopkins), b. Jan. 1743, resided in Northampton, where he d. Oct. 26, 1805, aet. 62. He m. May 26, 1771, Mary Pomeroy. They had 6 children:

1. Mary Shepard, b. April 28, 1772, m. Dr. Aeneas Monson of New Haven, Ct., grad. at Yale in 1780, and d. in 1852.

2. Sarah Shepard, b. June 23, 1774, m. Jonathan Dwight, Jr., of Springfield.

3. Levi Shepard, b. Oct. 19, 1776, m. Elizabeth Hutchins.

4. Thomas Shepard, b. March 27, 1778, m. at Suffield, Ct., Catharine Tryon, dau. of John Tryon.

5. Charles Shepard, b. April 11, 1780.

6. John Shepard, b. March 5, 1782, m. Henrietta Tryon, by whom he had one son, John Tryon Shepard of Kenosha, Wis. By his 2d wife, Jeanette, he had no children.

Frederic Dwight, Esq., of Agawam, says of his grandfather, Levi Shepard: "He came from Hartford, Ct., and was an old-fashioned, stately merchant, who made voyages on his own account to England, and a liberal gentleman in his ideas and habits." Of his sons he says: "These were gay and festive gentlemen in their day, and inclined to the liberal side in politics; in fact, rather the leaders of that party in the county—causing the great deep of society in Northampton to boil like a pot; on which they looked down and smiled blandly from their eyrie on Round Hill." |

[Seventh Generation.]

6206. i. Jonathan Dwight, Jr. (son of Jonathan Dwight and Sarah Shepard), b. Aug. 30, 1799, m. Sept. 5, 1825, Ann Bartlett, b. June 26, 1798 (dau. of Thomas Bartlett of Boston and Alice Fitzpatrick). He was a merchant in Boston for some 10 years, when he removed to Springfield, where he resided for 20 years (1830–50). The last six years of his life he spent at Newport, R. I., where he d. Sept. 28, 1856, aet. 57. "He was a man of strict integrity, kind and benevolent, and much beloved." His widow resides still (1874), as she has for many years past, at New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6214. i. Anna Bartlett Dwight, b. July 5, 1826, m. Lt. Charles T. Baker.



6215. ii. Jonathan Dwight, b. Aug. 29, 1831.

6214. i. Anna Bartlett Dwight, b. July 5, 1826, m. Dec. 3, 1851, Lt. Charles Taintor Baker, b. at Windham, Ct., April 13, 1821 (son of Col. Rufus L. Baker, U. S. A., and Eliza Taintor), grad. at West Point in 1842. After having served for 3 years as Lt. U. S. A. with his regiment in Florida, at Jefferson Barracks, Fort Jesup and Fort Towson, he was ordered to West Point, N. Y., as Ass't Instructor of infantry tactics in the U. S. Military Academy there, where he remained (1845-51) until June 1851, and resigned his commission in the army Dec. 31, 1851. He has been twice in Europe (1861-2 and 1869-70). His residence was for several years (1863-9) in Madison, N. J. Since 1870 he has resided in the summer at Windham, Ct., and in the winter at New York. Children :

6216. 1. Ella Baker, b. Sept. 7, 1852.

6217. 2. Cora Baker, b. April 18, 1858.

6218. 3. Anna Dwight Baker, b. May 18, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

6215. ii. Jonathan Dwight, 3d (son of Jonathan Dwight, Jr., and Ann Bartlett), b. Aug. 29, 1831, m. Feb. 26, 1857, Julia Lawrence Hasbrouck, b. April 1, 1836 (dau. of Garret D. Hasbrouck of New York, and Julia Lawrence). He was grad. at Harvard in 1852, and is by profession a civil engineer. Since 1861 he has resided in Madison, N. J. Two children :

6219. 1. Jonathan Dwight, b. Dec. 8, 1858.

6220. 2. Arthur Dwight, b. Oct. 10, 1863.

[Seventh Generation.]

6207. ii. Mary Shepard Dwight (dau. of Jonathan Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Shepard), b. Feb. 28, 1801, m. April 20, 1825, Hon. George Bliss, b. Nov. 16, 1793 (son of George Bliss of Springfield and Hannah Clark), grad. at Yale in 1812, was a distinguished lawyer at Springfield. He was aid in the war of 1812 to Genl. Jacob Bliss for a few months, acquiring thereby the title of Colonel.

He was several times a member of the Mass. legislature; Prest. of the Senate in 1835, Speaker of the Lower House in 1853, and a member of the Executive Council in 1848 and 9, and in 1852 a State Presidential Elector. He devoted himself largely to railroad enterprises and interests. He was one of the chief originators of the Boston and Albany R. Road, of which he was for several years general agent (1836-42), and afterwards for three years its President (1843-6). He published also a history of this road. He was likewise one of the originators of the Hartford and Springfield R. Road. He was Prest. successively of the Mich. Southern R. Road (1850-2); of the Chicago and Missis-

issippi R. R. (1853-4); and again of the Mich. Southern (1853-60). He was also at one time an active director of the Chicago and Rock Island R. Road.

He was a warm friend of local improvements and charities in his native town. To the City Library of Springfield he gave the land on which its building stands (worth \$20,000, beside \$10,000 in cash). He was a public-spirited man generally. He d. full of years and honors, April 19, 1873, aet. 79. She d. April 12, 1869, aet. 68. She possessed unusual mental ability and energy. She was especially active during the late war in assisting Soldiers' Aid Societies.

[George Bliss, Esq. (father of Hon. George Bliss, who m. Mary Shepard Dwight) was an eminent lawyer, State-councillor and senator, a deacon in the First Cong. Ch. and one of the Visitors of Andover Theol. Seminary. He was also a member of "The Hartford Convention." He was b. Dec. 13, 1764, and grad. at Yale in 1784. He m. May 22, 1789, Hannah Clark, b. May 19, 1764 (dau. of Dr. John Clark of Lebanon, Ct., b. Jan. 7, 1728, and Jerusha Huntington, b. Aug. 24, 1731. She was dau. of Col. Jabez Huntington of Windham, Ct., and Elizabeth Edwards, dau. of Rev. Timothy Edwards of E. Windsor, Ct., and so sister of Prest. Jonathan Edwards). He d. March 8, 1830, aet. 65.

His parents were Judge Moses Bliss, Esq., of Springfield, grad. at Yale in 1755, and Abigail Metcalf (dau. of William Metcalf). Judge Moses Bliss was a superior lawyer and judge of the Court of Common Pleas. His parents were Jedediah Bliss of Springfield and Rachel Sheldon, dau. of Joseph Sheldon of Suffield, Ct., and Mary Whiting, who was dau. of Joseph Whiting of Hartford and Mary Pyncheon (dau. of Hon. John Pyncheon of Springfield and Amy Wyllys, dau. of Hon. George Wyllys. See, for account of Whiting ancestry and kindred, Goodwin's Geneal. Notes, pp. 344-6, etc., and for Pyncheon ancestry page 630).] Hon. George Bliss had but two children:

[Eighth Generation.] Children.

6221. i. Sarah Dwight Bliss, b. June 3, 1826, m. Hon. George Walker.

6222. ii. George Bliss, b. May 3, 1830, grad. at Harvard in 1851, where he afterwards also studied law, and at Springfield. He edited, with Hon. David A. Wells (see page 872), 3 successive volumes of "The Annual of Scientific Discovery," and prepared with him "The Science of Familiar Things." He has been twice in Europe (1846-7 and 1851-3), the last time for the purpose of studying some of the modern languages in their own habitat—taking a pedestrian tour meanwhile of 1,500 miles in Southern Germany and Switzerland. In 1856 he established himself in his profession at New York. On Jan.

1, 1859, he was appointed private secretary to Gov. Morgan, holding the office for one year. On the breaking out of the late war he was made Aid on the Gov.'s Staff and Paymaster General of the State (1861-2); from which positions he derived the title of Colonel (like his father). In 1861-2 he was appointed Captain in the 4th N. Y. Heavy Artillery (Vols.), and was detailed as Aid on the Staff of Gov. Morgan as Major General commanding the department of New York. As Paymaster General he paid, in the summer of 1862, the first bounty to N. Y. troops, amounting to some  $3\frac{1}{2}$  millions of dollars—disbursing most of it personally in sums of \$50 each to the soldiers. He organized also, in 1862, under authority from the U. S. Secy. of War, three colored regiments (the 20th, 26th and 31st U. S. C. Troops). For several months he had charge also of The Park Barracks in New York, and had about 17 thousand sick and wounded soldiers pass under his charge. It was a part of his official duty at the same time (1861-2) to see that the troops which arrived at New York from time to time (often 10 or 12 thousand of them) were provided for while remaining there. It was he who originated in the main the movement, in 1864, to send a "Thanksgiving Dinner" to the soldiers, which proved to be a great success. At the close of the war he returned to the practice of his profession in New York. In 1866 he was made attorney of The Metropolitan Board of Health in New York, and of the Board of Excise.

Since Jan. 1, 1873, he has been "U. S. Attorney for the Southern District of New York." He m. Oct. 22, 1856, Catharine Van Rensselaer Dwight, b. March 29, 1835 (dau. of Francis Dwight, Esq., of Albany, N. Y., and Catharine Van Rensselaer Schermerhorn. See page 877, No. 6176. i.) No issue.

[Eighth Generation.]

6221. i. Sarah Dwight Bliss (dau. of Hon. George Bliss of Springfield, Mass., and Mary Shepard Dwight), b. June 3, 1826, m. Oct. 24, 1849, Hon. George Walker, b. April 1, 1824 (son of James Walker of Peterboro, N. H., and Sally Smith of Cavendish, Vt.), grad. at Dartmouth in 1842, and at Harvard Law School in 1845. He resides at Springfield, Mass. He was State Senator (1858-9), and Bank Commissioner of Mass. (1860-4). In 1865 he went to Europe as a special financial agent of The U. S. Treasury, and published in the "*Revue des Deux Mondes*," at Paris, France, an article on the finances and resources of the United States, which was widely distributed in pamphlet form in English, French and German, and attracted much attention in Europe. He was Prest. for some years (1864-72), of "The Third National Bank of Springfield," and for a short time of "The Western Union Telegraph Co." in New York (1869-71).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

- 6223. i. Louisa Dwight Walker, b. Nov. 8, 1850.
- 6224. ii. James Smith Walker, b. May 20, 1854.
- 6225. iii. Arthur Walker, b. May 12, 1857, d. Feb. 8, 1858.
- 6226. iv. Philip Walker, b. June 29, 1859.
- 6227. v. Mary Bliss Walker, b. Nov. 29, 1861, d. Sept. 21, 1870.
- 6228. vi. Ariana Walker, b. July 23, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

6208. iii. Sarah Hopkins Dwight, b. Jan. 22, 1803 (dau. of Hon. Jonathan Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Shepard), m. March 1, 1827, Hon. George Bancroft, LL.D., b. Oct. 3, 1800 (son of Rev. Aaron Bancroft, b. at Reading, Mass., Nov. 10, 1755, son of Dea. Samuel Bancroft and Lydia Parker, grad. at Harvard in 1778, and settled as an Unitarian clergyman at Worcester, Mass., for 54 years [1785-1839] and Lucretia Chandler). He was grad. at Harvard in 1817, and spent two years afterwards at Göttingen, Germany, in study. He was tutor at Harvard for one year (1822-3). He conducted, with J. G. Cogswell, "The Round Hill School" for several years at Northampton, Mass. In 1834 he published volume i. of his voluminous History of the United States the large sale of which, with its succeeding volumes, brought him long since a fortune. He has received many honors at home and abroad. He was made Secretary of the Navy (1845-6) by Prest. James K. Polk, and was sent as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Great Britain in 1846. In 1849 he was authorized, jointly with Richard Rush, to negotiate a postal treaty with Great Britain and France. Under Prest. Lincoln he was sent as U. S. Minister to the Court of Berlin, Prussia, which office he still (1873) holds.

Mrs. Sarah Dwight Bancroft, d. June 26, 1837, aet. 34. [He m. for a 2d wife, Aug. 16, 1838, widow Betsey Bliss, *né* Davis, widow of Alexander Bliss, Esq., law-partner of Daniel Webster. By this 2d marriage he had one child, Susan Jackson Bancroft, b. May 30, 1839, who d. Oct. 27, 1845, aet. 6].

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 6229. i. Sarah Dwight Bancroft, b. Aug. 18, 1831, d. Jan. 11, 1832.
- 6230. ii. Louisa Dwight Bancroft, b. Jan. 20, 1833, d. Aug. 9, 1850, at Springfield, Mass.
- 6231. iii. John Chandler Bancroft, b. April 24, 1835.
- 6232. iv. George Bancroft, b. Feb. 16, 1837, grad. at Harvard in 1856, resides in France. He m. in St. Coulomb, France, a French lady, Miss Louise Tailandier.
- 6231. iii. John Chandler Bancroft, b. April 24, 1835, grad. at



Harvard in 1854, m. Aug. 11, 1864, Louisa Maria Denny (dau. of Edward Denny of Barre, Mass., b. May 19, 1806, and Cornelia Maria Larned). He is an artist painter at Cambridge, Mass., residing with his family at Milton, Mass. Children:

6233. 1. Wilder Dwight Bancroft, b. Oct. 1, 1867.

6234. 2. Paulina Bancroft, b. Oct. 27, 1869.

[Seventh Generation.]

6209. iv. William Dwight (son of Jonathan Dwight, Jr., and Sarah Shepard), b. April 5, 1805, grad. at Harvard in 1825, m. at Salem, Mass., Sept. 16, 1830, Elizabeth Amelia White, b. May 4, 1809 (dau. of Judge Daniel Appleton White and Mary Wilder). He practised law for several years (1828-48) at Springfield, Mass., but afterwards devoted himself with great energy and success to practical rather than professional pursuits. He was Treasurer for nearly 20 years (1848-67) of two cotton manufacturing companies, "The Pepperell" and "Laconia," whose mills are located at Biddeford, Me., having his office in Boston and his residence at Brookline, Mass. Since 1867 he has had no special employment of a public kind.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6236. i. Brig. Genl. William Dwight, b. July 14, 1831, at Springfield, was for 3 years (1846-9) at a military school in West Point, and for 4 years afterwards at the U. S. Military Academy there (1849-53), resigning without graduation. He m. Jan. 1, 1856, Anna Robeson (dau. of Thomas Robeson of New Bedford, Mass., and Sibyl Washburn). He was (1853-61) a manufacturer at Boston, and afterwards at Philadelphia, where he resided when the news of the attack upon Fort Sumter summoned him to new duties. On May 14, 1861, he took the commission of Captain in the 13th Regt. U. S. Infantry, and in June 1861 was commissioned Lt. Col. in the First Regt. of The Excelsior Brigade (Danl. E. Sickles, Col.)—the 70th Regt. N. Y. Vols. He was the only officer of a military education in his regiment, and drilled and instructed it with enthusiastic diligence and the most effective results for good.

His brigade was a part of Genl. Hooker's Division in the autumn of 1861, and was concentrated in Nov. at Budd's Ferry, Md. On April 6, 1862, they embarked for Yorktown, Va., where they remained until May, when our troops, with his brigade at their head, entered the place in triumph. The next day the battle of Williamsburgh occurred. In the morning his regiment went into the contest 800 strong, and at night showed only a shattered remnant of less than 400 effective men, with empty cartridge-boxes and fixed bayonets—having lost two field-officers in the fearful fray and 21 company officers. He was wounded three

times in this battle, once in the thigh, once in the forehead and once severely in the groin, and left for dead upon the field, but found alive afterwards by the rebels and claimed as a prisoner of war. For his gallant conduct at this time he was made Brig. General, and was assigned to Genl. Banks' Division in the Department of the Gulf, where he arrived in charge of troops destined to that department, Feb. 12, 1863, and was at once put in command of the First Brigade of Genl. Grover's Division and ordered to Baton Rouge. Genl. Grover led the advance brigade in the movement made on Port Hudson, and Genl. Dwight led the advance regiment of that brigade, and was praised deservedly for the rapidity and effectiveness of his operations. He was one of the commission appointed to settle the terms of surrender. His commanding officer in recommending him for promotion said: "He has shown signal ability in his command, always ready and competent for any duty, fertile in resources, never idle and never doubting." His brigade was conspicuous also in the military operations carried on near the Teche, at Irish Bend and elsewhere. In May 1864 he distinguished himself as the chief of Genl. Banks' staff in the Red River campaign, and is said to have saved the army in their retreat by his bravery at the head of his brigade.

In July 1864 he was put in command of the First Division of the 19th Army Corps, under Sheridan, in the Shenandoah Valley, Va. During the following autumn he rendered most important service in the battles of Winchester, Fisher's Hill and Cedar Creek. In the last-named battle he is said to have "saved the army: his division outstripped the rebel cavalry that day." The rebels never thought of doubting that Lee would be victorious in the end, until after the victories won by Sheridan's troops during the autumn of 1864. He remained in the army for some months after the war.

He resides now (1874) at Cincinnati, O., and is occupied with the affairs of the White Valley R. Road. He has one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. William Arthur Dwight, b. June 3, 1867.

6237. ii. Lt. Col. Wilder Dwight, b. April 23, 1833, at Springfield, grad. at Harvard Coll. in 1853, and at the Law School in 1855, travelled in Europe for a year, and established himself in practice as an attorney in Boston (1857-61). Everything now in his well-earned position was fitted to flatter and feed his professional ambition. "He had youth and health, fortune and friends, a profession in which he delighted, the practical talents which smooth the way in it, and the confidence in himself which made labor light." But in the hour of his country's need he gave up for its welfare all his own personal advantages and successes, without a moment's hesitation. For the defense of law and the support of the great cause of the hour—the cause,

as he felt, not only of his country, but of universal humanity—he deliberately and earnestly embarked upon the dangers that lay before him. He joined, May 24, 1861, the 2d Mass. Regt. of Inf. Vols. as Major, which office he held until June 13, 1862, when he was made Lt. Col. in it by Gov. Andrew of Mass. He was a man of great power of will and concentration of purpose, and was, whether in peace or war, manly, courageous and self-possessed, having a mind of superior mould, thorough intellectual culture, and habits of earnest, victorious application to whatever he had in hand. He was accordingly eminently fitted, both by nature and by his fine acquirements, for handling effectively the higher elements of professional, practical, or military success. He was, therefore, as a matter of course, a brave and skilful officer. His whole heart was in the great contest before him. In the retreat of Genl. Banks through the Shenandoah Valley, he was distinguished for his daring, and was taken prisoner at Winchester, Va., May 25, 1862, while looking after the safety and comfort of some of his wounded men, but was paroled, and on the evening of June 2 got back to his comrades. A captain, who saw him running towards them, exclaimed, “Good Heavens, the Major!” The officers rushed forth to meet him, and lifted him up in their arms; the men could not be restrained, but broke camp, and poured down upon the Major with the wildest enthusiasm. Having arranged for an early exchange with a rebel major, to return again to the field, he made a rapid visit at his home (June 5–22), where he was tenderly and pressingly urged by those who could influence him most to renounce forever the dangers and glories of war. His high-souled reply is worth recording: “The last year,” he said, “has been the richest of my life. For the first time in my life I have been sure, every day, that I was doing good. I have worked hard in the profession of the law, and gained cases for people, and they have been very grateful to me; but I never knew, with certainty, whether I had done them good or not. Now I know, every day that I live, that I do good to those poor fellows in our regiment, and I shall not give it up. I would not, if I could; and I could not, if I would, with honor. Then, as to my life, my experience at Winchester taught me that that is God’s care, not mine. I took no care of it, then, myself. I was all the time in front of the line; I went forwards into the most exposed positions possible. I saw a dozen men take aim at me. I was as safe there as I should have been at home, and I shall be so again till God’s time comes to take my life; and when that time comes I am perfectly willing to give it up.” His home was no longer with his life-long and most dearly beloved friends, but with his regiment. He did not succeed, however, in effecting the anticipated exchange for several weeks longer, and returned home again to spend a month or



more, and on Aug. 13 was back again in "Camp near Culpepper, Va.," rejoicing in the privilege, but greatly saddened at the same time by the many proofs of the desolating fury with which the battle of Cedar Mountain had just passed over his regiment, in which 2,500 of the corps went down before the foe in a few hours. Within but little more than a month from this time he himself was numbered by multitudes of friends, old and new, among "the lost and the loved" that they should see no more.

He was mortally wounded at Antietam, Md., Sept. 17, 1862, and died, two days afterwards, of his wounds. On the morning of Sept. 17 he wrote in pencil on a sheet of paper, which he afterwards put in his pocket, the following letter: —

"DEAR MOTHER:—It is a misty, moisty morning. We are engaging the enemy, and are drawn up in support of Hooker, who is banging away most briskly. I write in the saddle, to send you my love, and to say that I am very well so far." Chaplain Quint said of him, in reference to this engagement: "Colonel Dwight was as active and efficient as ever. It was not for several hours that our regiment went into action. I am told of his daring, that after our regiment had captured a rebel flag, he galloped up and down the lines with it, amid the cheers of the men, reckless of the fire of the enemy." His last act, before receiving his mortal wound, was to walk along the line of the regiment, which was drawn up under the shelter of a fence, and direct the men to keep their heads down out of reach of the enemy's fire. Col. Andrews thus wrote of him: "Lt. Col. Dwight was wounded within three feet of me. He had just come from the left of the regiment, and was about to speak when the ball struck him. He fell, saying, 'They have done for me.' The regiment was soon ordered to fall back, and men were ordered to carry him; but the pain was so intense that he refused to be moved." Here, while alone upon the field, between the two armies, he took from his pocket the note which he had written in the morning and added to it the following touching words:—

"DEAREST MOTHER:—I am wounded, so as to be helpless. Good-by, if so it must be. I think I die in victory. God defend our country. I trust in God and love you all to the last. Dearest love to father and all my dear brothers. Our troops have left the part of the field where I lie. Mother, yours,

WILDER."

On the opposite page he added, in larger and firmer characters, these words: "All is well with those that have faith." The paper was stained with his blood.

As his men came afterwards and carefully lifted him up to carry him into a neighboring corn-field, he said to them: "Now, boys, don't



think that because I'm wounded I've any less spirit than I had before: I feel just the same." Genl. Gordon, who rode up near to him at this time, says: "As I reined up my horse his eye met mine and almost exultingly saluted me. At this moment bullets whistled over our heads: shot and shell crashed through the trees; and I said, I must have you removed from here. He replied, "Never mind me: whip them." To Chaplain Quint he said afterwards: "Don't feel bad: it's all right! all right. I know I'm done for, but I want you to understand I don't flinch a hair. I should like to live a few days so as to see my father and mother. They think a good deal of me, especially my mother—too much; but apart from that, if God calls for me this minute, I am ready to go." When Col. Andrews sent him afterwards word of our success in the battle, he exclaimed joyfully: "It is a glorious time to die." At the last, after saying to his chaplain that he trusted in the Lord Jesus Christ, his Saviour, he said: "My mother! tell her, I do love my mother. Tell her, I do trust in God: I do trust in the Lord Jesus—nothing else." These were his last words, except that fifteen minutes before he died he said: "Oh my dear mother!" "Thus died, as he had lived," says that fond mother, "a brave, gallant, noble man: a hero and a Christian: cheerful to the last, considerate, happy"—a faithful, brave, unselfish, devoted soldier, act. 29, unmarried. See, for fuller account, "The Life and Letters of Lt. Col. Wilder Dwight," prepared by his mother. Boston, 1868.

6238. iii. Daniel Appleton Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1836, was for many years a cotton-broker in New York and Boston. He is now Pres. of the White Water Valley R. Road, and resides in Cincinnati, O. He m. June 6, 1870, Mary Silsbee Peele (dau. of J. Willard Peele of Boston and Sarah Silsbee). One child:

\*\*\*\* 1 Jane Appleton Dwight, b. May 14, 1871.

6239. iv. Capt. Howard Dwight, b. in Springfield, Mass., Oct. 29, 1837, grad. at Harvard in 1857, was a young man of warm impulses, frank, generous, energetic and straightforward, with high and strong notions of right and honor, and most exuberant spirits. He was the leader of his class in College in mental force and scholarly attainments. After leaving College he went to Memphis, Tenn. (Sept. 1859), to oversee the building and running of a cotton-press, where he remained at work. How courageously he asserted in that slave State his ardent love for free ideas and institutions, is manifest from one of his letters at that time to his friends at home, to whom he said that "he went about among his secession friends crying: Liberty and Union, one and inseparable!" and added, "I don't know that it did any good, but it certainly raised agreeable emotions in my breast, if not in theirs."

He became 1st Lt. Sept. 1, 1861, in Capt. Stackpole's Co., in the

24th Mass. Regt.; and on Oct. 4, 1861, joined Genl. Fremont, and was appointed by him 2d Lt. in Co. C, 4th Miss. Cavalry, Fremont Hus-sars, and March 1, 1862, was commissioned by the Gov. of Miss. as 1st Lt., and Nov. 4, 1862, was made Capt. of the same, to rank as such from Sept. 4, 1862. On Nov. 10, 1862, he was appointed by Prest. Lincoln Asst. Adj. Genl., with the rank of Capt., and ordered to report to Brig. Genl. George L. Andrews. In the department of the Gulf, to which he was now transferred, he was very active and useful. He participated in all the stirring scenes of the Teche campaign during the spring of 1863, where he distinguished himself by his gallantry, and often amid great exposures to danger.

He was murdered, May 4, 1863, near Bayou Bœuf, La., by three rebel soldiers, who were on the opposite side of the Bayou, at the water's edge. They asked him, "Who are you?" to which he replied, and "Who are you?" when they immediatly levelled their rifles at him, and he sur-rendered himself, being alone in advance of his men, who were follow-ing slowly after him at a distance. One of them said: "He's a damned Yankee; let's kill him!" Capt. Dwight calmly replied: "You must not fire; I am your prisoner." But again they said to one an-other, "Kill the damned Yankee;" and immediatly one of them fired. The ball passed through Capt. Dwight's brain, killing him instantly. With calm courage this accomplished scholar and soldier met his des-perate fate. While his remains lay at New Orleans, under guard of the 47th Mass. Regt., the Union Association of colored women covered them early in the morning every day with fresh flowers, having first draped every article of furniture in the room with white linen, on which they had stitched green leaves, emblems of hope in his death for him and for them. At the funeral services preceding the departure by sea of the escort that bore his remains northwards to his home, the hymn was sung with tender interest which he had been specially fond of singing and hearing sung: "I would not live alway."

6240. v. Thomas Dwight, b. Oct. 5, 1840, d. Sept. 1, 1841.

6241. vi. Lt. Charles Dwight, b. May 5, 1842, was in Harvard Coll. in the class of 1862, and in the fall of 1861 entered the Union Army as 2d Lieut. in the Excelsior Brigade, of the 70th N. Y. Regt., in which his brother, afterwards Genl. William Dwight, was then Lt. Col. He was appointed in a few months to the signal corps, in which he served during the siege of Yorktown and the battles of Williamsburgh and Lee's Mills, and received a flag for gallant conduct in these battles. In-consequence of the disablement for service of the Capt. and First Lieut. of his company, by wounds, he became acting captain of it, and led it bravely, without scar or scratch, into all the battles of the Peninsula, as Fair Oakes, Oak Grove, Peach Orchard, Savage Station, Glendale

and Malvern Hills. After the last-named battle he was placed on Genl. Sickles' staff, and took part in the battles of Bristow Station and of Grovetown, or, the second Bull Run (Aug. 27 and 29, 1862); in which last one he was taken prisoner, and marched off 70 miles or more, with little food and many indignities, to "Libby Prison." The coarse and brutal rebels exhibited their prisoners on the way thither as "negro drivers." Under his imprisonment, though brief, he became greatly emaciated. On being paroled and brought to Annapolis, Md., he heard of his bro. Wilder's death, and obtaining a furlough went home to Boston to attend his burial. Here he remained, on account of sickness, a few weeks, when he returned again to duty on Genl. Sickles' staff, and participated in the attack upon Fredericksburg. He was then placed upon the staff of his bro. William, and went with him to the Department of the Gulf (Feb. 1863). In May following he went home with the dead body of his brother, Capt. Howard Dwight, bearing it tenderly to the dear soil of the free North. He returned speedily to his post of duty, to share with his elder brother the perils and honors of the great conflict still impending. When Genl. William Dwight went, in May 1864, on his Red River campaign, where he greatly distinguished himself, Lt. Charles Dwight was prostrate with typhoid fever in New Orleans. From its debilitating effects he was compelled to leave the army, and resigned his post in it, July 1864. With the other soldier members of his class at Harvard, he received his degree at the commencement of 1862 as a graduate.

"He saw a great deal of service," said his brother, Capt. Howard Dwight, of him to the writer, when in New York on recruiting service in 1863, "was in many battles in the thickest of the fight, and never received a scratch. He is regarded as the military hero of the family, and is talented, energetic and remarkably plucky." He is a broker in Boston. He m. Oct. 18, 1865, Marianne Humphrey Welch (dau. of Francis Welch and Mary Ann Humphrey). Has one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Wilder Dwight, b. April 20, 1868.

6242. vii. Chapman Dwight, b. April 30, 1844, is Vice Prest. of the White Water Valley R. Road, and resides at Cincinnati, O.

The military record of this family is very remarkable. There have been many brave patriot-soldiers of both our name and our blood, who have fought with renown against the Indians, the French, the British, and the rebels of the late war, in different periods of our national history; but nowhere else within the bounds of our family have four brave souls flowered out together at one time, within the precincts of one home, as defenders in the battle-field of their country's life and honor. All praise to them, and to the mother that trained them to dare and do such high-souled deeds!

[Seventh Generation.]

6210. v. Thomas Dwight (son of Hon. Jonathan Dwight and Sarah Shepard), b. Sept. 27, 1807, grad. at Harvard in 1827, m. Oct. 26, 1842, Mary Collins Warren (dau. of Dr. John Collins Warren of Boston, b. Aug. 1, 1778, and Susan Powell Mason, dau. of Hon. Jonathan Mason, whom he m. Nov. 17, 1803. He was the son of the distinguished Dr. John Warren of Boston, b. July 27, 1753, who d. April 4, 1815, and Abigail Collins, dau. of Gov. John Collins of Newport, R. I., whom he m. in 1777, and who d. in 1832). He has long been a resident of Boston, and is without professional business.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6243. i. Prof. Thomas Dwight, M.D., b. Oct. 13, 1843, grad. at Harvard Med. School in 1867, is a physician in Boston, and Prof. of Anatomy in Bowdoin Coll., Brunswick, Maine, since 1872.

\*\*\*\* ii. Susan Lyman Dwight, b. Aug. 15, 1847, d. June 7, 1850.

\*\*\*\* iii. Mason Warren Dwight, b. Jan. 5, 1849, d. June 23, 1850.

\*\*\*\* iv. James Dwight, b. in Paris, France, July 14, 1852, is now a member of Harvard College.

\*\*\*\* v. Mary Veronila Dwight, b. April 7, 1856.

[Seventh Generation.]

6211. vi. Lucinda Dwight (dau. of Jonathan Dwight and Sarah Shepard), b. July 7, 1809, m. April 25, 1832, Jonathan Chapman, Esq., b. Jan. 30, 1807 (son of Jonathan Chapman and Margaret Rogers), grad. at Harvard in 1825, a lawyer at Boston, and at one time Mayor of the city. He d. May 25, 1848. His widow resides in Milton, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6244. i. Jonathan Chapman, b. March 11, 1836, grad. at Harvard in 1856. He was an A. A. Paymaster in the U. S. Navy in the late war, from Nov. 4, 1862, to March 9, 1865, when he resigned the office. He was afterwards Treasurer of The White Valley R. R. Co. in Cincinnati, O.

6245. ii. Eliza Chapman, b. March 10, 1838, m. April 10, 1866, Jotham William Post of New York, b. Jan. 11, 1838 (son of Jotham Wm. Post, a wholesale druggist in New York, and Angelina Thayer, whose adopted name was Byers).

[Seventh Generation.]

6213. viii. Frederic Dwight (son of Jonathan Dwight and Sarah Shepard), b. June 23, 1815, grad. at Harvard in 1834, and studied law at the Harvard Law School (1835-6) under George Story. He was one of the pioneers in the Rock River valley before the Winnebagoes left it, and reclaimed a section from the wilderness near Prophetstown,



III. He was one of the few that survived the disaster of the explosion of the Moselle, near Cincinnati, in the spring of 1838. In 1843 he crossed the Rocky Mountains, to the north of the Columbia, in advance of the exploring expedition, and went thence to Europe, and returned to America in 1847. In 1853 he settled in Agawam, Mass. He m. April 13, 1854, Joanna Theresa Durham, b. Aug. 31, 1833 (dau. of John Durham of Middleton, Cork Co., Ireland, and Mary Ring, dau. of William and Mary Ring of same place. John Durham was the son of Bartholomew Durham and Joanna Kearney. "The Durhams," says Mr. Dwight, "are soldiers, mechanics and scholars: the Rings are country gentry and yeomanry.")

[Eighth generation.] Children:

6246. i. Alfred Dwight, b. Feb. 23, 1855.

6247. ii. Edwin Dwight, b. April 6, 1857.

6248. iii. Frederic Pomeroy Dwight, b. July 15, 1859, d. May 27, 1865. Says his father of him: "He was a wonder of beauty and brightness, so that many thought that he would die young; but his house—and he was the light of it—did not look for his departure: he was baptized in the communion of the Roman Catholic Church."

6249. iv. Edgar Dwight, b. Sept. 23, 1862.

6250. v. Sarah Cecilia Dwight, b. Feb. 22, 1865.

6251. vi. Eugene Dwight, b. March 22, 1868.

6252. vii. John Dwight, b. Feb. 24, 1870.

6253. viii. Sophia Shepard Dwight, }  
6254. ix. Walter Dwight, } twins, b. June 25, 1872.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 865.

6095. vi. Sophia Dwight (dau. of Jonathan Dwight, Senior, and Margaret Ashley), b. Sept. 4, 1776, m. Feb. 1800, James Byers of Springfield, Mass., an army contractor in the war of 1812 (son of James Byers and Hannah Bicker), b. in New York in 1771. She d. Feb. 23, 1803, aet. 27. She had a daughter that d. soon, unnamed. He m. for 2d wife widow Sarah Duncan, *née* Brown (dau. of William Brown and Ann Boucher), previously wife of Robert Duncan of Boston. He d. Feb. 22, 1854, at Springfield, leaving no issue. He adopted as his daughter Angelina Thayer, afterwards Mrs. Jotham W. Post of New York.

[Sixth Generation.] See page.

6096. vii. Edmund Dwight (son of Jonathan Dwight, Senior, and Margaret Ashley), b. Nov. 28, 1780, grad. at Yale in 1799, read law, although never practising it, and became a merchant, first at Springfield and afterwards at Boston.



*Eben Dwyer*



"He was," says Prof. Francis Bowen of Harvard (see *Am. Journal of Education*, Sept. 1837), "an eminent member of a remarkable class of men, the merchant-princes of Boston, during the last half century—a class remarkable alike from the nature of the enterprises by which they acquired their wealth, from the high qualities of intellect and character which were manifested in their undertakings, and from the munificence of their public and private charities. He was the compeer and the associate of the Eliots, the Appletons, the Lawrences, the Perkinses and other distinguished merchants, whose liberality, foresight and public spirit have contributed so largely, not only to the material prosperity of New England, but also to her high commercial prosperity both at home and abroad. They extended the bounds of her foreign trade, devised and supported her manufacturing establishments, planned and built her railroads and created or endowed her institutions of charity and education. A few of them obtained eminence as legislators and statesmen, though political pursuits never formed more than a brief episode in their active career. Generally they preferred to serve great public ends in a private station, where their influence was not less extensively felt because it was never obtrusively manifested."

His mother d. while he was yet young. His father, while possessed of large means had been from the first a man of thorough habits of work, and while keeping store cultivated also a piece of land, in working which, for profit and pleasure, his sons also assisted him. Here Edmund Dwight acquired in his youth thrifty habits, and learned to practise many an useful maxim of well-aimed effort. He studied law with Fisher Ames of Dedham, Mass.; in whose society, and that of the kindred spirits for intellect and character that gathered about him, he imbibed ideas and inspirations that greatly colored afterwards his social and political aims and endeavors. After completing his law studies he spent two years of travel in Europe (1802-4), during which he heard the great Pitt in some of his finest efforts. In 1804, at the age of 24, with such a splendid preparation for an active and useful life of the highest and best kind, he entered into business arrangements with his father and brothers in their large mercantile operations at Springfield. Here he displayed to the full those same marked characteristics which so many others of the name have been conspicuous for possessing—a strong love of independence, a disposition to constant mental activity, an iron will and great steadiness of purpose. His convictions were always clear and positive, and his use of means to effect desired ends was ingeniously varied and pertinaciously pursued until he was successful in his efforts or found that success was really beyond his reach.

He m. April 19, 1809, Mary Harrison Eliot (dau. of Samuel Eliot, an eminent and liberal merchant of Boston, and Catharine Atkins of



Newburyport, Mass., dau. of Joseph Atkins and Mary Dudley, dau. of Gov. Joseph Dudley of Mass. Samuel Eliot, Esq., founded, among other public benefactions, "The Eliot Professorship of Greek Literature in Harvard").

Of her says Prof. Bowen (see Memoir): "Her sweetness of disposition and firmness of Christian principle diffused sunshine throughout the sphere in which she moved. Ill health, attended by great suffering, cast a shadow over many of her years; but the gloom never touched her character or chilled her feelings. There was an atmosphere of goodness about her which not even a comparative stranger could approach without acknowledging its genial and sunny effects: even her beneficence; it seemed, could be better spared than the influence of her visible example; and it seemed that her peculiar province was to render goodness attractive by the charm of her manner and the silent teachings of her character." Born in Boston May 15, 1788, she d. there Oct. 12, 1846, aet. 58.

[Her sister, Catharine Eliot, m. Prof. Andrews Norton of Harvard, and their sister, Anna, Prof. George Ticknor. Dudley Atkins, the brother of her mother, Catharine Atkins, assumed, in 1790, the name of Tyng, in order to perpetuate the name, which had become extinct in the family, and m. Sarah Higginson, and these became the parents of Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, D.D., of New York.]

In 1816 Edmund Dwight removed to Boston, where, with James K. Mills as a partner, he soon became engaged in large manufacturing enterprises. He founded in their interest the new and now large and flourishing village of Holyoke, Mass. His house at Boston had for several years the principal direction of cotton-mills, machine-shops and calico-printing works in which some 3,000 persons were constantly employed. He took also an active part in the construction of "The Western R. Road" (from Worcester to Albany), of which he was long a director, and for one year (1849) President, in which year he died. He was a man of large fortune, and disposed to make a liberal use of it for objects of public importance. "He was a sagacious and practical philanthropist," says Prof. Bowen, "far-reaching in his purposes and patient in their execution, finding perhaps pleasure in contending with difficulties. He gave his whole energies to raise the standard and enlarge the means of popular education. A State-Board of Education was established, chiefly through his exertions, consisting of the Gov., Lt. Gov. and 8 other members, whose duties were to collect information, devise plans, and make recommendations promotive of the great object in view." Horace Mann was chosen to be the Secretary of this Board, and for 16 years Mr. Dwight gave five hundred dollars annually for his better support in the office, beside the sum granted to its incumbent by vote

of the State Legislature. In a few months after his appointment he placed in the hands of Mr. Mann, who was a man quite after his own heart, the sum of ten thousand dollars, and provided for the payment of a like sum annually on condition that an equal amount should be appropriated by the legislature for the same great general objects, which was promptly done. Larger donations had been previously given by Massachusetts men to some of the higher departments of education, but his was the greatest and the first given to advance the cause of education in general—for the direct benefit, as Horace Mann expressed it, “of all the heart and all the mind extant, or to be extant, in our beloved commonwealth.”

Beside giving largely of his funds, and beyond the amounts here specified, to make the Mass. school system what it has since become, and has done by its influence in shaping the school system of the other Northern States, he was indefatigable in his personal endeavors to carry out his ideas: it was the great business of his riper manhood. “There needs,” say Prof. Bowen, “no prouder inscription for any man’s tombstone than to say of him, that he was a principal agent in accomplishing so magnificent a work.” While unswerving in his convictions of duty, he was yet tolerant of others’ honest differences of opinion, but he abhorred all shams. His habits were simple and regular, and those of true and happy home-growth. He was thoughtful and earnest: moral truths filled and swelled the currents of his inward consciousness; and the richly laden theological writings of the best English divines of the 17th century were his special delight. There have been quite a large number of the family of like mould and model in their characters with him; and in respect to his mental and moral characteristics he was a fine typical specimen of the higher class of Dwights. In his plans of present and future usefulness he was not oblivious of the honored past of our country’s history, but was, in 1812, one of the founders of “The American Antiquarian Society” of Boston.

He d. suddenly at Boston, from a pleuritic attack, April 1, 1849, æt. 69. He and the father of the writer were classmates at Yale. They were born in the same year, in neighboring towns, the one in Springfield and the other in Northampton, and both died of the same disease, in the spring of the year, one in 1849 and the other in 1850. Whoever will turn to the account given of Benjamin Woolsey Dwight, M.D., pp. 175–7, or to that of either of his brothers, Timothy or William (sons of Prest. Dwight of Yale), or to that on subsequent pages, of Henry Dwight, Esq., of Geneva, N. Y., brother of Edmund Dwight of Boston, will see in all these different members of the family wonderful correspondences of character, or, more clearly stated, the normal type of the

Dwight temperament as exhibited in some of its most characteristic specimens. Such names, and many like them, are the jewels of our family history.

Judge Theophilus Parsons, Prof. of Law at Harvard (1848-70), thus speaks of Edmund Dwight in a letter to Prof. Bowen: "To many he seemed harsh, severe and self-withholding; and to many I believe that he was so. He did not think well of mankind. He was sagacious and sharp-eyed, and could detect through any disguise any of the many elements of character which constitute untrustworthiness. He saw these quite too often, and expected to see them very often. Therefore he distrusted most persons, and, however courteous in manner, kept them at a distance; but he did not love to distrust others. When he had satisfied himself that he might safely give his confidence he gave it, as one does what he is glad to do: he did it fully and unreservedly. And then he indulged himself in being kind, benevolent and useful to a degree in which, if I were to speak from my own experience or observation, I should say that he was surpassed by no man. No one more perfectly respected my freedom of thought, utterance and act, than did he through all our long intimacy. He was well educated, and read a good deal, and read thoughtfully and with wise selection, and profited by what he read. More than any other person whom I have known, he seemed to me to reconcile the antagonistic qualities of boldness and caution. He appeared to me to be eminently a man that did not make mistakes. I have supposed that his great success in life was built up, step by step, by the same combination of caution and courage and of sagacity and executive force which I thought that I saw him constantly manifest."

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

- 6255. i. Samuel Eliot Dwight, b. July 24, 1810, d. Dec. 1, 1831.
- 6256. ii. Henry Dwight, b. April 30, 1812, d. in infancy.
- 6257. iii. Charles Eliot Dwight, b. March 19, 1814, d. Jan. 1825.
- 6258. iv. Catharine Atkins Dwight, b. May 26, 1816, d. June 30, 1835, aet. 19.
- 6259. v. Anna Cabot Lowell Dwight, b. Nov. 15, 1818, m. Charles H. Mills, d. June 30, 1835, aet. 19.
- 6260. vi. Mary Eliot Dwight, b. Jan. 24, 1821, m. Dr. Samuel Parkman of Boston.
- 6261. vii. Sophia Dwight, b. June 9, 1823, m. Judge John Wells.
- 6262. viii. Edmund Dwight, b. Sept. 3, 1824.
- 6263. ix. Ellen Dwight, b. Oct. 15, 1828, m. May 19, 1852, Hon. Edward Turner Boyd Twisleton of London, Eng. He was b. in Colombo, Ceylon, and was the son of Hon. Thomas James Twisleton. She d. May 18, 1862, without issue. He resides now (1874) in London,



having no profession, but occupying himself much with politics and literature. He is also a member of "The Civil Service Commission."

6264. x. Elizabeth Dwight, b. Feb. 13, 1830, m. James E. Cabot.

6259. v. Anna Cabot Lowell Dwight (dan. of Edmund Dwight and Mary H. Eliot), b. Nov. 15, 1818, m. June 10, 1839, Charles Henry Mills, b. Sept. 25, 1812 (son of Hon. Elijah Hunt Mills of Northampton and Harriet Blake, his 2d wife. See, for account of the genealogy of this family, the History of the Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. pp. 1481-2). He was a merchant formerly, in Boston, but resided latterly, retired from business, in Cambridge, Mass., where he d. April 18, 1872, aet. 59.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6265. i. Charles James Mills, b. Jan. 8, 1841, grad. at Harvard in 1860. He entered the Union army Aug. 14, 1862, as 2d Lt. 2d Mass. Regt. Vols., and was made 1st Lt., Aug., 17, 1862, in same regt. ; 1st Lt. 56th Mass. Vols., Aug. 22, 1863 ; Captain, July 7, 1864 ; Asst. Adj. Genl., Aug. 6, 1864 ; Brevet Major, Jan. 1865. He was shot through both thighs at the battle of Antietam, Md., and was honorably discharged, in consequence of this wound, in April 1863, but in August 1863, as soon as he was able to walk, he re-enlisted in his country's service. In March 1865 his regiment joined the Ninth Corps at Annapolis. From that time he was constantly in active service. He took part in the great battles of the Wilderness, Spottsylvania, North Anna, Shady Grove, Bethesda and in the siege of Petersburg. He fell March 31, 1865, at Hatcher's Run, Va. He was of a gentle and manly spirit, intellectual, frank and genial.

6266. ii. Arthur Mills, b. Nov. 1850, is in Nebraska (1873) in the employment of the Burlington and Missouri R. R. Co.

[Seventh Generation.]

6260. vi. Mary Eliot Dwight (dau. of Edmund Dwight and Mary H. Eliot), b. Jan. 24, 1821, m. May 7, 1849, Samuel Parkman, M.D., of Boston, b. Jan. 21, 1815 [son of Samuel Parkman and Mary Bromfield Mason, dau. of the celebrated Jonathan Mason of Boston, who was grad. at Princeton in 1774, and d. at Boston Nov. 1, 1831. He was U. S. Senator (1800-3) and M. C. (1817-20).] He was one of the most distinguished of the Boston physicians for his years. He d. Dec. 15, 1855, aet. 37. Children :

6267. 1. Henry Parkman, b. May 23, 1850, grad. at Harvard in 1870, is a lawyer at Boston.

6268. 2. Ellen Twisleton Parker, b. Nov. 18, 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

6261. vii. Sophia Dwight, b. June 9, 1823, m. May 15, 1850, Judge



John Wells, LL.D., b. at Rowe, Mass., Feb. 17, 1819 (son of Col. Noah Wells of that place and Sarah Reed), grad. at Williams in 1838, practised law at Chicopee, Mass., for 16 years (1842-58), and at Springfield, Mass., for 6 years (1858-64), where he was Judge of Probate and Insolvent Court for 5 years (1858-63). Since Oct. 1, 1866, he has been judge of the Supreme Court of Mass. He was member of the Mass. Legislature in 1849, 51, 57 and 65. He resided at Chicopee 8 years (1842-50), Chicopee Falls 19 (1850-69), and since June 1, 1869, has resided at Longwood, Brookline, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6269. i. Mary Eliot Wells, b. Aug. 7, 1851.

6270. ii. John Walter Wells, b. Dec. 10, 1854.

[Seventh Generation.]

6262. viii. Edmund Dwight, Jr., b. Sept. 3, 1824, grad. at Harvard in 1844, is a merchant in Boston. He m. Jan. 24, 1855, Ellen Randolph Coolidge, b. in Boston (dau. of Joseph Coolidge and Ellen Randolph, dau. of Gov. Thomas Mason Randolph of Va., and granddaughter of Prest. Thomas Jefferson). In Feb. 1871 he was requested by a committee of leading Boston merchants to go to Europe and superintend the distribution of the fund raised by subscription in Boston for the relief of the suffering caused in France by the recent war, and was gone on this errand of mercy six months. A ship (The Worcester) had been despatched from Boston, just previously to his departure, loaded with flour, beef, pork and other provisions designed to meet the immediate wants of the most pressing kind, of some at least of the multitudes of suffering people at that time in France. He found on his arrival there the usual facilities for the transportation and distribution of such bulky articles so utterly disarranged and destroyed, that he determined to sell the cargo in London, whither the vessel had been consigned, and to use the avails of the sale for the benevolent purposes contemplated. These amounted to \$85,000 and more: the most wise and effective use of which sum in a truly beneficiary way necessitated much active and careful attention on his part to the many different opportunities that were everywhere presented to him for its use. In an interesting "Report to the Executive Committee of the French Relief Fund," of some 60 printed pages (Boston, Alfred Mudge & Son, 1872), a full account is given of the distribution of this local specimen of international charity. Mr. Dwight has had no children.

6264. x. Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Edmund Dwight and Mary H. Eliot), b. Feb. 13, 1830, m. Oct. 1857, James Eliot Cabot, b. in Boston, June 18, 1821 (son of Samuel Cabot and Eliza Perkins), grad. at Harvard in 1840, a lawyer in Boston.



*David A. Wells*



[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6271. i. Francis Eliot Cabot, b. in Boston, Feb. 6, 1859.

6272. ii. Edward Twisleton Cabot, b. in Brookline, Mass., Sept. 13, 1861.

6273. iii. Thomas Handasyde Cabot, b. there Jan. 11, 1864.

6274. iv. Charles Mills Cabot, b. there April 9, 1866.

\*\*\*\* v. Richard Clark Cabot, b. May 21, 1868.

\*\*\*\* vi. Philip Cabot, } twins, b. Aug. 11, 1872.

\*\*\*\* vii. Hugh Cabot, }

[Sixth Generation.] See page

6097. viii. Henry Dwight (son of Jonathan Dwight, Senior, of Springfield and Margaret Ashley), b. June 25, 1783, grad. at Yale in 1801, was, like his 3 elder brothers, a man of great force of character and of widely acknowledged success, as well as of great influence over others for their good. He early became a partner in the mercantile family firm at Springfield, of which the eldest brother, James, was the head. For the better furthering of their business he spent a year in England, but on his return from thence he relinquished his fine prospects of pecuniary advantage in order to prepare himself to preach the gospel of Christ. He went first to New Haven, to pursue his studies under Pres't Dwight, and afterwards to Princeton. After being settled at Utica, N. Y., for a short time (1813-17), as pastor of the First Presb. Ch., he was compelled to cease preaching, most reluctantly on his own part, on account of the loss of his voice. He was able, earnest and successful in his brief pulpit career. He was direct and pungent in his style of preaching, and both faithful and affectionate in pastoral labor. More than 100 communicants were added at one time to the church under his ministry.

He removed in 1817 to Geneva, N. Y., and established there "The Bank of Geneva," whose history for the nearly 40 years of its existence was one of honor to its founder and of great value to all that region of the State, whose exchanges it so greatly facilitated and whose resources it so largely developed. From its first origination to the expiration of its charter in 1853, it never failed to divide ten per cent. per annum to its stockholders, beside a large amount in extra dividends. His superior financial abilities, coupled with his manifest moral excellence, won for Mr. Dwight the highest public estimation. He was known and honored far and wide for his perspicacity, sound judgment, sense of justice and unbending purpose to do always what was in his view right. Nor did his business habits destroy at all his relish for practical religious effort. He showed in all his life of shining usefulness at Geneva, through 40 long and happy years, that his heart was fully set



upon the progress of God's kingdom among men. His labors as an elder in the Presb. Ch. of that place were varied and abundant, and especially in the lecture-room, and, most of all, in Bible-class instruction, which he was very fond of giving. His Greek Testament, interlined and annotated from beginning to end, showed that his love for the critical study of God's word in the original remained unimpaired to the end. Through all his life the thorough predominance of Christian principle over all his conduct was manifest.

He was active in founding the American Home Missionary Society, and was, from the first, one of its directors, and for 20 years its President (1837-57); and greatly did his wise suggestions and earnest efforts promote its interests. At the age of 60 he withdrew from the absorbing cares of business, with large means in his possession, in order to secure the more time for religious thoughtfulness and usefulness.

He was of medium size, of slender figure, having a dark complexion, dark hair and hazel eyes. He m. May 17, 1814, widow Susan Miles Sill, *née* Hopkins (widow of Elisha Eaton Sill of Geneva, and dau. of Samuel Hopkins of Goshen, Ct., and Mary Miles of Salem, Ct. She was sister of Hon. Samuel M. Hopkins of Albany, N. Y.). She was b. March 20, 1782, and d. Aug. 30, 1860, aet. 78. "Mrs. Dwight, with her gentle, hopeful, courageous spirit, lightened her husband's cares, while her wit, intelligence, good breeding and benevolence, made her, for 40 years, one of the principal attractions of the society of Geneva. Those only can know the important part which she performed in the religious interests of Geneva who were the witnesses at all times of the grace, intelligence, kindness and never-failing resources of this truly Christian lady" (see "Hist. Geneva, N. Y.," by Mrs. S. H. Bradford).

Mr. Dwight's private charities were large. He never allowed what seemed to him "a deserving case" to pass unheeded from his notice. He was one of the earliest and noblest of the happily ever-increasing host of princely givers to good causes peculiar to modern times, and especially to Christian America. He abounded also in the grace, not at all common in our times, of a generous Christian hospitality in his own home.

He was ever on the lookout for some new service of usefulness to the community. He it was who first suggested (about 1829) to Hon. Edward C. Delavan, that he should devote himself to the energetic promotion of the Temperance Cause, then in its inception in the land, and followed up the suggestion with earnest persistency until he accomplished the desired result. They worked ever afterwards together in this great cause, keeping up an active correspondence concerning its in-



Yours affectionately  
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terests and necessities, and contributing each largely of their funds for its furtherance.

When there was no lunatic asylum in the State, he was strongly impressed with the feeling that it was one of the greatest social needs; and he employed at his own expense several agents to go through every county and gather up in all directions, public and private, what statistics they could concerning the condition of the insane. The facts thus obtained he published in a circular, containing at the same time an urgent plea for the establishment of a State lunatic asylum, after the model of the one founded at Worcester by the State of Massachusetts. This he presented for several successive years to the N. Y. legislature at the opening of their annual session. The result was the State Lunatic Asylum at Utica.

In 1831 the Rev. Miles P. Squier established at Geneva, N. Y., a "Lyceum" (a sort of lay college) for the preparation of students uneducated at college for pursuing the studies of a theological course. This institution, which continued about 6 years, numbered, when at its greatest height, 56 students in attendance at one time. The tuition fees of a large number of them were regularly paid by Mr. Dwight.

He d. Sept. 6, 1857, æt. 74. On Sept. 28th following, the Executive Committee of the A. H. M. S. adopted the following resolution: "Resolved, that we recognize in this dispensation (his death), so afflictive to the church of God and to all Christian and philanthropic enterprises, a peculiarly severe bereavement to this institution—the loss of one of its earliest, most constant and distinguished patrons and friends; and that we desire to record our deep sense of his eminent ability, and of his exalted worth, and his broad and comprehensive views of the divine government and of human responsibility, the simplicity of his Christian character, the strength of his faith, his stern regard for principle, his inflexible integrity, his large-hearted benevolence, his careful observance of all the proprieties and courtesies of life, his entire devotedness to the will of God and his meetness when the summons came for the joy of his Lord."

The Trustees of Auburn Theol. Seminary passed also similar resolutions expressive of their sense of "bereavement of one of their earliest and warmest friends, and for 30 years one of the Trustees of that institution," and expressing "their gratitude to God for having been permitted to enjoy so long his wise counsels—having uniformly found it safe to follow where his judgment led the way."

He had been for 38 years a member of the Geneva Presbytery, and was described affectionately by one of them as, "although never filling the pastoral office among them, having been always beloved for his sympathies and valued for his counsels."



After making out of his large property, of several hundred thousand dollars, such provision for his family as seemed to him to be right and best, he bequeathed the remainder to various benevolent societies as follows :

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| I.   | To the A. H. Miss. Society, | 30 per cent |
| II.  | “ Am. Bible Society,        | 15 “        |
| III. | “ A. B. C. F. M.,           | 15 “        |
| IV.  | “ Am. Tract Society,        | 15 “        |
| V.   | “ Am. S. S. Union,          | 15 “        |

VI. To various charitable societies, the remaining ten per cent. The whole was to be paid in 10 annual instalments, and the provision made for his widow during her life was to be distributed at her decease, in the proportion designated, to the various societies and objects above-named. He had, while living, given a thousand dollars annually for many years (some 30 years it is believed) to the treasury of the A. H. M. S.

His nephew, William Dwight, Esq., of Boston, well expressed in a letter, at the time of his death, the estimate in which he was held by his friends : “ His record is made up ; and I know of nothing that I would alter in it if I could. Defects of temperament he may have had in the eyes of some ; defects of character I never saw in him. Life was to him a serious scene of action and duty ; and I always admired the serene cheerfulness with which he sustained his part in it. It would have been easier for some to have loved him had he been less strict in his ideas of duty and of more gaiety of heart ; but it was difficult to resist loving him when you knew how kindly his nature was ; how strong were his affections, and how childlike was his conscientiousness, and with what simplicity he led his daily life in conformity with his ideas of duty. With strong passions, a strong will and great energy of character, he had subdued his nature into the quietness of a lake, which reflected the scenery of this world and of another in forms that filled his heart with love and praise. He was interested in all knowledge, and was one of the pleasantest and most instructive of all companions.”

[Seventh Generation.] Children of Henry Dwight of Geneva :

6275. i. Edmund Dwight, b. Oct. 14, 1815.

6276. ii. Mary Eliot Dwight, b. June 18, 1817, m. Henry L. Young.

6277. iii. Henry Dwight, b. April 14, 1819.

6275. i. Edmund Dwight, b. Oct. 14, 1815, grad. at Yale in 1835. After twice visiting Europe for his health, he was for about five years Cashier of the first Bank of Geneva, and afterwards for about four years engaged in mercantile life in New York. Since then he has been nom-

inally retired from business, although participating in various enterprises. He has contributed to newspapers and magazines occasional articles, chiefly, though not exclusively, on questions of finance and public economy, and is connected with several public and charitable institutions as director or trustee.

He m. Dec. 3, 1849, Harriet Allen Butler, b. at Albany, N. Y., April 3, 1821 (dau. of Hon. Benjamin F. Butler of New York and Harriet Allen). [Hon. Benjamin F. Butler was Attorney General of the U. S. under Genl. Andrew Jackson (1834-7). With Hon. John C. Spencer, Esq., of Albany, he was one of the authors of the Revised Statutes of New York. He was an active Christian worker, and especially in the line of Sabbath School labor.]

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6278. i. Susan Hopkins Dwight, b. Aug. 22, 1851, d. June 20, 1862, "a lovely, intelligent child beyond her years."

6279. ii. Henry Butler Dwight, b. March 15, 1853, is Asst. Secy. of the St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute R. R.

6280. iii. Franklin Butler Dwight, b. Jan. 16, 1855, is now (1874) in "The College of New York."

6281. iv. Edmund Dwight, b. Nov. 23, 1856, is now (1874) in "The College of New York."

6282. v. Harriet Butler Dwight, b. Nov. 28, 1858.

[Seventh Generation.]

6276. ii. Mary Eliot Dwight (dau. of Henry Dwight and Susan M. Hopkins), b. at Utica, N. Y., June 18, 1817, m. June 4, 1842, Henry Lathrop Young, b. at New York, Aug. 28, 1818 (son of Henry Young and Mary Hyde (dau. of Capt. James Hyde of Norwich, Ct., and Martha Nevins). He was a merchant (hardware and fancy goods) in New York for several years. He has resided since 1853 at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., with no special business in hand.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6283. i. Henry Dwight Young, b. April 26, 1843, d. April 2, 1862.

6284. ii. Edmund Young, b. June 1, 1845, is in the drug business in New York.

6285. iii. James Hyde Young, b. Jan. 29, 1847, is in the fancy-goods business in New York (Schuyler, Hartley & Graham).

6286. iv. Mary Dwight Young, b. Oct. 18, 1851.

6287. v. William Hopkins Young, b. April 3, 1855.

[Seventh Generation.]

6277. iii. Henry Dwight, Jr. (son of Henry Dwight, Esq., of Geneva, N. Y., and Susan M. Hopkins), b. at Geneva, N. Y., April 14, 1819, m. Nov. 25, 1846, Mary Bushnell, b. at Hudson, N. Y., Nov. 19, 1820

(dau. of Campbell and Catharine Bushnell). He resides at New York. No children :

[Fifth Generation.] See page 863.

6087. iv. Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Capt. Edmund Dwight and Elizabeth Scutt), b. June 4, 1749, m. May 16, 1771, Hon. Samuel Fowler, b. Sept. 5, 1747 (son of Samuel Fowler and Naomi Noble, dau. of Luke and Ruth Noble), grad. at Yale in 1768, a lawyer at Westfield, Mass. She d. Dec. 18, 1784, aet. 35. He m. for 2d wife, Dec. 11, 1786, Jemima Lyman of Northampton, b. Feb. 5, 1761 (dau. of Capt. William Lyman of Northampton and Jemima Sheldon). See, for full account of her lineage, Hist. of Strong Family by the author, pp. 1123-4. He was a member of the Mass. Senate and of the Assembly at different times, and of the State Constitutional Convention in 1820, and a large proprietor in the purchaser of the Conn. Western Reserve, O. He d. Nov. 26, 1823, aet. 74. His dau. Frances, by this 2d marriage, became the wife of Hon. Henry Williams Dwight of Stockbridge. See page 752.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6288. i Elizabeth Fowler, b. Feb. 1, 1772, m. Judge Joseph Lyman, d. July 16, 1808.

6289. ii. Frances Fowler, b. April 6, 1774, d. Dec. 21, 1794, on the eve of her marriage with Dr. Pomeroy of Albany, N. Y. He dreamed two successive nights that she was sick and near her end. He became so impressed, in consequence of these dreams, with the idea that she really was sick that he started from Albany to visit her; which was at a time when it took from two to three days instead of a few hours, as now, to go from one place to the other. He met, while on his way to Westfield, a messenger announcing her death. The coincidences in the case were singular, indeed, but of no significance in a superstitious way, since happening only once, and only casually, among a myriad failures of similar import.

6290. iii. Samuel Fowler, b. April 29, 1777, pursued part of the College course of study at Yale, and d. at Pittsburgh, Pa., March 18, 1803.

6288. i. Elizabeth Fowler, b. Feb. 1, 1772, m. Jan. 10, 1792, Judge Joseph Lyman, b. Oct. 22, 1767 (son of Capt. Joseph Lyman, Jr., of Northampton and Mary Sheldon, dau. of Benjamin Sheldon of Northampton and Mary Strong, dau. of Ebenezer Strong, Jr., and Mary Holton. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. ii. p. 1123). He was grad. at Yale in 1783, practised law for a few years at Westfield, Mass. (1787-94), and then removed to Northampton, where he lived for 50 years and more, afterwards. He was clerk of the courts of

Hampshire Co., Mass. (1798-1810), judge of the court of common pleas and probate for a short period (1810-), and sheriff of Hampshire Co. for almost 30 years (1816-45). He d. Dec. 11, 1847, aet. 80. She d. July 16, 1808, aet. 36, the mother of 6 children. He m. for 2d wife, Oct. 11, 1811, Ann Jean Robbins of Milton, Mass., b. July 1789 (dau. of Hon. E. H. Robbins). By this marriage he had 5 children. See Lyman genealogy, Albany, 1872, p. 394, for further details.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6291. i. Elizabeth Lyman, b. Oct. 16, 1792, at Westfield, m. Samuel Henshaw.

6292. ii. Edmund Dwight Lyman, b. at Westfield, Nov. 20, 1795, d. June 1834, aet. 38, on his return from China. He was previously in business in Troy, N. Y.

6293. iii. Frances Fowler Lyman ("Fanny"), b. Aug. 31, 1797, d. Jan. 11, 1809, aet. 12, at Medford, Mass., where she was at school.

6294. iv. Judge Samuel Fowler Lyman, b. May 3, 1799.

6295. v. Mary Lyman, b. March 27, 1802, m. Thomas Jones, d. in 1834.

6296. vi. Jane Lyman, b. April 22, 1804, m. Stephen Brewer.

6291. i. Elizabeth Lyman, b. Oct. 16, 1792, m. Sept. 12, 1814, Samuel Henshaw of Boston, b. April 22, 1789 (son of Judge Samuel Henshaw of Northampton and Martha Hunt). She resided after his death at Boston.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6297. i. Samuel Henshaw, b. about 1815, d. unmarried.

6298. ii. Joseph Lyman Henshaw, b. about 1817, resides in Boston, m. Jane Bradlee, and has had 3 children.

6299. iii. Ann Brooks Henshaw, b. about 1820, is unmarried.

6300. iv. John Hunt Henshaw, is unmarried. He was b. about 1823

6301. v. Francis Henshaw, b. about 1826, m. Laura Nourse, and has had two children.

[Sixth Generation.]

6294. iv. Judge Samuel Fowler Lyman, b. May 3, 1799, grad. at Harvard in 1818, was a lawyer at Northampton. He was for many years Register of probate (1827-55). Since 1858 he has been Judge of probate and insolvency at Northampton. He m. Nov. 27, 1824, Almira Smith, b. July 29, 1799 (dau. of Benjamin Smith of Hatfield, Mass., and Lois Warner).

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6302. i. Elizabeth Lyman, b. April 10, 1828, resides unmarried at Northampton.

6303. ii. James Fowler Lyman, b. Aug. 28, 1830, grad. at Harvard



in 1850, studied law at the Harvard Law School. He is engaged in Life Insurance business at Newark, N. J.

6304. iii. Harriet Willard Lyman, b. April 3, 1834, resides unmarried at Northampton.

6305. iv. Benjamin Smith Lyman, b. Dec. 11, 1835.

6306. v. Mary Lyman, b. Aug. 10, 1837, resides unmarried at Northampton.

6305. iv. Benjamin Smith Lyman, b. Dec. 11, 1835, grad. at Harvard in 1855, studied geological and mining engineering in Paris for 2 years, and in Freiburg, Germany, for one. He was for some time a mining engineer in Philadelphia, and has been since that time engaged in the service of the British Govt. in Hindustan; exploring the country in search of petroleum.

[Sixth Generation.]

6295. v. Mary Lyman (dau. of Judge Joseph Lyman and Elizabeth Fowler), b. March 27, 1802, m. about 1828, Thomas Jones of Enfield, Mass. He d. at Amherst, Mass.: she d. there in 1834.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6307. i. Thomas Jones, b. in 1830, resides at Havana, Ill.

6308. ii. Joseph Lyman Jones, b. in 1832, resides at Lecompton, Kansas.

6309. iii. William Greene Jones, b. in 1834, resides in Knoxville, Ill.

[Sixth Generation.]

6296. vi. Jane Lyman (dau. of Judge Joseph Lyman and Elizabeth Fowler), b. April 22, 1804, m. Stephen Brewer of Northampton, a manufacturer. He was drowned in the Connecticut river Aug. 17, 1842. She d. March 5, 1859, aet. 55. Their children were: Hannah Elizabeth, Frances and Jane Lyman, who d. Dec. 24, 1860.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 863.

6088. v. Sarah Dwight (dau. of Edmund Dwight and Elizabeth Scutt), b. Oct. 30, 1751, m. July 16, 1772, Benjamin Day, Jr., of W. Springfield, Mass., b. April 23, 1747 (son of Col. Benjamin Day and Eunice Morgan, who were m. Oct. 9, 1742), grad. at Yale in 1768. He was a manufacturer of hats at W. Springfield for the Boston market. He was of that party, with his wife and little son, who, as already described, went with Major Timothy Dwight and his sister, Mrs. Eleanor (Dwight) Lyman and Dr. Sereno Dwight, his son, to Natchez in March 1776. See pages 213-15. Under sketch of the family of Dr. Sereno Dwight, a full account of the perils of their return may be found. Mr. Day staid several years in Savannah, Ga., where he found

employment as a bookkeeper, and did not return to Springfield, Mass., until 1786. He d. March 24, 1794, aet. 47. She d. at W. Springfield June 17, 1785, aet. 33.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

6310. i. Henry Day, b. March 23, 1773, d. Oct. 10, 1811.

6311. ii. Sarah Day, b. in 1778, d. in 1779.

6310. i. Henry Day, b. March 23, 1773, took up his father's business at his death, and continued it as well as his indifferent health and early death would allow. He m. May 31, 1794, Mary Ely (dau. of William Ely of W. Springfield and Lucilla Brewster of Windham, Ct., descended in the 4th generation from Elder Wm. Brewster of The Mayflower). He d. suddenly Oct. 10, 1811, aet. 38. She d. June 1, 1859, aet. 84, in New York.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6312. i. Sarah Dwight Day, b. March 20, 1796, m. George Dutton.

6313. ii. Drusilla Brewster Day, b. Jan. 24, 1798, m. Henry Morse.

6314. iii. Alfred Ely Day, b. April 15, 1800, d. Oct. 15, 1811.

6315. iv. Nancy Day, b. July 9, 1802, m. Moses Y. Beach.

6316. v. Mary Day, b. Dec. 10, 1806, m. Joseph Perkins.

6317. vi. Benjamin Henry Day, b. April 10, 1810.

6312. i. Sarah Dwight Day, b. March 20, 1796, m. Jan. 1, 1817, George Dutton, b. Aug. 20, 1789 at E. Haddam, Ct. (son of Amasa Dutton and Mary Rogers). He was for two years and more after his marriage a teacher at Philadelphia, but afterwards all his life a dealer in music and piano-fortes at Utica. He was also a musical composer. He d. Dec. 21, 1854, aet. 65. His widow still resides at Utica.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6318. i. George Dutton, b. Dec. 13, 1818, d. July 10, 1864.

6319. ii. William Henry Dutton, b. Dec. 25, 1820.

6320. iii. Mary Day Dutton, b. Oct. 12, 1823, m. Dr. Theodore Pomeroy.

6321. iv. Sarah Dwight Dutton, b. Aug. 18, 1825, m. Rev. Dr. J. H. McIlvaine.

6322. v. Elizabeth Bushnell Dutton, b. April 28, 1829, d. July 20, 1847.

6318. i. George Dutton, Jr., b. Dec. 13, 1818, was a dealer in sheet-music and the piano-forte for several years (1845-58) at Rochester, N. Y., and afterwards a licentiate in the Presb. ministry, preaching for some two years in Rochester and Detroit, Mich. His health was always feeble, and he had to intermit preaching on that account. He m. April 18, 1846, Elizabeth Pease of Rochester, b. in Hartford, Ct., Sept. 1824 (her parents being both from Somers, Ct., and her mother a McKinstry). He d. at Utica, July 10, 1864. Children :

6323. 1. Mary Evelyn Dutton, b. Feb. 1851, d. Jan. 1856.

6324. 2. Anne Dutton, b. Nov. 1853, d. June 1854.

[Eighth Generation.]

6319. ii. William Henry Dutton (son of George Dutton and Sarah Dwight Day), b. Dec. 25, 1820, m. Dec. 31, 1846, Mary Huntington Dalliba, b. June 20, 1826 (dau. of Major James Dalliba, U. S. A., of Rome, N. Y., and Susan Huntington, dau. of Gurdon Huntington of Rome and Anna Perkins). He was a dealer in music and piano-fortes in Utica for many years, succeeding his father in his business. Since 1865 he has been engaged in the same business in Philadelphia. Two children:

6325. 1. William Dalliba Dutton, b. Dec. 1, 1847.

6326. 2. Edward Tracy Dutton, b. Jan. 6, 1850, d. Aug. 31, 1857.

[Eighth Generation.]

6320. iii. Mary Day Dutton, b. Oct. 12, 1823, m. June 11, 1845, Theodore Pomeroy, b. Jan. 14, 1820 (son of Dr. Theodore Pomeroy of Utica and Mary Fuller, dau. of Dr. Thomas Fuller of Cooperstown, N. Y.), a manufacturer of floor oil-cloth at Utica.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6327. i. George Dutton Pomeroy, b. April 19, 1846.

6328. ii. Theodore Pomeroy, b. Jan. 14, 1849, d. April 11, 1859.

6329. iii. Florence Evelyn Pomeroy, b. July 23, 1854.

[Eighth Generation.]

6321. iv. Sarah Dwight Dutton (dau. of George Dutton and Sarah Dwight Day), b. Aug. 28, 1825, m. Jan. 12, 1846, Rev. Joshua Hall McIlvaine, D.D., b. at Lewes, Del., March 4, 1815 (son of David McIlvaine of Lewes and Jane Hall), grad. at Princeton Coll. in 1836, and at The Theol. Sem. in 1840, was settled over The Westminster Presb. Ch. at Utica for 5 years (1843-8), at Rochester, N. Y., over the First Presb. Ch. for 12 years (1848-60). He was Prof. of Belles Lettres and of The English Language and Literature at Princeton from 1860 to 1872. He is now pastor of a Presb. Ch. at Newark, N. J.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6330. i. Joshua Hall McIlvaine, b. Nov. 13, 1846, grad. at Princeton in 1866.

6331. ii. Elizabeth Dutton McIlvaine, b. Sept. 28, 1848.

6332. iii. Mary Day McIlvaine, b. Aug. 16, 1851, d. Aug. 12, 1853.

6333. iv. Alice May McIlvaine, b. June 19, 1854.

6334. v. Maude McIlvaine, b. March 12, 1863, d. April 3, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

6313. ii. Drusilla Brewster Day (dau. of Henry Day and Mary Ely),

b. Jan. 24, 1798, m. March 20, 1818, Henry Morse, b. at Westfield, Mass., March 19, 1790 (son of Jacob Morse, b. April 12, 1752, who d. Dec. 6, 1819, and Naomi his wife, b. Sept. 1, 1759, who d. in 1802), a cabinet-maker at Philadelphia, Pa. He d. May 1858, aet. 60 : she d. Sept. 29, 1833, aet. 35.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6335. i. Mary Ely Morse, b. at Philadelphia Feb. 13, 1819, resides unmarried at Washington, D. C.

6336. ii. Jacob Henry Morse, b. there July 19, 1821, d. in California unmarried in 1854.

6337. iii. Clara Amelia Morse, b. there Dec. 31, 1824, m. Aug. 22, 1845, Joseph W. Bradley, b. at East Haven, Ct., Jan. 17, 1819 (son of Munson Bradley, a druggist, b. at North Haven, Ct., Oct. 9, 1794, and Abigail Tuttle, b. at E. Haven, Ct., in 1797. He d. Jan. 14, 1856 : she d. Feb. 9, 1828, aet. 31), a publisher at Philadelphia.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6338. i. Mary Amelia Bradley, b. May 19, 1846.

6339. ii. Ella Dunbar Bradley, b. Dec. 22, 1849, d. July 29, 1850.

6340. iii. Evelyn Day Bradley, b. June 21, 1851.

6341. iv. Arthur Wadsworth Bradley, b. Jan. 18, 1856.

6342. v. William Morse Bradley, b. Jan. 11, 1858.

6343. vi. Edward Lounsberry Bradley, b. Sept. 14, 1861.



[Seventh Generation.]

6315. iv. Nancy Day (dau. of Henry Day and Mary Ely), b. July 9, 1802, m. Nov. 19, 1819, Moses Yale Beach, b. Jan. 15, 1800 (son of Moses Sperry Beach of Wallingford, Ct., b. in 1775 and d. in Norwalk, O., in 1826, and Lucretia Yale, b. Nov. 25, 1778, and d. May 24, 1800), a cabinet-maker at Northampton, Mass., and afterwards at Springfield, Mass., and Saugerties, N. Y., where he became afterwards a paper-maker. Thence he removed to New York and purchased an interest in "The New York Sun" (a daily of large circulation at the time), of which he became ere long sole proprietor. He was a man of great energy and enterprise, of clear thought and direct speech, but not liberally educated. He d. July 19, 1868, aet. 68.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6344. i. Drusilla Brewster Beach, b. Nov. 20, 1820, m. June 1, 1848, Alexander Kiersted, b. Dec. 28, 1813 (son of Luke and Jane Kiersted of Durham, N. Y.), a tanner at Cadosia Valley (town of Hancock), N. Y.

6345. ii. Moses Sperry Beach, b. Oct. 5, 1822.

6346. iii. Henry Day Beach, b. Aug. 8, 1824.

6347. iv. Alfred Ely Beach, b. Sept. 1, 1826.



6348. v. Joseph Perkins Beach, b. July 17, 1828.

6349. vi. Eveline Shepherd Beach, b. July 29, 1830, d. Aug. 17, 1830.

6350. vii. Mary Ely Day Beach, b. Nov. 13, 1832, d. Aug. 1834.

6351. viii. William Yale Beach, b. Jan. 7, 1836, m. Oct. 2, 1861, Emma Almira Munson. He is a farmer at Wallingford, Ct. One child:

6352. 1. Moses Yale Beach, b. Oct. 19, 1862.

6345. ii. Moses Sperry Beach, b. Oct. 5, 1822, m. Sept. 2, 1845, Chloe Emmeline Buckingham, b. Aug. 29, 1827 (dau. of David Buckingham and Emmeline Hickox), a florist, residing at Brooklyn, N. Y.

[Ninth generation.] Children:

6354. i. Charles Yale Beach, b. May 4, 1847.

6355. ii. Emmeline Buckingham Beach, b. Oct. 4, 1849.

6356. iii. Cosie Ella Beach, b. Dec. 8, 1857.

6357. iv. William Brewster Beach, b. Aug. 23, 1860.

6358. v. Violet Beach, b. Jan. 31, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

6346. iii. Henry Day Beach (son of Moses Y. Beach and Nancy Day), b. Aug. 8, 1824, m. Aug. 8, 1853, Annie Eliza Fordham, b. Dec. 16, 1828 (dau. of Elijah Fordham of New York, and Jane Anne Fisher), a broker, residing in Brooklyn, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6359. i. Henry Yale Beach, b. at New York, Aug. 1, 1856.

6360. ii. Augusta Fordham Beach, b. at Brooklyn, Feb. 2, 1859, d. April 6, 1862.

6361. iii. Alfred Holbrook Beach, b. there March 25, 1861, d. April 11, 1862.

6362. iv. Annie Beach, b. at Louis River, May 23, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.]

6347. iv. Alfred Ely Beach (son of Moses Y. Beach and Nancy Day), b. Sept. 1, 1826, m. June 30, 1847, Harriet Holbrook of Springfield, Mass., b. April 29, 1828 (dau. of John Fisk Holbrook of Boston, Mass., and Harriet Converse). He is the publisher of "The Scientific American" of New York. Children:

6363. 1. Frederic Converse Beach, b. March 27, 1848.

6364. 2. Jenny Holbrook Beach, b. Nov. 28, 1850.

[Eighth Generation.]

6348. v. Joseph Perkins Beach (son of Moses Y. Beach and Nancy Day), b. July 17, 1828, m. March 20, 1850, Eliza Matilda Betts, b. Aug. 4, 1832 (dau. of James Ellis Betts of New York and Maria Fordham), an amateur farmer at Cheshire, Ct.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

- 6365. i. Norval Williams Beach, b. April 7, 1851, d. July 11, 1853.
- 6366. ii. Mary Adelia Beach, b. Nov. 6, 1853.
- 6367. iii. Maria Louisa Williams Beach, b. Sept. 25, 1855.
- 6368. iv. Harriet Eliza Beach, b. May 6, 1859.
- 6369. v. Ellen Day Beach, b. July 11, 1861.
- 6370. vi. Edwards Brewster Beach, b. July 3, 1863, d. July 27, 1866.
- 6371. vii. A "Baby," b. and d. unnamed Dec. 11, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 909.

6316. v. Mary Day (dau. of Henry Day and Mary Ely), b. Dec. 10, 1806, m. Oct. 21, 1820, Joseph Perkins, b. Aug. 19, 1788, at Unity, N. H. (son of Jacob Perkins, a farmer there, and Hannah Chase, who were m. in Unity in 1787), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1814. He was a teacher of penmanship at Philadelphia, and afterwards a distinguished bank-note engraver (Firm of Durand, Perkins & Co.), in New York). He d. in New York, April 27, 1842: she d. at Santa Cruz, Cal., April 12, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6372. i. Coelia Carlton Perkins, b. in New York, Nov. 10, 1822, m. Lucian Curtis.

6373. ii. Ellen Rand Perkins, b. there June 14, 1827, m. Henry Van Valkenburgh.

6374. iii. Joseph Day Perkins, b. there Dec. 4, 1830, m. Jan. 10, 1867, Charlotte Pilkington, b. in Providence, Ill., Feb. 2, 1843 (dau. of James Pilkington and Margaret J. Lonnon, who were m. in Smithfield, R. I., May 8, 1833), a resident in San Francisco, Cal. One child :

6375. 1. Philip Joseph Perkins, b. there June 22, 1869.

6376. iv. Rachel Ann Ely Perkins, b. in New York, Feb. 14, 1834, always called L'Amée, m. April 23, 1866, George Park Jewell. One child :

6377. 1. Georgia Perkins Jewell, b. at St. Anthony's, Minn., Aug. 5, 1868.

6372. i. Coelia Carlton Perkins, b. Nov. 10, 1822, m. June 14, 1843, Lucian Curtis, b. July 29, 1819, at South Coventry, Ct. (son of Marvin Curtis and Huldah Bidwell), Deputy Collector of U. S. revenue in San Francisco, Cal.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6378. i. Joseph Carlton Curtis, b. in New York, April 15, 1844, m. Sept. 5, 1867, Elizabeth Sarah Hobart, b. June 11, 1842, in Randolph, Vt. (dau. of Edward Hobart and Sarah Jackson, who were m. March 11, 1835).

6379. ii. Leila Curtis, b. there Jan. 13, 1846.

6380. iii. Mary Ellen Curtis, b. April 9, 1848, m. May 15, 1869, Thomas Richardson, b. in Quebec, Canada, Oct. 1837.

6381. iv. Adela Vallejo Curtis, b. May 29, 1853, in California.

[Eighth Generation.]

6373. ii. Ellen Rand Perkins, b. June 14, 1827, m. July 26, 1853, Henry Van Valkenburgh in Vallejo, Cal. He was b. in Kinderhook, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1828, and was son of Bartholomew Van Valkenburgh and Susan Werden.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6382. i. Marion Van Valkenburgh, b. in San Francisco, Aug. 31, 1856.

6383. ii. Ellie Van Valkenburgh, b. there Aug. 20, 1859.

6384. iii. Henry Van Valkenburgh, b. in Santa Cruz, Sept. 13, 1862.

[Seventh generation.]

6317. vi. Benjamin Henry Day (son of Henry Day and Mary Ely), b. April 10, 1810, m. Sept. 13, 1831, Evelina Shepard, b. Aug. 1811 (dau. of Mather Shepard of Canajoharie, N. Y., and Harriet Day, dau. of Daniel Day of W. Springfield). He was bred a printer. In 1833 he started the N. Y. Sun: in 1840 he became connected with The Brother Jonathan, which was discontinued in 1862. Since that time he has been a publisher of books in New York.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6385. i. Henry Day, b. July 8, 1832.

6386. ii. Mary Ely Day, b. Oct. 27, 1833, d. Feb. 24, 1838.

6387. iii. Benjamin Day, b. March 7, 1838.

6388. iv. Clarence Shepard Day, b. Aug. 9, 1844, is a stock-broker in New York.

6385. i. Henry Day, b. July 8, 1832, m. June 12, 1861, Adelaide Scofield, b. April 28, 1837 (dau. of William Henry Scofield of New York and Caroline Van Zandt). He is a stock and exchange broker in New York since 1854.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6389. i. Henry Franklin Day, b. April 13, 1862, d. June 11, 1868.

6390. ii. William Scofield Day, b. Jan. 2, 1864.

6391. iii. Ella Louisa Day, b. March 29, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.]

6387. iii. Benjamin Day, b. March 7, 1838, m. in 1859 Anna Maria Miller, b. April 6, 1838 (dau. of George and Anna Maria Miller of New York). He is an artist and designer at W. Hoboken, N. J. Children:

6392. 1. Benjamin Henry Day, b. April 9, 1860.

\*\*\*\* 2. Charles Shepard Day, b. Feb. 1, 1866.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 863.

6089. vi. Henry Dwight (son of Capt. Edmund Dwight and Elizabeth Scutt), b. Dec. 22, 1753, m. Sept. 12, 1791, Lydia Day of W. Springfield, Mass. (dau. of Col. Benjamin Day and Eunice Morgan). He went to the valley of the Mississippi, and d. there (where not learned) Nov. 12, 1798, aet. 44. They had one son :

6393. 1. Henry Dwight, Jr., b. Oct. 5, 1796, m. Lucy Ann Bradford (dau. of Hon. Alden Bradford and Margaret Stevenson), b. Sept. 14, 1800. He resided in Springfield, and afterwards in Charlestown, Mass. He went to sea on whaling voyages. If he had any children, the writer has not been able to discover the fact. His widow resided for some years at Boston.

[Hon. Alden Bradford, son of Col. Gamaliel Bradford of Duxbury, Mass., and Sarah Alden, b. Nov. 19, 1765, and grad. at Harvard in 1786, was Sec. of the State of Massachusetts, and wrote a history of the State. He d. Oct. 26, 1843, aet. 78. Margaret Stevenson was dau. of Thomas and Isabel Stevenson. ]

Of the descendants of Capt. Edmund Dwight and Elizabeth Scutt there are here enumerated 300 and more.

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[Fourth Generation.] See page 624.

4155. viii. Col. Simeon Dwight (son of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield and Lydia Hawley), b. Feb. 18, 1719-20, m. Dec. 14, 1743, Sibyl Dwight, b. Oct. 8, 1725 (dau. of Capt. Samuel Dwight and Mary Lyman. See page 272, No. 529. iii). He was a farmer at Western (now Warren) Mass. He was a colonel of militia, and at the time of his death high sheriff of Worcester Co., Mass. He d. Feb. 21, 1776, aet. 56. She d. March 19, 1784, aet. 58.

[Fifth Generation.] Children :

6394. i. Sibyl Dwight, b. Oct. 4, 1744, d. Aug. 1822. She m. Major Elihu Kent.

6395. ii. Sarah Dwight, b. May 1, 1746, m. Timothy Ruggles of Hardwick, Mass. (son of Brig. Genl. Ruggles). They removed after the revolution to Halifax, N. S. No trace of their family history has been discovered by the writer.

6396. iii. Anna Dwight, b. Dec. 19, 1747, d. Nov. 23, 1751.

6397. iv. Jerusha Dwight, b. Oct. 15, 1749, d. unmarried, insane.

6398. v. Col. Henry Dwight, b. Feb. 18, 1752, d. Nov. 26, 1819.

6399. vi. Anna Dwight, b. Nov. 10, 1753, m. Dea. Asahel Hatheway, and d. March 17, 1807, aet. 53.

6400. vii. Simeon Dwight, Jr., b. Sept. 13, 1755, d. Feb. 1, 1815.

6401. viii. Edmund Dwight, b. Jan. 6, 1757, d. March 7, 1758.

6402. ix. Lydia Dwight, b. Oct. 12, 1759, d. Aug. 20, 1761.



6403. x. Edmund Dwight, 2d, b. May 3, 1761, d. unmarried, insane, Sept. 1803, aet. 42.

6404. xi. Elihu Dwight, b. Feb. 17, 1763, lived and died in Stillwater, N. Y., and is believed to have been a farmer there. He m. Lydia Chadwick, and had two daughters, Ruth, who m. in Albany (name not ascertained), and Salome, who d. in early life. He m. a 2d wife, "a Dutch woman," and the daughters mentioned were sent to Belchertown to live and to be educated. Their cousin, Mrs. Nancy D. Bulard (now 72 years old) remembers them as fellow-attendants at school. Some other relatives of the family do not know of the existence of such an uncle and his family.

6405. xii. Samuel Dwight, b. Dec. 7, 1765, d. April 10, 1817.

6406. xiii. Lydia Dwight, b. Dec. 4, 1767, m. Shadrach Trumbull, and d. Aug. 8, 1844, aet. 76.

6394. i. Sibyl Dwight, b. Oct. 4, 1744, m. Feb. 2, 1774, as his 3d wife, Major Elihu Kent, b. June 1, 1733 (son of Samuel Kent of Suffield, Ct., and Abiah Dwight, dau. of Nathaniel Dwight of Northampton. See page 421, No. 1892. vi.). His first wife was Rebecca Kellogg, and his second Susanna Lyman. He was a farmer at Suffield, Ct. He d. Feb. 12, 1814, aet. 80. She d. July 9, 1822, aet. 77. They had one child, Sibyl Kent.

[Sixth Generation.] Child:

6407. i. Sibyl Kent, b. in 1779, m. Feb. 1804, Eleazer Davis Curtis, b. in 1780 (son of Dea. Joseph Curtis of Hanover, N. H., and Phebe Davis). He d. March 13, 1842. She d. Oct. 1810. He m. for 2d wife, April 10, 1815, Sophia Bissell, dau. of Isaac Bissell, Jr. See page 414, No. 1994. vi.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6408. i. Henry Dwight Curtis, b. 1806. He was engaged for some three years in Grenada, S. A., where he d. of yellow fever in 1828, aet. 22.

6409. ii. Maria Amelia Curtis, b. 1808, m. 1828 Hon. Alvah French, a cabinet-maker in Craftsbury, Vt. She d. Sept. 1843, leaving one child, John French, who d. soon.

6410. iii. Sibyl Curtis, b. about 1810, that d. soon.

[Fifth Generation.]

6398. v. Col. Henry Dwight (son of Col. Simeon Dwight and Sibyl Dwight), b. Feb. 18, 1752, m. June 23, 1774, Ruth Rich, b. in 1756. He d. Nov. 26, 1819: she d. 1837, aet. 81. He spent most of his active life at Belchertown (1775-1819). He was a large farmer and a gentleman of high standing, holding various public offices.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6411. i. Lt. Joseph Hawley Dwight, b. March 26, 1775, was a Lt. U. S. A., and d. unmarried at Fort Niagara, Nov. 13, 1801, aet. 26.

6412. ii. Henry Dwight, Jr., b. Nov. 7, 1777, d. Feb. 10, 1841.

6413. iii. Col. Simeon Dwight, b. Sept. 24, 1779, d. Dec. 22, 1842.

6414. iv. Charles Dwight, b. April 5, 1782, d. in 1815, aet. 34.

6415. v. Solomon Rich Dwight, b. May 24, 1784, d. insane, unmarried, in Worcester, Mass., at "The Insane Retreat," in 1846, aet. 52.

6416. vi. Sophia Dwight, b. July 3, 1786, m. Justus Dwight (son of Justus Dwight of Belchertown and of Sarah Lamb), see page 465, No. 2465. viii. She d. Nov. 26, 1814. They had one child, Sophia:

6417. vii. Peregrine Dwight, b. Sept. 14, 1788, d. April 24, 1793.

6418. viii. Thomas Dwight, b. Sept. 28, 1790, resided for a time at Fayetteville, N. C.: had roving instincts and went to Mexico and California. He d. unmarried at Columbus, O., Feb. 9, 1857.

6419. ix. William Dwight, b. Nov. 5, 1792, d. at Belchertown, July 13, 1810.

6420. x. Peregrine Dwight, b. March 15, 1795, d. Aug. 4, 1842.

6421. xi. Clarissa Dwight, b. Nov. 23, 1799, m. Myron Lawrence, and d. Feb. 10, 1852.

6422. xii. A daughter, b. dead April 21, 1802.

6412. ii. Henry Dwight, Jr., b. Nov. 7, 1777, was, until he was about 40 years of age, a bar-tender in Boston and Albany in first-class hotels, and afterwards became a farmer in Belchertown, where he d. of consumption Feb. 10, 1841, aet. 63. "He was a smart active man, and famous far and near for his skill as a flute-player." He m. in 1826 Lydia Snow.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6423. i. Delia Dwight, b. March 8, 1827, m. Lyman Smith of Granby, Ct.

6424. ii. Julia Dwight, b. Oct. 13, 1828, d. Sept. 28, 1847, aet. 19, of consumption.

6425. iii. William Dwight, b. Sept. 5, 1830, resides unmarried in Cal.

6426. iv. Clara Dwight, b. Oct. 9, 1832, m. Cairo D. Trimble of Princeton, Ill.; has three children. She made no reply to letters of inquiry.

6427. v. Theodore Dwight, b. in 1834, d. in 1841.

[Sixth Generation.]

6413. iii. Col. Simeon Dwight (son of Col. Henry Dwight and Ruth Rich), b. Sept. 24, 1779, m. March 3, 1802, Martha Rice of Shrewsbury, Mass. (dau. of Col. Asa and Miriam Rice), b. Aug. 26, 1781. He was a carriage-maker in Belchertown. He was a prominent man in town affairs—deputy sheriff for 30 years, colonel of militia,

etc., and a decidedly religious man. He d. Dec. 23, 1842, aet. 63. She d. Feb. 29, 1840: an earnest, Christian woman, devoted to the spiritual care of her household.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6428. i. Armamilla Ruggles Dwight, b. Feb. 28, 1803, m. Enoch James.

6429. ii. A son, unnamed, b. and d. Nov. 3, 1804.

6430. iii. Joseph Hawley Dwight, b. Oct. 19, 1805. He m. widow Eliza Filer, *née* Mason (dau. of Amos Mason and Thankful —). He was a mechanic at Belchertown, where he d. March 15, 1849. She d. about 1852. No children.

6431. iv. Charles Hobart Dwight, b. Oct. 6, 1807, d. Nov. 11, 1857.

6432. v. Mary Rice Dwight, b. Jan. 20, 1810, d. June 27, 1811.

6433. vi. Mary Rice Dwight, 2d, b. Dec. 26, 1812, m. Edwin P. Tucker, and for a 2d husband Lewis Hawes.

6434. vii. Simeon Rich Dwight, b. May 3, 1815.

6435. viii. Sereno Edwards Dwight, b. Nov. 12, 1825.

6428. i. Armamilla Ruggles Dwight, b. Feb. 28, 1803, m. Jan. 18, 1825, Enoch James of Ann Arbor, Mich., b. Dec. 8, 1793 (son of Capt. Malachi James of Goshen, Mass., and Elizabeth Lyman, dau. of Elias Lyman of Northampton, Mass.), a merchant formerly at Williamsburgh, Mass. He d. at Ann Arbor, Feb. 28, 1867: she d. at Williamsburgh, Dec. 20, 1869. He resided at Ann Arbor, Mich., from 1855 to his death.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6436. i. Martha ("Mattie") Dwight James, b. Nov. 23, 1827, d. Oct. 18, 1833.

6437. ii. Henry Lyman James, b. Feb. 13, 1829.

6438. iii. Lyman Dwight James, b. Jan. 21, 1836.

6439. iv. Mattie Dwight James, b. Nov. 23, 1838, m. Wiley Reynolds of Jackson, Mich. She d. Oct. 19, 1873.

6440. v. Mary Frances James, b. Nov. 1, 1840, m. Lt. Wm. Richards, U. S. A.

6441. vi. Enoch Dwight James, b. July 26, 1842, d. Nov. 26, 1857.

6437. ii. Henry Lyman James; b. Feb. 13, 1829, m. May 31, 1860, Maria Louise Simpson (dau. of Dr. Elbridge Simpson of Hudson, N. Y., and Sally Ann Grant). He is a manufacturer of woollens at Williamsburgh, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6442. i. Mabel Louise James, b. June 11, 1863.

6443. ii. Maude Armamilla James, b. Jan. 27, 1865.

6444. iii. Bertha Simpson James, b. May 15, 1867.

\*\*\*\* iv. Carrie Blanche James, b. Nov. 28, 1872, d. Feb. 22, 1873.

[Eighth Generation.]

6438. iii. Lyman Dwight James (son of Enoch James and Armamilla R. Dwight), b. Jan. 22, 1836, m. Feb. 10, 1858, Helen Eliza Field of Conway, Mass., b. Feb. 26, 1837 (dau. of John and Fidelia Field). He is a merchant at Williamsburgh, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6445. i. Henry Dwight James, b. March 1, 1860.

6446. ii. John Howard James, b. Aug. 12, 1862.

6447. iii. Grace Fidelia James, b. Nov. 20, 1865.

\*\*\*\* iv. Marshall Lyman James, b. Oct. 12, 1873.

[Seventh Generation.]

6431. iv. Charles Hobart Dwight (son of Col. Simeon Dwight and Martha Rice), b. Oct. 6, 1807, m. Feb. 3, 1830, Louisa Reed, b. in Belchertown, Nov. 21, 1808 (dau. of Joseph Reed of that place and Louisa Sykes of Ludlow, Mass., his 2d wife). She d. April 7, 1837, and he m. for 2d wife, Jan. 25, 1838, widow Elizabeth (Potter) Bement of Enfield, Ct. He was a carriage manufacturer at Belchertown, Mass. He d. Nov. 11, 1857. His widow resides at Enfield, Ct. (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

6448. i. Dewitt Clinton Dwight, b. April 4, 1831, drowned April 22, 1847, in the Connecticut.

6449. ii. Charles Carroll Dwight, b. Nov. 8, 1832, was a Union soldier in the late war, and "d. in battle at Fort Lookout, on James Island, S. C., June 16, 1862," aet. 29.

6450. iii. Martha James Dwight, b. April 10, 1835, m. Oct. 12, 1856, Otis Wallace of Palmer, Mass. He d. in Iowa about 1866. She resides at Crystal Lake, Ill. (1873). She has had 4 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Fanny Wallace, b. June 3, 1857, d. Feb. 6, 1858.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frank Edward Wallace, b. April 5, 1858, d. Oct. 12, 1871.

\*\*\*\* 3. William Otis Wallace, b. June 5, 1859.

\*\*\*\* 4. Helen Marr Wallace, b. Jan. 9, 1861.

*By second wife:*

6451. iv. Francke Dwight, b. Nov. 5, 1838, d. March 19, 1842.

6452. v. Emma Elizabeth Dwight, b. Aug. 5, 1840, d. Sept. 9, 1850.

6453. vi. Mary Abigail Dwight, b. Aug. 18, 1843.

[Seventh Generation.]

6433. vi. Mary Rice Dwight (dau. of Col. Simeon Dwight and Martha Rice), b. Dec. 26, 1812, m. May 18, 1836, Edwin Post Tucker of Enfield, Mass., b. Sept. 29, 1810 (son of Jonathan Smith Tucker and Olive Post of that place). He was a carriage-trimmer. He d. Jan. 21, 1857. She m. Sept. 1, 1864, Lewis Hawes of Enfield, b. March 19, 1816



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(son of Hartford Hawes and Lucy Eveleth, also of Enfield). He is a manufacturer and dealer in boots and shoes.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first marriage:*

6454. i. Martha Olivia Tucker, b. Feb. 9, 1837, m. July 6, 1857, Calvin Luther Hawes, b. Feb. 23, 1818, at Northboro, Mass. (son of Luther Hawes and Cynthia Hemmenway), a manufacturer of tar and straw boards, box-makers' and book-binders' boards, at Dayton, O. Two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Herbert Thornton Hawes, b. there July 7, 1859.

\*\*\*\* 2. Elma Ellsworth Hawes, b. there May 29, 1861.

6455. ii. Mary Armanilla Tucker, b. in Belchertown, Dec. 8, 1843, m. Dec. 30, 1863, Marcus Franklin Robinson, b. at Hardwick, Mass., July 2, 1834 (son of Marcus F. Robinson and Deborah Brown), a jeweller at Springfield, Mass. They have had two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Gracie Edna Robinson, b. April 5, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 2. William Arthur Hawes Robinson, b. Dec. 9, 1869.

6456. iii. Clara Elizabeth Tucker, b. Feb. 21, 1848, m. Jan. 10, 1867, William Isenberg, b. Aug. 28, 1830, in "Water Street," Pa., on the Juniata River (son of David Isenberg of Mill Creek, Pa., and Mary Ann Bowrall), a bookkeeper at Dayton, O. He has been until of late a book agent for a publishing house in Cincinnati, O.—having his residence in Bloomington, Ill. No children.

[Seventh Generation.]

6434. vii. Simeon Rich Dwight (son of Col. Simeon Dwight and Martha Rice), b. May 3, 1815, m. Oct. 28, 1840, Betsey Bissell Dwight, b. Sept. 18, 1819 (da. of Justus Dwight, Jr., and Eliza Marshall, his 2d wife). He was at first a carriage-trimmer at Belchertown, but has been for some years foreman in "Gaylord's Manufacturing Company" for making army equipments at Chicopee, Mass., but was disabled in March 1873, by a sudden stroke of paralysis, from farther labor.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6457. i. Ellen Sophia Dwight, b. Sept. 13, 1841, resides unmarried (1873) at home.

6458. ii. Elihu Root Dwight, b. Jan. 18, 1846, d. April 10, 1847.

6459. iii. Elihu Rich Dwight, b. April 16, 1850, is a carpenter at Fall River, Mass.

6460. iv. Justus Dwight Dwight, b. April 6, 1853, is a clerk in Boston (1873)—Jordan & Marsh.

[Seventh Generation.]

6435. viii. Sereno Edwards Dwight (son of Col. Simeon Dwight and Martha Rice), b. Nov. 12, 1825, m. Oct. 31, 1847, Martha Francis of

Stafford, Ct., b. Oct. 16, 1826. Letters addressed to him received no reply.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 6461. i. Nelly Rice Dwight, b. June 9, 1849.
- 6462. ii. Francis Edwards Dwight, b. June 7, 1852.
- 6463. iii. Carrie Clark Dwight, b. Aug. 20, 1854.
- 6464. iv. Myron Eliot Dwight, b. Jan. 18, 1862.



[Sixth Generation.]

6414. iv. Charles Dwight (son of Col. Henry Dwight and Ruth Rich), b. April 5, 1782, m. June 2, 1808, Nancy Strong of Belchertown, b. April 4, 1786 (dau. of Capt. Phinehas Strong and Anna Filer). He was a farmer at Belchertown, where he d. Sept. 1816, aet 34. [See "Hist. of Strong Family" for full account of her lineage, pp. 825-6. She m. for 2d husband, in 1820, Theodore Bridgman of Belchertown, to whom she bore one daughter, Abigail Strong Bridgman, now Mrs. John S. Goold of Albany.]

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6465. i. Henry Augustus Dwight, b. Feb. 13, 1810, d. July 18, 1854.  
6466. ii. William Dwight, b. June 19, 1814, d. in 1840. When sawing wood by horse power with a circular saw, he had his arm sawn off by accident and a few days afterwards bled to death in his sleep.

6465. i. Henry Augustus Dwight, b. Feb. 13, 1810, m. Dec. 27, 1837, Elvira Owen, b. July 3, 1811 (dau. of Ralph Owen of Belchertown and Fanny Bissell, who were m. Nov. 9, 1807). He was at first a tanner, and afterwards a miller and farmer at Belchertown, where he d. July 18, 1854. He had 2 children:

6467. 1. Clara Frances Dwight, b. Oct. 15, 1839, m. a Mr. Hazen of Worcester, Mass. She made no reply to letters of inquiry.

6468. 2. Ralph Owen Dwight, b. Nov. 30, 1842, lives unmarried at Belchertown, a farmer.

[Sixth Generation.]

6420. x. Peregrine Dwight (son of Col. Henry Dwight and Ruth Rich), b. March 15, 1795, m. Oct. 20, 1820, Lucy Hamilton, b. Aug. 21, 1796 (dau. of Dr. Chauncey Hamilton of Brookfield, Mass., and Mary Hubbard of Amherst, Mass.). He was a farmer at Belchertown, Mass. (1815-28), and at Niagara Falls, N. Y. (1828-42). He d. there Aug. 4, 1842, and in Sept. 1843 the family removed to Vermontville, Mich., where Mrs. Lucy H. Dwight still (1873) resides.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

- 6469. i. Clarissa Ann Dwight, b. July 29, 1821, d. Aug. 14, 1825.
- 6470. ii. Martha Adelia Dwight, b. July 15, 1823, m. Dec. 25,

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1853, Edward Wilmot Barber, b. in Benson, Vt., July 3, 1828 (son of Edward Hinman Barber and Rebecca Griswold). He is now (1873) Third Assistant Postmaster General U. S. No children. His family residence has been Charlotte, Eaton Co., Mich.

6471. iii. Chauncey Hamilton Dwight, b. Sept. 20, 1825, in Belchertown.

6472. iv. Clarissa Ann Dwight, b. there Jan. 14, 1828, m. Feb. 19, 1856, Sidney Seymour Rockwell, b. June 27, 1833 (son of Alvah Wells Rockwell of Watervliet, N. Y., and Lucy Ames), who is in the nursery business at Grand Rapids, Mich. He was for several years the business manager of the Mich. State Agricultural College. Three children:

6473. 1. Alice Irene Rockwell, b. in Rockford, Ill., Nov. 23, 1856.

6474. 2. Lucy Hamilton Rockwell, b. in Vermontville, Mich., Nov. 22, 1859.

6475. 3. Edith Dwight Rockwell, b. Dec. 7, 1861.

6476. v. George Clinton Dwight, b. July 14, 1831, m. Feb. 14, 1860, Margaret Gregg, b. Oct. 22, 1837, near Schenectady, N. Y. (dau. of George Gregg, afterwards of Castleton, Mich., and Jeanette McCol-lum). He is a farmer at Vermontville, Mich. Has 2 children:

6477. 1. Clara Inez Dwight, b. Oct. 27, 1863.

6478. 2. Ellen Louise Dwight, b. Jan. 8, 1866.

6479. vi. Lucy Clarissa Dwight, b. Feb. 10, 1834, m. March 23, 1853, Homer Griswold Barber, b. in Benson, Vt., Nov. 25, 1830 (son of Edward Hinman Barber and Rebecca Griswold), a merchant and banker at Vermontville, Mich. Three children:

6480. 1. Ida Louisa Barber, b. Sept. 8, 1854.

6481. 2. Jeanie Griswold Barber, b. Dec. 16, 1856, d. June 14, 1860.

6482. 3. Edward Dwight Barber, b. May 27, 1860.

6483. vii. Edward Peregrine Dwight, b. Jan. 1, 1840, enlisted as a private in Co. G, Seventh Mich. Infantry, and was killed in battle at Baton Rouge, La., Aug. 5, 1862. His body lies among the unknown heroes of the war. A memorial monument to his praise adorns the graveyard at Vermontville.

6471. iii. Chauncey Hamilton Dwight, b. Sept. 20, 1825, m. March 31, 1856, Rebecca Roxilla De Graff, b. in Ira, N. Y., Oct. 6, 1836 (dau. of Emanuel De Graff, afterwards of Oneida, Mich., and Sally Sprague). He is a farmer at Vermontville.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6484. i. Frank Clayton Dwight, b. March 22, 1857.

6485. ii. George Edward Dwight, b. July 25, 1858.

6486. iii. Jeanie Luella Dwight, b. June 23, 1860.

6487. iv. Mary Ellen Dwight, b. July 25, 1862.

6488. v. Mabel Gertrude Dwight, b. May 24, 1864.



6489. vi. Katy Imogene Dwight, b. June 5, 1866.

The history of this family is an interesting instance of the practical value of home-born American ideas and habits. Mr. Peregrine Dwight was an earnest, intelligent, religious man. He was a great reader, and kept himself well-informed upon religious and political subjects. He had but moderate means. At his death in 1842 he left six children to his widow to provide for, the eldest of them 19 years of age, and the youngest but an infant. After a year's time she removed to Michigan, to make in the wild, unbroken wilderness a home for her household. Not a tree had been cut on the farm where she now lives with her son Chauncey. Her first habitation was like that of all the other original settlers, built of unhewn logs. By prudence, economy and Yankee enterprise and thrift, she made everything prosper in her hands, and lives now at the ripe age of 78 (1873) to rejoice over the large results of her energy in years long gone. "Her rude home, as it was at the first, was made pleasant and attractive by good words and works. 'The Dwight girls,' as her three daughters were familiarly called in the place, have ripened into excellent women, worthy of the blood that they have inherited. And 'Mother Dwight' will long be tenderly remembered by young and old in their Michigan home." So writes one who knows the family well. All honor to courageous, patient, cheerful toilers anywhere among the other sex for the good of their households!

[Sixth Generation.]

6421. xi. Clarissa Dwight (dau. of Col. Henry Dwight and Ruth Rich), b. Nov. 23, 1799, m. March 28, 1824, Hon. Myron Lawrence, b. May 18, 1799 (son of Benjamin Lawrence of Middlebury, Vt., b. May 6, 1774, in Canaan, Ct., who d. Feb. 10, 1860, aet. 86, and Sarah Warner, b. Oct. 14, 1775, who d. Feb. 10, 1852, aet. 76, whom he m. Jan. 8, 1798), grad. at Middlebury in 1820, and made trustee of same in 1851. He was State Senator and Prest. of the Senate when he died, Nov. 7, 1852, aet. 53.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6490. i. Mark Doolittle Lawrence, b. Feb. 12, 1825, is in a commission business at Somerville, Mass., unmarried.

6491. ii. Sarah Tappan Lawrence, b. July 12, 1827, m. Oct. 30, 1851, Gov. Charles Robinson, M.D., b. July 21, 1818, at Hardwick, Worcester Co., Mass. (son of Jonathan Robinson, previously of Taunton, Mass., and at last of Spencer, Mass., and Huldah Woodward). He began the college course at Amherst, Mass., which he abandoned on account of his weak eyes. He pursued his medical studies at Woodstock, Vt., and Pittsfield, Mass. In 1849 he went to Kansas, on his



way to California, across the plains of the great west. Here he paused and became the agent of The Emigrant Aid Co. at New York, in erecting mills, school-houses and the needful foundations of a new order of free northern civilization. In a political *mêlée* at that time he was shot near the heart, and placed the same evening on the prison-ship.

While yet a prisoner, he was elected a member of the General Assembly—the lovers of liberty and of human rights outnumbering their enemies there in those border-ruffian days. He was elected Governor under the Topeka Constitution (1856–7), and under the Wyandotte Constitution, when Kansas became a State, he was chosen its first Governor (Jan. 1859—Jan. 30, 1861). He is now (1873) a farmer at Lawrence, Kansas (4 miles out of town). No children. Mrs. Robinson is author of a work entitled “The Interior and Exterior of Life in Kansas.”

6492. iii. Sophia Dwight Lawrence, b. Oct. 5, 1830, m. Nov. 3, 1853, Samuel William Emerson Goddard, b. March 23, 1827 (son of James Goddard of Berlin, Mass., and Betsey Spofford), a lawyer at Belchertown. They have had 4 children that have all died before birth, or shortly after it—unnamed.

[Fifth Generation.]

6399. vi. Anna Dwight (dau. of Col. Simeon and Sibyl Dwight), b. Nov. 10, 1753, m. June 3, 1778, Asahel Hatheway of Suffield, Ct., b. Dec. 9, 1739 (son of Samuel Hatheway and Sarah Rowe, whom he m. May 28, 1719, and who bore him 7 children), grad. at Yale in 1759, a lawyer and justice of the peace at Suffield, and commonly called “Squire Hatheway.” He was also a deacon in the Cong. Church, and often had the nickname of “Bishop Hatheway,” probably from his dignified bearing and figure. “He was a man of strong, good sense, united with an occasional flash of homely but pungent wit.” In politics he was a decided Federalist. He d. Dec. 21, 1828, aet. 89. She d. March 17, 1807, aet. 53.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

6493. i. Anne Hatheway, b. Jan. 16, 1780, m. Roger Whittlesey, and d. Feb. 4, 1840, aet. 60.

6494. ii. Asahel Hatheway, Jr., b. May 31, 1781, d. Oct. 1, 1829, aet. 48.

6495. iii. Pamela Hatheway, b. Aug. 31, 1784, d. unmarried Nov. 7, 1843, aet. 59.

6496. iv. Betsey Hatheway, b. April 16, 1787, d. unmarried April 18, 1844, aet. 57.

6497. v. Cornelia Hatheway, b. Feb. 19, 1791, d. unmarried Nov. 23, 1845, aet. 54.

6498. vi. Mark Anthony Hatheway, b. Feb. 27, 1798, d. Nov. 21, 1852, aet. 54, in Windsor, Ct., having been almost all his life insane (1813-52).

6493. i. Anne Hatheway, b. Jan. 16, 1780, m. Nov. 26, 1818, as his 2d wife, Roger Whittlesey, b. Dec. 9, 1767 (son of Lemuel Whittlesey of Newington and Hannah Wells), grad. at Yale in 1787. He was a lawyer and farmer at Southington, Ct., where he d. Oct. 5, 1844, aet. 76. She d. Feb. 4, 1840, aet. 60. They had but one child.

[Seventh Generation.] Child:

6499. i. Francis Dwight Whittlesey, b. March, 12, 1821, who m. 184-, Laura Barnes, b. May 10, 1827 (dau. of Julius S. Barnes of Southington, Ct., and Laura Lewis). He is a farmer at Southington.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6500. i. Anne Hatheway Whittlesey, b. Feb. 17, 1848, d. Feb. 10, 1851.

6501. ii. Fanny Hatheway Whittlesey, b. Dec. 7, 1852.

6502. iii. Julia Whittlesey, b. Oct. 25, 1854, d. June 26, 1858.

6503. iv. Louise Whittlesey, b. Jan. 4, 1857, d. Aug. 5, 1858.

6504. v. Arthur Barnes Whittlesey, b. Aug. 10, 1859, d. Aug. 6, 1861.

6505. vi. Frederic Whittlesey, b. July 11, 1865.

[Sixth Generation.]

6494. ii. Asahel Hatheway, Jr., b. May 31, 1781, m. March 11, 1807, Nancy Diggins of New York, b. Sept. 18, 1787 (dau. of Augustus Diggins and Sabra Stebbins). He was grad. at Yale in 1801, and was for many years a merchant in New York, but spent the latter portion of his life at Suffield (1812-29), where he d. Oct. 1, 1829, aet. 48. His widow is living in Suffield in 1874, aet. 86.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6506. i. William Augustus Hatheway, b. at New York, Dec. 1, 1807, d. Dec. 26, 1826, aet. 19.

6507. ii. Henry Dwight Hatheway, b. there Nov. 26, 1809, a merchant for several years in New York, d. aet. 42, Oct. 31, 1851, unmarried.

6508. iii. Francis James Hatheway, b. there Dec. 27, 1811, d. Nov. 12, 1836, aet. 25.

6509. iv. Julia Maria Hatheway, b. at Suffield, March 28, 1814, m. Oct. 15, 1845, Remick Knowles Clark, b. Feb. 20, 1803 (son of Patrick Clark and Lydia Taylor). He d. aet. 57, May 17, 1860.

6510. v. Cornelia Caroline Hatheway, b. at Suffield, April 4, 1820, m. Oct. 5, 1842, Charles Austin Sherman, b. June 4, 1810 (son of Charles Sherman of New Haven, Ct., and Sophia Staples, dau. of Rev. John Staples), a lawyer in New York. They have had two children that d. young.

6511. vi. Louisa Elizabeth Hatheway, b. Feb. 22, 1824, resides unmarried at Suffield (1874). From her most of the facts concerning her immediate kindred here presented were obtained.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 915.

6400. vii. Simeon Dwight, Jr. (son of Col. Simeon Dwight of Warren, Mass., and Sibyl Dwight), b. Sept. 13, 1755, was a thrifty farmer and hotelkeeper at Warren, Mass. He was of medium size, vigorous and fair-looking. He m. about 1783 Anna Cutler, b. Jan. 3, 1764. He d. Feb. 1, 1815, aet. 59: she d. Nov. 3, 1833, aet. 69.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6512. i. Pliny Dwight, b. Sept. 1, 1784, d. July 26, 1861, aet. 76.

6513. ii. Simeon Dwight, b. Nov. 15, 1788, d. March 13, 1816.

6514. iii. Nancy Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1791, m. Isaac Moore, Jr., of Warren, Mass., and d. Feb. 9, 1851, aet. 60.

6515. iv. Mary Dwight, b. May 24, 1794, m. John Lawton.

6516. v. Joseph Cutler Dwight, b. June 19, 1798, d. aet. 66, Jan. 2, 1865.

6512. i. Pliny Dwight, b. Sept. 1, 1784, m. Oct. 24, 1810, Sarah McArthur of Thornton, N. H., b. Feb. 25, 1789 (dau. of John McArthur, b. in Glen Lyon, Scotland, in 1742, and d. in Chelsea, Vt., in 1816, and Margaret Aiken, b. in Chelsea, Vt., in 1758, and d. there Oct. 31, 1842). He was a prosperous merchant in Vershire, Vt., and an honorable citizen. He d. July 26, 1861, aet. 76. His widow resided at Barre, Vt.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6517. i. Jeanette Dwight, b. Sept. 29, 1811, m. Aug. 15, 1839, Josiah Coburn, a harness and trunk manufacturer at Thetford, Vt. They have had one child:

6518. 1. Arthur Coburn, b. Sept. 1843.

6519. ii. Mary Anna Dwight, b. Aug. 20, 1816, m. Dec. 2, 1841, Erastus Morton, a resident of Chelsea, Vt. No issue.

6520. iii. Louise Roxana Dwight, b. March 31, 1818, m. Nov. 2, 1842, Albert S. Southworth, a resident of Boston, Mass. No children.

6521. iv. Henry Cutler Dwight, b. Jan. 25, 1820.

6522. v. Amelia Maria Dwight, b. April 30, 1822, m. March 2, 1843, William F. Goodwin, a speculator residing in New York. She d. Dec. 2, 1847. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. William Stone Goodwin.

6523. vi. Lorette Orlana Dwight, b. May 13, 1824, m. June 2, 1845, Philonzo Albert Blanchard (son of Joseph Blanchard), a merchant at Strafford, Vt. No issue.

6524. vii. Charles Arthur Dwight, b. March 1, 1826, d. unmarried Sept. 20, 1848.

6525. viii. Caroline Sophia Dwight, b. May 11, 1828, m. June 2, 1852, Silas B. Hahn, a lawyer in Boston. No children.

6521. iv. Henry Cutler Dwight, b. Jan. 25, 1820, m. Sept. 9, 1845, Eunice Ellen Colton (dau. of Solomon Colton). She d. Dec. 26, 1857, and he m. for 2d wife, Jan. 24, 1860, Fanny Maria Noyes, b. Aug. 11, 1830 (dau. of Elihu Noyes of Chelsea, Vt., and Fanny Hyde). He resided at Barre, Vt., and was connected with a house in Chicago, Ill., but removed (1869-70) to Cambridgeport, Mass., where he d. in 1872. From him were procured most of the facts here detailed concerning his father's descendants.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

6526. i. Henriette Frances Dwight, b. July 25, 1851.

6527. ii. Charles Carroll Dwight, b. Aug. 21, 1855, is a clerk in Boston (1873).

*By second wife :*

6528. iii. Henry Hyde Dwight, b. July 25, 1863.

[Sixth Generation.]

6513. ii. Simeon Dwight, 3d (son of Simeon Dwight, Jr., and Anna Cutler), b. Nov. 15, 1788, was a farmer at Warren, Mass. He m. Jan. 18, 1813, Sarah Bartlett. He d. March 13, 1816, aet. 27. They had one child.

6529. 1. Caroline Amelia Dwight, b. June 6, 1813.

[Sixth Generation.]

6514. iii. Nancy Dwight (dau. of Simeon Dwight, Jr., and Anna Cutler), b. Jan. 30, 1791, m. April 11, 1812, Isaac Moore, Jr., b. Jan. 1790 (son of Isaac Moore of Warren, Mass., and Hannah Sweeting). He was for many years a merchant and cashier of The Winthrop Bank at Winthrop, Me. He d. at New York, Sept. 5, 1852, aet. 62: she d. at Malden, Mass., Jan. 15, 1850, aet. 59.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6530. i. Lewis Dwight Moore, b. Sept. 30, 1812.

6531. ii. Isaac Hallet Moore, b. about 1814, was a harness-maker at Augusta, Me., where he d. He m. Frances Perkins. She resides now with her children at New Orleans, La.

6532. iii. Reuben Cutler Moore, b. about 1817, resides in San Francisco, Cal., and is connected with "The Alta California," of which he was formerly editor.

6533. iv. Mary Ann Moore, b. about 1821, m. Albert Norton of Boston, Mass. He d. at Beaufort, S. C., in 1864. She d. in Law-



rence, Mass. They had 2 children : Fanny who m. Rev. Albert Moore now of Blackstone, Mass. ; and Dwight Moore.

6534. v. John Moore, b. about 1824, is a shoe manufacturer at Spencer, Mass.

6535. vi. Frances Elizabeth Moore, b. at Winthrop, Me., Feb. 2, 1827, m. in 1850, Dr. Greenleaf A. Wilbur of Skowhegan, Me. They have 2 children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Marie N. Wilbur, b. Aug. 22, 1852.

\*\*\*\* 2. Charles Henry Wilbur, b. Sept. 29, 1855. [Facts were sought in vain from this family and others, who made no reply to letters of inquiry].

6530. i. Lewis Dwight Moore, b. Sept. 30, 1812, m. Nov. 11, 1834, Elizabeth Ann Johnson, b. July, 31, 1815 (dau. of Henry and Marinda Johnson of Farmington, Me.). He was for 9 years jailer of the Kennebec Co. prison, Me., for 5 years Deputy Sheriff and Coroner, and for 9 years Dep. Secretary of State. He has been for several years in the Loan Branch of the U. S. Register Treasury Office, of which he is now chief Clerk, at Washington, D. C.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6536. i. Charles Francis Moore, b. Dec. 29, 1835, a druggist at Washington, D. C., m. 1872, Marian E. McArthur.

6537. ii. Lewis Henry Moore, b. Sept. 1, 1837, is a sailor, unmarried, and lives in New York when not at sea.

6538. iii. Mary Francis Moore, b. July 20, 1840, m. Sept. 15, 1863, Benjamin Hammond Hinds, of Bristol, Me. He has been engaged in the Custom House at Boston, Mass., but is now a special U. S. Treasury Agent at Portland, Me. Two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Mary Elizabeth Hinds, b. in 1867, at Augusta, Me.

\*\*\*\* 2. Lewis Moore Hinds, b. there in 1869.

\*\*\*\* iv. Joseph Dwight Moore, b. Feb. 12, 1842, is in Surgeon General's office at Washington.

\*\*\*\* v. James Batchelder Moore, b. July 7, 1844, is a bookkeeper at Augusta, Me. (The Sprague Manufacturing Co.), where he m. in 1873, Mary Dunning Cushing.

\*\*\*\* vi. Albert Norton Moore, b. Dec. 30, 1847, is paymaster, in "The Sprague Manufacturing Co.'s" office at Augusta, Me.

\*\*\*\* vii. Julia Ann Moore, b. June 15, 1851, d. Dec. 27, 1851.

\*\*\*\* viii. Reuben Cutler Moore, b. Nov. 24, 1852, d. at Lawrence, Mass., 1872.

[Sixth Generation.]

6515. iv. Mary Dwight (dau. of Simeon Dwight, Jr., and Anna Cutler), b. May 24, 1794, m. Jan. 27, 1820, Capt. John Lawton of

Hardwick, Mass. He was a resident at Wilbraham, Mass., where he d. Nov. 16, 1854. She d. some years since.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6539. i. William D. Lawton, b. April 29, 1821, d. Oct. 12, 1821.

6540. ii. Mary A. Lawton, b. Sept. 1, 1823, m. Brainerd J. Brewer, b. in 1814, an enterprising farmer in Wilbraham, Mass. He d. Nov. 26, 1861, aet. 47.

6541. iii. Martha M. Lawton, b. Aug. 25, 1825, m. William P. Ruggles of Chicopee, Mass.

6542. iv. Emily T. Lawton, b. Aug. 12, 1829, m. John Works, a farmer in Wilbraham, Mass. He d. some years since ; she still (1873) resides there. *She died 1900*

6543. v. Eliza J. Lawton, b. Nov. 16, 1832, m. George C. Howard, a mechanic in Hardwick, Mass.

6544. vi. Ellen F. Lawton, b. Jan 17, 1836, m. Hiram M. Brewer of Wilbraham, Mass., a farmer in Westminster, Mass.

[Sixth Generation.]

6516. v. Joseph Cutler Dwight (son of Simeon Dwight, Jr., of Warren, and Anna Dwight), b. June 19, 1798, m. Oct. 12, 1826, Mary Moore Farrell, b. Aug. 14, 1803 (dau. of Col. Gideon Farrell of Hallowell, Me., and Sarah Moore), who became afterwards wife of Dr. Arba Blair of Rome, N. Y. He was an enterprising and prosperous merchant at Hallowell, and was cashier of "The Northern Bank" at that place. He was distinguished for his energy and fine business qualities, and highly respected also for the simplicity of his character, his thorough uprightness, his kindness of heart and his generosity to the poor. He was a member of the Episcopal Church, and died in full faith of Christ's atoning love, Jan. 2, 1865.

He was of small size, having dark blue eyes, light brown hair, and a nervous temperament, shrinking from general society while genial towards his friends, cultivated and literary in his tastes, very orderly in his personal habits and neat in his attire. She d. Jan. 18, 1870, aet. 66.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6545. i. Mary Frances Dwight, b. March 29, 1828, m. Cyrus C. Richmond, and for a 2d husband Francis E. Webb.

6546. ii. Anne Sarah Dwight, b. March 29, 1828, m. Frederic B. Nason, and d. Sept. 21, 1870, aet. 42.

6547. iii. Ella Louisa Dwight, b. March 23, 1841, m. Walter L. Titcomb, and for a 2d husband Charles L. Spaulding.

6545. i. Mary Frances Dwight, b. March 29, 1828, m. Dec. 30, 1850, Cyrus Clark Richmond, b. Nov. 8, 1824 (son of Capt. Nathan Rich-

mond of Winthrop and Nancy Sweet), a wholesale druggist and apothecary. He d. of typhoid fever at San Francisco, June 1, 1852, without issue. She m. for a 2d husband, May 27, 1858, Hon. Francis Everett Webb, b. March 13, 1829 (son of Samuel Webb and Olive Lambert of Winthrop, Me.), grad. at Bowdoin Coll. in 1853, tutor there (1854-5), a lawyer at Winthrop, Me., where he d. Nov. 20, 1869, aet. 40, suddenly. He was a member of the Maine Legislature in 1861 and 1865, and State Bank Commissioner (1866-7). He was also town treasurer, a bank director and county attorney. He was an earnest supporter of gospel institutions and specially fond of giving instruction in the Sabbath School. His widow resides now in Winchester, Mass. He furnished most of the facts here detailed concerning the descendants of Joseph C. Dwight, Esq.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By the second marriage:*

6548. i. Mary Everett Webb, b. Jan. 11, 1862.

6549. ii. Annie Dwight Webb, b. June 22, 1865.

[Seventh Generation.]

6546. ii. Anne Sarah Dwight (dau. of Joseph Cutler Dwight and Mary Moore Farrell), b. March 29, 1828, m. Dec. 14, 1852, Frederic Bartholomew Nason, b. Aug. 23, 1830 (son of Bartholomew Nason and Hannah Craig), a merchant at Medford, Steele Co., Minn. He d. July 18, 1866, suddenly of rheumatic fever at Hallowell, Me. She d. of consumption, Sept. 21, 1870, at Winthrop.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6551. i. Alice Dwight Nason, b. Dec. 3, 1853, resides at Winchester, Mass., with Mrs. Webb.

6552. ii. Joseph Dwight Nason, b. March 21, 1857, resides with his uncle Elias Nason at Boston.

[Seventh Generation.]

6547. iii. Ella Louisa Dwight, b. March 23, 1841, m. Sept. 9, 1861, Walter Lawrence Titcomb, b. May 1841 (son of Capt. Emerson Titcomb of Farmingdale, Me., and Mary Helen Robinson). He was educated in Germany and England. In 1863 he entered the U. S. Navy, after passing the necessary examination, that he might serve his country in that way, and especially at that time, and was one of the officers of the ill-fated Monitor "Tecumseh," which struck a torpedo and went down in Mobile Bay, Ala. He had been Acting Ensign on board the U. S. ship "Owasco" of the West Gulf Squadron, and was transferred only the day previously, at his own request, to the Tecumseh. In his last letter home he wrote: "Farragut is about to attack Mobile: he has not men enough now; and there will be hot work before he gets

in. As 'The Owasco' is at the Navy Yard for repairs, and will be unfit for duty until October, I have offered my services for the impending fight, and asked to be transferred temporarily to some vessel that will take an active part in the engagement. I came out here to fight for the cause; and I wish now to do all in my power to advance it; and I will never go home and have it said that I lay idle at the Navy Yard while gallant men were struggling to take Mobile. Have I done right, father?" The brave hero went down with his ship, standing faithfully at his post, Aug. 4, 1864. She m. for a 2d husband, March 22, 1870, Charles Lewis Spaulding, a bookseller and stationer in Hallowell, Me., b. there June 1839 (son of Calvin Spaulding and Amelia Poole). She had by her first marriage one child:

5553. 1. Walter Dwight Titcomb, b. Nov. 1, 1863.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 916.

6405. xii. Samuel Dwight (son of Col. Simeon Dwight and Sibyl Dwight), b. Dec. 7, 1765, m. May 5, 1785, Ruth Furnace of New Braintree, Mass., b. Nov. 22, 1763 (dau. of Benjamin Furnace of Greenwich, Mass., and Sarah Webber), a woman of intelligence and of energy of character.

He was an enterprising farmer at Belchertown, and religious and much respected. He d. April 10, 1817, aet. 51: she d. Feb. 26, 1853, aet. 89.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6554. i. Sarah Dwight, b. Sept. 21, 1785, m. Moses Kilbourn, and d. April 19, 1827.

6555. ii. Clarissa Dwight, b. Dec. 12, 1786, m. Oliver Cole, and d. Jan. 17, 1857, aet. 70.

6556. iii. Lydia Dwight, b. Sept. 8, 1788, m. Amasa Walker, Jr., and d. Feb. 26, 1841, aet. 52.

6557. iv. Ruth Dwight, b. Oct. 2, 1790, m. Joseph Reed, and d. Aug. 29, 1870, aet. 79.

6558. v. Nancy Dwight, b. March 13, 1793, d. Oct. 21, 1798.

6559. vi. John Dwight, b. June 2, 1795, d. Aug. 7, 1851, aet. 56.

6560. vii. Jerusha Dwight, b. Oct. 4, 1797, m. Lemuel Randall.

6561. viii. Samuel Dwight, Jr., b. Jan. 2, 1800.

6562. ix. Nancy Dwight, 2d, b. May 21, 1802, m. Joel Bullard.

6563. x. Asahel Dwight, b. Nov. 2, 1805, was a youth of superior talents and scholarly tastes, but was drowned in Swift River, Mass., May 24, 1820.

6564. xi. Elihu Dwight, b. July 30, 1808, d. Nov. 20, 1809.

6565. xii. Emily Dwight, b. Sept. 21, 1810, m. Horatio Brown.

6554. i. Sarah Dwight, b. Sept. 21, 1785, m. Dec. 12, 1806. Moses



Kilbourn, b. in Bolton, Ct., in 1772 (son of Benjamin Kilbourn of Munster, N. J., and afterwards of Bolton, Ct., and at last of Belchertown, Mass., and Elizabeth Goodrich), a farmer in Belchertown, Mass. He d. at Bolton, Ct., in 1841. She was drowned April 19, 1827, in Swift River, Mass., near Belchertown. Her horse became frightened in crossing the stream, and backed off from the bridge on which he was, and which was unprotected by any railing, into the water, where both she and the horse were drowned together. "She was a woman of more than ordinary intelligence and Christian principle."

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6566. i. Benjamin Kilbourn, b. Aug. 18, 1808, d. May 19, 1861.

6567. ii. Elizabeth Goodrich Kilbourn, b. Feb. 19, 1810, m. Samuel Hulett, and d. in 1839.

6568. iii. Lucy Emmeline Kilbourn, b. Nov. 19, 1811, m. Henry Maynard.

6566. i. Benjamin Kilbourn, b. Aug. 18, 1808, m. May 20, 1830, Eleanor Maynard of Shrewsbury, Mass., b. Oct. 17, 1810 (dau. of Benjamin Maynard and Maria Curtis): a blacksmith. He was one of the first settlers of Rockford, Ill. (in 1837), and saw it grow from a place of 5 or 6 houses to a city of several thousand inhabitants. He purchased a quarter-section of land, now within the city limits, and worked effectively two valuable stone quarries upon his farm. He d. May 19, 1861, aet. 52. She m. a Mr. Fales of Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6569. i. Albert Gustavus Kilbourn, b. June 1, 1832, d. March 8, 1834.

6570. ii. Gustavus Kilbourn, b. Nov. 30, 1834, d. May 26, 1835.

6571. iii. Ellen Kilbourn, b. and d. Feb. 10, 1837.

6572. iv. Sarah Maria Kilbourn, b. May 12, 1838, d. at Rockford, Ill., Dec. 21, 1844.

6573. v. Mary Louisa Kilbourn, b. April 12, 1840, m. Thomas W. Carrico.

6574. vi. Edmund Benjamin Kilbourn, b. Aug. 17, 1842, enlisted Aug. 7, 1862, as a private in Co. D, of the 74th Ill. Regt., and d. Feb. 24, 1863, in Hospital No. 5, at Murfreesboro, Tenn.

6575. vii. Harriet Kilbourn, b. July 13, d. July 16, 1849.

6573. v. Mary Louisa Kilbourn, b. April 12, 1840, m. Nov. 10, 1857, Thomas Wallace Carrico, b. in Beverley, Mass., June 9, 1831 (son of Thomas Carrico, afterwards of Woodbine, Iowa, and Mary Raymond), a manager of the business of stone quarrying at Rockford, Ill., and a farmer. Children:

6576. 1. Frank Kilbourn Carrico, b. Nov. 12, 1858.

6577. 2. Mary Eleanor Carrico, b. March 22, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.]

6567. ii. Elizabeth Goodrich Kilbourn (dau. of Moses Kilbourn and Sarah Dwight), b. Feb. 19, 1810, m. March 12, 1831, Samuel Hulett, then of Byron, N. Y. (son of Dr. Oliver Hulett), a farmer at Jackson, Mich. She d. in 1839.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6578. i. Herbert Hulett, b. about 1832, d. aet. 9 months.

6579. ii. Benjamin Franklin Hulett, b. about 1833, d. aet. 1 year.

6580. iii. Sarah Hulett, b. May 25, 1835, m. Nov. 19, 1858, Hiram Hungerford Waldo, b. in Elba, N. Y., Nov. 23, 1827 (son of Hiram Waldo and Dulcinea Foster), a bookseller, in Rockford, Ill. One child :

6581. 1. Clara Elizabeth Waldo, b. Sept. 10, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

6568. iii. Lucy Emmeline Kilbourn (dau. of Moses Kilbourn and Sarah Dwight), b. Nov. 19, 1811, m. Jan. 6, 1841, Henry Maynard, b. April 22, 1809 (son of Benjamin Maynard of Shrewsbury, Mass., and Maria Curtis). A machinist in Worcester, Mass, he removed thence to Rockford, Ill., in 1837, where he was a carpenter for 30 years, until his death, Feb. 22, 1867. His widow still resides at Rockford, and from her the facts here furnished concerning her father's descendants were procured.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6582. i. Edward Curtis Maynard, b. Oct. 6, 1841.

6583. ii. Olivia Dwight Maynard, b. July 12, 1843, d. Sept. 16, 1844.

6584. iii. Henry Dwight Maynard, b. May 12, 1845, d. Sept. 11, 1845.

6585. iv. Henry Hulett Maynard, b. Nov. 17, 1847, is engaged in the clothing business at Rockford.

6586. v. Maria Eliza Maynard, b. Oct. 16, 1853.

6587. vi. Charles Warren Maynard, b. Dec. 7, 1855.

6582. i. Edward Curtis Maynard, b. Oct. 6, 1841, m. Sept 18, 1862, Eliza Oatzmann, b. Nov. 1, 1844 (dau. of William Oatzmann and Mary Hinkley). He is a carpenter at Rockford.

[Tenth Generation.] Children :

6588. i. Frank William Maynard, b. July 11, 1864.

6589. ii. Mary Emmeline Maynard, b. Feb. 3, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

6555. iii. Clarissa Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Ruth Furnace), b. Dec. 12, 1786, m. March 3, 1807, Oliver Cole, b. Jan. 23, 1787 (son of John Cole of Belchertown and Betsey Smith), a farmer at Belchertown. He d. April 28, 1854: she d. Jan. 17, 1857, aet. 70.



Asa W. Aldrich, b. at Elba, Aug. 28, 1835 (son of Asa Aldrich and Abigail ———), a carpenter and joiner at Elba.

6608. iii. Edmund Franklin Wilcox, b. Nov. 14, 1842, enlisted Jan. 29, 1865, as an Union soldier, at Bedford, Mich., in Co. I of the Ninth Mich. Regt. He d., without fighting a battle, of typhoid fever, May 5, 1865, at Cumberland Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., aet. 22.

[Eighth Generation.]

6598. vi. Oliver Dexter Cole (son of Oliver Cole and Clarissa Dwight), b. Jan 29, 1818, m. Jan. 19, 1851, widow Caroline Macomber, *née* Richards, b. April 13, 1823 (dau. of David and Lucy Richards) : a mechanic and farmer at Climax, Mich.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6609. i. Nancy M. Cole, b. Oct. 25, 1852, d. Dec. 16, 1853.

6610. ii. George C. Cole, b. Jan. 27, 1856.

6611. iii. Oliver M. Cole, b. Feb. 5, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

6599. vii. Samuel Dwight Cole (son of Oliver Cole and Clarissa Dwight), b. Oct. 8, 1819, m. April 10, 1850, Susan Shumway, b. June 14, 1823 (dau. of Cyril Shumway of Belchertown, Mass., and Hannah Hannun). He is a farmer at Bedford Centre, Calhoun Co., Mich. Children :

6614. 1. Emma Jane Cole, b. Dec. 11, 1850.

6615. 2. Eliza Sophia Cole, b. Oct. 8, 1853.

6616. 3. Elmer Dwight Cole, b. April 6, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 931.

6556. iii. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight of Belchertown and Ruth Furnace), b. Sept. 8, 1788, m. March 11, 1813, Amasa Walker, Jr., a wealthy farmer in Byron, N. Y., b. April 14, 1791 (son of Amasa Walker of Byron, b. in 1767, and d. in 1828, and Martha Smith of Ashford, Ct., b. in 1767, and d. Nov. 7, 1851). She d. Feb. 26, 1841, and he m. for 2d wife, Dec. 23, 1842, Lydia Nichols of Belchertown, Mass. (dau. of Elijah Nichols). He d. Dec. 3, 1867, aet. 76.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6618. i. Amasa Dwight Walker, b. Jan. 18, 1814.

6619. ii. Lydia Emily Walker, b. Feb. 14, 1816.

6620. iii. Mary Elizabeth Walker, b. June 5, 1818, d. unmarried Nov. 8, 1843.

6621. iv. George Washington Walker, b. May 14, 1820, d. unmarried Feb. 14, 1843.

6622. v. Asahel Augustus Walker, b. March 8, 1823.

6623. vi. Joseph Smith Walker, b. May 20, 1826, d. June 20, 1843.



6624. vii. John Corydon Walker, b. May 13, 1829.

6618. i. Amasa Dwight Walker, b. Jan. 18, 1814, m. June 1, 1841, Lucretia Bridgman of Union, N. Y., b. Dec. 11, 1816 (dau. of Guy Bridgman and Eunice Hapgood, dau. of Seth Hapgood of Petersham, Mass.). He was a farmer in Hamlin, Monroe Co., N. Y. He d. of softening of the brain, Sept. 7, 1872.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6625. i. George Winfield Walker, b. Jan. 2, 1843, enlisted Aug. 5, 1862, as a private in Co. H of the 8th N. Y. Regt. of Artillery, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, and was in the battles of the Wilderness, North Anna and Cold Harbor. In the last battle named he was severely wounded, June 3, 1864—his regiment losing its colonel, and seven men only remaining fit for duty in his company on the following morning. Recovering from his wound he returned, in Feb. 1865, to duty, and was in service all through Grant's last campaign, up to the surrender of Lee at Clover Hill, and the close of the war. He was mustered out of the service June 20, 1865, at Rochester. He was a farmer at Hamlin, N. Y. where he d. Jan. 5, 1870, from the effects of the wound received June 1864, mentioned above.

6626. ii. Mariette Elizabeth Walker, b. Jan. 12, 1845.

6627. iii. Eleanor Lucretia Walker, b. May 12, 1847.

6628. iv. Augustus Dwight Walker, b. April 6, 1850.

6629. v. Netty Walker, b. Oct. 29, 1854.

[Eighth Generation.]

6622. v. Asahel Augustus Walker (son of Amasa Walker, Jr., and Lydia Dwight), b. March 8, 1823, m. May 3, 1856, Sarah M. Ford, b. Nov. 23, 1835 (dau. of William Ford of Elba, N. Y., and Almira Barber). He is a farmer in Byron, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6630. i. A child, unnamed, b. Nov. 23, 1858, d. soon.

6631. ii. Edgar A. Walker, b. Nov. 4, 1860.

6632. iii. Julia A. Walker, b. July 19, 1862, d. Sept. 14, 1863.

6633. iv. William A. Walker, b. April 13, 1864.

6634. v. Charles F. Walker, b. Nov. 13, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.]

6624. vii. John Corydon Walker (son of Amasa Walker and Lydia Dwight), b. May 13, 1829, m. Oct. 31, 1856, Harriet Clark, b. May 7, 1834 (dau. of William Clark and Eliza Drake). He is a farmer in South Byron, N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6637. i. Ada Mary Walker, b. Jan. 18, 1858.

6638. ii. Anna Eliza Walker, b. Feb. 13, 1861.

6639. iii. Frank Clark Walker, b. Jan. 19, 1864.

6640. iv. Harry Walker, b. Aug. 12, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

6557. iv. Ruth Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight of Belchertown and Ruth Furnace), b. Oct. 2, 1790, m. March 22, 1819, Joseph Reed, then of Belchertown, b. March 11, 1790 (son of Joseph Reed and Hannah Learned), a farmer in Wilmington, Vt. She d. Aug. 29, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Samuel Dwight Reed, b. Feb. 8, 1820, d. Nov. 20, 1858, a farmer at Wilmington, Vt., unmarried.

\*\*\*\* ii. Charles Furnace Reed, b. Jan. 23, 1822, is a farmer at Guilford, Vt.

\*\*\*\* iii. Clara Ann Reed, b. Aug. 13, 1823, m. Dec. 31, 1850, Abel Sanders Johnson, b. Dec. 6, 1820 (son of Moses Johnson of Dover, Vt., and Ruth Ann Dowley), a farmer at Brattleboro, Vt. Two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Mary Dowley Johnson, b. at Dover, Sept. 29, 1851.

\*\*\*\* 2. Clara Ann Johnson, b. there Oct. 19, 1854.

\*\*\*\* iv. Edward Lincoln Reed, b. Sept. 4, 1824, m. Dec. 31, 1850, Miriam Tryphena Johnson (dau. of Moses Johnson of Dover and Ruth Ann Dowley). He is a farmer at Whitingham, Vt.

\*\*\*\* v. Henry Hinsdale Reed, b. Aug. 16, 1826, m. March 29, 1852, Lucy Eveline Lincoln (dau. of Calvin Lincoln of Wilmington, Vt., and Lois Bartlett). He was a plane-maker at Wilmington. She d. July 13, 1855. He m. Oct. 14, 1855, Julia L. Boyd (dau. of Ervine Boyd of Wilmington, Vt.). He d. Nov. 3, 1860. He had a dau. by his first wife:

\*\*\*\* 1. Julia Eveline Reed, b. July 14, 1853.

\*\*\*\* vi. Jason William Reed, b. June 16, 1829, m. Oct. 25, 1864, Sarah Jane Jacobs, b. July 23, 1843 (dau. of Joseph Jacobs of Guilford, Vt., and Elmira Weatherhead). He was a joiner at Guilford. He d. Nov. 1870. They had 2 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Laura Elmina Reed, b. Dec. 1, 1865.

\*\*\*\* 2. George Joseph Reed, b. May 21, 1867.

\*\*\*\* vii. Emily Jane Reed, b. Feb. 2, 1834, m. May 7, 1862, Erasmus May, b. Jan. 9, 1823 (son of Alvin May of Marlboro, Vt., and Nancy Giles), a farmer at Wilmington, Vt. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. George Elwyn May, b. Aug. 23, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

6559. vii. John Dwight (son of Samuel Dwight of Belchertown and Ruth Furnace), b. June 2, 1795, m. May 27, 1820, Esther Billings of Belchertown, Mass., b. June 2, 1795 (dau. of Joseph Billings, b. Nov.

25, 1763, and d. June 14, 1828, and Priscilla Barden, b. Nov. 13, 1764). She d. July 29, 1842, and he m. for a 2d wife, April 25, 1843, Lois B. Wells, of Montague, Mass., b. May 1, 1812 (dau. of Benjamin Stout Wells and Mehitable Clapp). He was a farmer at Belchertown, Mass., where he d. Aug. 7, 1851, aet. 56. His widow resided at Montague, Mass., until her death, Aug. 3, 1873. He is described as having been "an intelligent, prompt, strict, good man."

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

6643. i. Asahel Dwight, b. Feb. 2, 1822.

6644. ii. Jason Leander Dwight, b. April 27, 1824.

6645. iii. David Billings Dwight, b. April 29, 1828, is a farmer in Enfield, Mass.

6646. iv. George Dwight, b. Sept. 22, 1830, is a carpenter and joiner in San Francisco, Cal.

6647. v. Nelson Dwight, b. Oct. 1, 1833, is a carpenter and builder in Springfield, Mass.

6648. vi. Lorenzo Dwight, b. June 10, 1835, is a farmer in Sonora, Cal.

6649. vii. A son, unnamed, b. and d. Nov. 6, 1837.

6650. viii. Jenny Olivia Dwight, b. May 4, 1839, m. William H. Corey.

*By second wife:*

6651. ix. Esther Bardwell Dwight, b. Jan. 22, 1844, m. May 10, 1865, Rollin Neale Clapp, b. Aug. 18, 1843 (son of Martin Harvey Clapp and Maria Russell), a mechanic at Montague, Mass. No issue.

6652. x. Julia Ann Dwight, b. Feb. 19, 1845, d. Sept. 29, 1845.

6643. i. Asahel Dwight, b. Feb. 2, 1822, m. Maria D. Allen, b. in Athol, Mass., Dec. 26, 1822 (dau. of James Allen of North Brookfield, Mass., and Dolly Henshaw). She d. in Belchertown, Jan. 9, 1864. He is a wood-turner and manufacturer of pumps at South Amherst, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.]

6653. i. Ella Maria Dwight, b. in Amherst, Nov. 17, 1849.

6654. ii. George Homer Dwight, b. there March 31, 1851.

6655. iii. Arthur Eugene Dwight, b. in Belchertown, Nov. 27, 1855.

6656. iv. James Herbert Dwight, b. there Oct. 13, 1857, d. Aug. 13, 1862.

6657. v. Mary Isabel Dwight, b. there April 19, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

6644. ii. Jason Leander Dwight (son of John Dwight and Esther Billings), b. April 27, 1824, m. Nov. 21, 1849, Margaret Olivia Smith

of Granby, Mass. b. Aug. 14, 1826 (dau. of Zebina Smith and Hannah Moody). He was a carpenter and millwright at Rockford (1852-65), and in Colorado for a short time (1865-7), but in 1867 returned to Rockford again.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6658. i. Mary Olivia Dwight, b. at S. Hadley, Mass., Oct. 22, 1850, d. at Rockford, Ill., Oct. 25, 1855.

6659. ii. Adeline Gertrude Dwight, b. July 9, 1853, at Rockford, d. Sept. 10, 1853.

6660. iii. Edgar Jason Dwight, b. June 3, 1855, d. Sept. 3, 1855.

6661. iv. Linnie Adelle Dwight, b. May 31, 1858.

[Eighth Generation.]

6648. vi. Lorenzo Dwight (son of John Dwight and Esther Billings), b. June 10, 1835, m. Jan. 6, 1868, in Denver, Colorado, Mary Ann Kinney (dau. of Norman P. Kinney). He was a farmer for some time in Colorado, and is now in Sonora, Cal. Children:

6662. 1. (A son) Dwight, b. Dec. 1868.

[Eighth Generation.]

6650. viii. Jenny Olivia Dwight (dau. of John Dwight and Esther Billings), b. May 4, 1839, m. in Rockford, Sept. 9, 1862, William Henry Corey, b. in Hancock, Mass., 1837 (son of Hamilton Corey and Lydia Streeter), a farmer in South Grove, Ill., and since 1868 in Malta, Ill. Children:

6664. 1. Ettie Olivia Corey, b. June 30, 1863, d. Aug. 4, 1863.

6665. 2. Hury Angeline Corey, b. July 21, 1864.

6666. 3. Mary Dwight Corey, b. Oct. 24, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

6560. vii. Jerusha Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Ruth Furnace), b. Oct. 4, 1797, m. Sept. 11, 1816, Lemuel Randall, b. March 23, 1787 (son of Ichabod Randall of Enfield, Mass., and Elizabeth Titus), a farmer in Belchertown. He d. Sept. 8, 1868, aet. 81, "an upright man of deep religious feeling."

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6667. i. Asahel Dwight Randall, b. Feb. 1, 1817, d. June 18, 1826.

6668. ii. Nancy Maria Randall, b. April 19, 1818, m. May 30, 1841, Joseph Bennett (son of Joseph and Esther Bennett), a blacksmith at Belchertown. She d. Dec. 20, 1842.

6669. iii. Fanny Esther Randall, b. Dec. 20, 1819, resides unmarried at Belchertown.

6670. iv. Emily Dwight Randall, b. Aug. 25, 1821, m. Jan. 8, 1864, George A. Ward (son of Walter Ward), a farmer in Terre Haute, Ind.

6671. v. Alonzo Dwight Randall, b. Dec. 8, 1824.



6672. vi. Charles Lyman Randall, b. May 5, 1828, a farmer at Belchertown, and unmarried.

6673. vii. Cordelia Ann Randall, b. Oct. 6, 1831, m. Elisha Hubbard.

6671. v. Alonzo Dwight Randall, b. Dec. 8, 1824, m. Nov. 19, 1851, Amy A. Owen, b. Oct. 4, 1829 (dau. of Ralph Owen of Belchertown and Fanny Bissell). He is a farmer at Belchertown. Children:

6674. 1. Ella Amelia Randall, b. May 15, 1854.

6675. 2. Edward Alonzo Randall, b. Dec. 8, 1857.

6676. 3. Frances Sophia Randall, b. June 22, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.]

6673. vii. Cordelia Ann Randall (dau. of Lemuel Randall and Jerusha Dwight), b. Oct. 6, 1831, m. Nov. 19, 1851, Elisha Hubbard, b. Jan. 15, 1828 (son of Stearns Hubbard of Hatfield, Mass., and Electa White), a farmer in Hatfield. Children:

6677. 1. Alice Maria Hubbard, b. Oct. 25, 1852.

6678. 2. Mary Louisa Hubbard, b. March 22, 1855.

6679. 3. Nelly Gertrude Hubbard, b. May 23, 1863.

6680. 4. George W. Hubbard, b. Oct. 24, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 931.

6561. viii. Samuel Dwight, Jr. (son of Samuel Dwight and Ruth Furnace), b. Jan. 2, 1800, m. Sept. 27, 1826, Darsa Bartlett, b. Feb. 11, 1807 (dau. of Gideon Bartlett of Enfield, Mass., and Lydia Brown). He is a large farmer at Belchertown. She d. April 27, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6682. i. Estes Ashmun Dwight, b. June 6, 1827, a farmer at Brookfield, Mass.

6683. ii. Corydon Greenwood Dwight, b. Sept. 21, 1828.

6684. iii. Avery Augustus Dwight, b. Feb. 25, 1830.

6685. iv. Austin Erskine Dwight, b. Feb. 21, 1832.

6686. v. Lydia Almira Dwight, b. Oct. 25, 1833, m. Lewis Dodge.

6687. vi. Maria Emma Dwight, b. Jan. 29, 1836, was a teacher in Belchertown formerly, and afterwards at Enfield, Mass., as she has been more recently at Douglas, Mich., and is now (1873) at Grand Rapids, Mich.

6688. vii. Clarissa Jane Dwight, b. May 4, 1837, m. March 23, 1859, Andrew Wilson Aldrich, a farmer in Ware, Mass. (son of Nahum White Aldrich of Belchertown and Cynthia Buffington). No children:

6689. viii. Sarah Eliza Dwight, b. July 21, 1839, a teacher at Belchertown and Enfield, Mass., m. April 28, 1870, Ambrose Munsell of

Belchertown (son of Phineas Redington Munsell and Rebecca White), a mechanic at Enfield, Mass. No children:

6690. ix. Harrison Henry Dwight, b. Dec. 29, 1841, was a brass-moulder in New Haven, Ct., and afterwards at Chicago, Ill. He perished, as is supposed, in "the great fire" of 1871 in that city. His friends searched diligently to find him afterwards, but in vain.

6691. x. Albert Elihu Dwight, b. Sept. 14, 1844, a farmer at Belchertown.

6692. xi. Emily Augusta Dwight, b. Aug. 3, 1846, was a teacher at Douglas, Mich. She m. Jan. 2, 1871, Sylvester Pomeroy Hicks, b. Feb. 28, 1844 (son of John Hicks and Jane Winegar of Rome, Mich.), grad. at Kalamazoo Coll., Mich., principal of the Union School at Lowell, Mich. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Dwight Pomeroy Hicks, b. Aug. 22, 1872, d. Sept. 27, 1872.

6693. xii. Mary Victoria Dwight, b. Aug. 7, 1848, was a milliner in Belchertown. She m. May 17, 1871, Barnabas Chapin Snow, a merchant at Ware, Mass. (son of Barnabas Snow of Ware and Julia Warren Fisk). One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Gracia May Snow, b. Oct. 15, 1873.

6683. ii. Corydon Greenwood Dwight, b. Sept. 21, 1828, m. June 10, 1851, Sarah Elizabeth Northrup, b. July 21, 1833 (dau. of Daniel Northrup of Newton, Ct., and Rachel Ellwood). He was for some years a brass-moulder at New Haven, Ct. (1859-65), and removed from there in Oct. 1865 to Martin, Mich., where he was a large farmer until April 1869, since which time he has lived in Plainville, Mich., where he has been a money-lender and been engaged in various business operations.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6694. i. Stephen Northrup Dwight, b. June 10, 1851, is a book-keeper in a bank at Independence, Kansas (1873).

6695. ii. Austin Herschel Dwight, b. Jan. 19, 1853.

6696. iii. Emma Maria Dwight, b. April 9, 1856.

6697. iv. Walter Everett Dwight, b. June 14, 1859.

6698. v. Henry Elwood Dwight, b. Jan. 31, 1864, at New Haven, d. March 14, 1865.

6699. vi. Oliver Frederic Dwight, b. at Martin, Mich, March 13, 1866.

6700. vii. Harvey Augustus Dwight, b. there Jan. 11, 1868.

\*\*\*\* viii. Corydon Greenwood Dwight, b. at Plainwell, Mich., May 8, 1870.

\*\*\*\* ix. Mary Elizabeth Dwight, b. there Dec. 11, 1873.

[Eighth Generation.]

6684. iii. Avery Augustus Dwight (son of Samuel Dwight, Jr., and

Darsa Bartlett), b. Feb. 25, 1839, m. Sept. 3, 1853, Jane Rose Wood of Batavia, N. Y., b. March 13, 1835, at Naples, N. Y. (dau. of Henry Tunstall Wood, a gunsmith, and Nancy Whaley). He is a cooper and a farmer at Martin, Mich.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6701. i. George Henry Dwight, b. Oct. 21, 1854.

6702. ii. Marian Edith Dwight, b. Jan. 26, 1856, d. Jan. 25, 1870.

6703. iii. Martha Myra Dwight, b. May 25, 1861.

6704. iv. Ada Sibyl Dwight, b. March 2, 1863.

\*\*\*\* v. Harry Avery Dwight, b. April 25, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.]

6685. iv. Austin Erskine Dwight, b. Feb. 21, 1832, m. Nov. 22, 1860, Hester Ann Hosselkus, b. March 18, 1838 (dau. of Daniel Hosselkus of Oakfield, N. Y., and Deborah Kellogg). He is a cooper at Decatur, Mich., since 1856. Children:

6706. 1. Jenny Dwight, b. Feb. 27, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 2. Lewis Daniel Dwight, b. March 4, 1873.

[Eighth Generation.]

6686. v. Lydia Almira Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight, Jr., and Darsa Bartlett), b. Oct. 25, 1833, m. May 4, 1853, Lewis Dodge, a blacksmith and farmer at Pelham, Mass. Four children, Nos. 6708-11: Lewis Elhner, Henry Francis, Della Almira, Anna Maria.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 931.

6562. ix. Nancy Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Ruth Furnace), b. May 21, 1802, m. May 28, 1823, Joel Bullard, b. Oct. 7, 1796 (son of Silas Bullard and Polly Furnace), a farmer at Oakham, Mass. He d. Nov. 27, 1859, aet. 63. She still (1873) resides at Oakham.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6714. i. Dwight Bullard, b. Feb. 6, 1824.

6715. ii. Nancy Bullard, b. May 5, 1828, d. Dec. 4, 1860, aet. 32.

6716. iii. Silas Bullard, b. Oct. 1, 1829, was a farmer at Oakham, where he d. Dec. 11, 1860, aet. 31.

6717. iv. Asahel Bullard, b. March 13, 1831, resides at Oakham. He was an Union soldier in the late war, and was taken prisoner and confined for 6 months in the prison at Salisbury, N. C.—barely escaping with his life. He is a carpenter and unmarried (1873).

6718. v. Sanford Henry Bullard, b. Aug. 17, 1835, is a farmer and butcher at Oakham, and unmarried (1873).

6719. vi. Joel Bullard, b. July 6, 1837.

6720. vii. William Harrison Bullard, b. April 22, 1840, was an

Union soldier in the late war, and was killed at the battle of Cold Harbor, Va., June 3, 1864, aet. 24.

6721. viii. John Bullard, b. Jan. 30, 1843, is an invalid, residing at the old homestead in Oakham.

6722. ix. Clara Ann Bullard, b. Nov. 25, 1845, m. May 23, 1871, Roland Winter of Oakham, of English birth (son of Roland Winter and Eleanor Robinson).

6714. i. Dwight Bullard, b. Feb. 6, 1824, m. June 24, 1851, Fanny Loretta Sterns, b. in Spencer, Mass., March 27, 1830 (dau. of Isaac Stearns and Betsey Bent). He is a carpenter at Oakham. Children:

6723. 1. Lizzie Jane Bullard, b. Feb. 3, 1853.

6724. 2. Charles Dwight Bullard, b. June 29, 1859.

6725. 3. Josephine Etta Bullard, b. Oct. 27, 1866.

[Eighth Generation.]

6719. vi. Joel Bullard (son of Joel Bullard and Nancy Dwight), b. July 6, 1837, m. May 17, 1866, Mary Louisa Parker, b. in Peterboro, N. H. (dau. of Calvin Parker of Jaffrey, N. H.). She d. Sept 29, 1866, and he m. March 26, 1868, for 2d wife, Mary Emma Adams of N. Brookfield, Mass, b. June 8, 1843 (dau. of Charles and Caroline Adams). He was a sider of boots at North Brookfield, Mass., for several years, but since 1871 has been engaged in same business at Barre, Mass.

[Seventh Generation.] See page 931.

6565. xii. Emily Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Ruth Furnace), b. Sept. 21, 1810, m. Aug. 10, 1837, Horatio Brown of Heath, Mass., b. Sept. 21, 1808 (son of Daniel Brown and Nancy Harrington), a mechanic and farmer at Enfield, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6726. i. Henry Edwards Brown, b. Oct. 17, 1838.

6727. ii. Lyman Dwight Brown, b. July 5, 1842, a clerk in New York, salesman and travelling-agent for the Nashuwanuck Manufacturing Co.

6726. i. Henry Edwards Brown, b. Oct. 17, 1838, m. Nov. 9, 1863, Jane Catharine Rice of Belchertown, b. Aug. 23, 1840 (dau. of Lyman Rice and Nancy Bugbee). He is a farmer at Enfield, Mass. In the winter he teaches school. Children:

6728. 1. Nelly Eliza Brown, b. June 9, 1864.

6729. 2. Walter Lyman Brown, b. Sept. 5, 1865.

Of the descendants of Samuel Dwight and Ruth Furnace the view here presented, while far from complete, embraces some 200 names.

Of this and the other Belchertown branches of the Dwight Family, it is said, and as the author believes, with truth, that "they have been



usually active, enterprising, successful men; men of intelligence, intellectual momentum and great moral integrity, honest and honorable, free from vice, and from all public forms of mental and moral self-wastefulness."

The males of the family have not, as an usual fact, been long-lived, while vigorous health and longevity have been quite frequent characteristics of the Belchertown women of the family.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 916.

6406. xiii. Lydia Dwight (dau. of Col. Simeon Dwight and Sibyl Dwight), b. Dec. 4, 1767, m. Oct. 23, 1788, Shadrach Trumbull as his 2d wife. He was b. probably about 1756, and, as the author supposes, at Suffield; but his parentage has not been ascertained. He was a tailor at Suffield. He d. July 7, 1811. She d. Aug. 8, 1844, aet. 76.

[His first wife was Jael Hathaway, dau. of Ebenezer Hathaway and Parnel King, b. Feb. 18, 1755, whom he m. April 12, 1779, and who d. Sept. 14, 1785. By her he had 4 children.]

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6731. i. Mary Trumbull, b. April 23, 1789, m. George Bradley.

6732. ii. Sarah Trumbull, b. April 25, 1792, d. Feb. 14, 1795.

6733. iii. Simeon Dwight Trumbull, b. April 8, 1796, d. unmarried Sept. 15, 1823.

6734. iv. Sarah Trumbull, 2d, b. June 12, 1798.

6735. v. Oliver Trumbull, b. Sept. 30, 1801, d. in New York.

6731. i. Mary Trumbull, b. April 23, 1789, m. Nov. 8, 1811, George Bradley of Granville, Mass., and afterwards of Blandford, Mass. Children:

6736. 1. Henry Dwight Bradley, b. at Granville Oct. 2, 1815.

6737. 2. Martha Emmeline Bradley, b. there July 8, 1817.

6738. 3. Sarah E. Bradley, b. Nov. 23, 1824, at Blandford.

The little here furnished of the Dwight-Trumbulls is all that could be ascertained concerning them.

Of the descendants of Col. Simeon Dwight of Warren, Mass., the names of some 350 of them are given, with such facts of their personal history as were discoverable, in the foregoing pages.

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[Fourth Generation.] See page 624.

4157. x. Anna Dwight (dau. of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., and Lydia Hawley), b. Sept. 24, 1724, m. July 30, 1749, Dr. Charles Pyncheon, b. Jan. 31, 1719 (son of Col. John Pyncheon of Springfield and Phebe Lester, his 2d wife. He was the youngest brother of Mary Pyncheon wife of Brig. Genl. Joseph Dwight. See, for Pyncheon lineage, page 628). He was a physician at Springfield,

Mass. He d. Aug. 9, 1783: she d. Dec. 22, 1802, aet. 78. He was a colonel of militia, and was often called "Colonel."

[Fifth Generation.] Children:

6739. i. Mary Pynchon, b. Feb. 1, 1753, m. Hon. Samuel Lyman.

6740. ii. Anna Pynchon, b. in 1754, m. in 1786, Col. Joseph Williams. She d. in 1797, no issue.

6739. i. Mary Pynchon, b. Feb. 1, 1753, m. about 1780 Hon. Samuel Lyman, b. Jan. 25, 1749 (son of Dea. Moses Lyman of Goshen, Ct., and Sarah Heighton of Windsor, Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1770, a lawyer, first at Hartford, Ct., and afterwards at Springfield, Mass., State Senator (1790-3) and M. C. (1795-1800). He d. at Springfield June 5, 1805, aet. 56.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6741. i. Charles Pynchon Lyman, b. about 1782, m. about 1804, Elizabeth Chapin of Chicopee, Mass. (dau. of Abel Chapin). He d. soon, leaving no issue. His widow m. for a 2d husband Dr. Samuel Kingsbury of Springfield, Mass.

6742. ii. Hon. Samuel Lyman, b. in 1786. He studied both divinity and law, and became a lawyer at Hartford, Ct., but was soon appointed to a desirable position in the pay-table office. He removed ere long to Springfield, and became a judge in the circuit court of Mass. He d. in 1841, aet. 55. He is said to have had 6 children. [It is wrongly stated in "the Lyman Genealogy," that he was grad. at Yale.] The records of this family have not been discovered, although faithfully sought for by the author. Was not he the one that m. Clarissa Gates, No. 2454. v.?

6743. iii. Mary Lyman, b. about 1788, m. about 1815, Capt. Robert Emery, b. Sept. 20, 1773 (son of John Emery of Newburyport, Mass., and Margaret Gookin), a ship-master in the East India trade. Retiring early from maritime life, he resided in Salem, Mass., for a few years (1808-15) and afterwards removed to Springfield, where he spent the rest of his life (1815-41) as a gentleman-farmer, owning a large estate. He d. Aug. 8, 1841, aet. 68. She d. Aug. 8, 1826.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6744. i. Charles Emery, b. July 1, 1816.

6745. ii. Robert Emery, b. in 1817, d. early.

6746. iii. John Albert Emery, b. Sept. 20, 1818, d. Oct. 25, 1842, when in his senior year in Harvard.

6747. iv. Mary Lyman Emery, b. Aug. 12, 1821, m. Charles B. Peirce.

6748. v. Robert Emery, 2d, b. about 1823, d. early.

6744. i. Charles Emery, b. July 1, 1816, m. Nov. 1, 1840, Susan Hilton Kelley, b. Sept. 16, 1821 (dau. of Hon. John Kelley of Exeter,

N. H., and Susan Hilton). He went to sea at 15 years of age, became captain at 20, and followed the sea until 1845, since which time he has resided chiefly in Dorchester, Mass., and has been engaged in the lumber and mining business.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 6749. i. Mary Abbot Emery, b. Feb. 23, 1843.
- 6750. ii. Susan Lavinia Emery, b. Sept. 26, 1846.
- 6751. iii. John Abbot Emery, b. Jan. 24, 1848.
- 6752. iv. Margaret Theresa Emery, b. Aug. 3, 1849.
- 6753. v. Julia Chester Emery, b. Sept. 24, 1852.
- 6754. vi. Charles Robert Emery, b. March, 10, 1854.
- 6755. vii. Edith Emery, b. March 14, 1855, d. Aug. 26, 1855.
- 6756. viii. Carrie Maria Emery, b. Oct. 18, 1856.
- 6757. ix. William Stanley Emery, b. May 6, 1858.
- 6758. x. Alice Kelley Emery, b. Sept. 2, 1859.
- 6759. xi. Helen Winthrop Emery, b. Sept. 30, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

6747. iv. Mary Lyman Emery (dau. of Capt. Robert Emery and Mary Lyman), b. Aug. 12, 1821, m. June 10, 1846, Charles Bates Peirce, b. Sept. 1805 (son of John Peirce of Dorchester, Mass., and Ann Bates). She d. April 2, 1857.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

- 6760. i. Elizabeth Emily Peirce, b. April 24, 1847.
- 6761. ii. Charles Bates Peirce, b. Sept. 3, 1851.

The number of the descendants of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass., presented in these pages is 2,809.

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| I. Those regularly enumerated.....           | 2,613       |
| II. Those added afterwards, and starred..... | 196         |
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IV.

THE DESCENDANTS OF MICHAEL DWIGHT OF DEDHAM.

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[Third Generation.] See page 106.

47. xii. Michael Dwight (son of Capt. Timothy Dwight of Dedham, and Anna Flint), b. Jan. 10, 1679–80, m. May 14, 1702, Rachel Avery, b. Sept. 1, 1679 (dau. of Capt. Robert Avery of Dedham and Elizabeth Lane, dau. of Job Lane). He lived in Dedham, where he d. in 1761, aet. 82. She d. in 1775, aet. 96, and was “a woman of piety and of strong powers of mind.”

[As a little incident of the times, the record is worth noticing, that “on May 2, 1723, Michael Dwight, Administrator of the estate of Mr. Robert Avery of Dedham, deceased, paid Benjamin Fitch of Boston, seven pounds thirteen shillings (or \$38)” for gloves, for the funeral of said Avery. That would be regarded as an immense outlay in these times for the gloves of a few pall-bearers.]

[Fourth Generation.] Children :

6762. i. Samuel Dwight, b. about 1703, d. about 1771; aet. about 68.

6763. ii. John Dwight, b. about 1705, d. in his early manhood (when, not known).

6764. iii. Rev. Daniel Dwight, b. Oct. 28, 1707, grad. at Harvard in 1726, d. July 4, 1747, aet. 39, unmarried. In “The Boston News Letter” it is said of him : “Having fitted for the ministry and been an occasional preacher, he had for years engaged in other business.”

6765. iv. Anna Dwight, b. about 1711, m. a Mr. Lyon of Roxbury, Mass. She d. in 1775. They had 3 children.

6766. v. Rachel Dwight, b. June 17, 1715, m. Dea. Samuel Deane, and d. about 1760.

6762. i. Samuel Dwight, b. about 1703, was a farmer in Sutton, where he settled in March 1730 ; when Michael Dwight, his father, executed a deed, “for love,” etc., of two 30-acre lots to him of land lying in Sutton near the meeting-house, valued at £80. On this land he lived for many years ; which is still, some of it, in the possession of his descendants. About 1755 he returned to Dedham to live—leaving



his farm in Sutton in the hands of his children. He m. Dec. 23, 1731, Jane Bulkley of Concord, Mass., b. about 1714 (dau. of Capt. Joseph Bulkley and widow Silence Jeffrey, *née* Kean, widow of Capt. Jeffrey, an officer in the British Naval Service on the coast of Newfoundland.) She d. about 1757. He m. for a 2d wife, July 23, 1760, widow Mary Fisher, previous wife of Joseph Fisher of Dedham. There was no issue by this marriage. He d. about 1771. His estate was valued at his death at £1,328 13s. 11d.

[Fifth Generation.] Children :

6767. i. Jane Dwight, b. Nov. 24, 1733, m. Nathaniel Carriel, and d. Feb. 4, 1772, aet. 38.

6768. ii. Silence Dwight, b. April 4, 1736, m. William King, and d. May 4, 1798, aet. 62.

6769. iii. Rachel Dwight, b. Sept. 8, 1738, m. Major George Gould, and d. March 15, 1834, aet. 95.

6770. iv. Timothy Dwight, b. May 27, 1741, d. March 2, 1769.

6771. v. Anna Dwight, b. July 21, 1748, m. Joseph Elliot, Jr., and d. Aug. 30, 1827, aet. 79.

6772. vi. Elizabeth Dwight, b. Aug. 14, 1751, m. Joseph Waters, and d. May 9, 1839, aet. 87.

6773. vii. Rebecca Dwight, b. May 19, 1754, m. Abraham Batcheller, and d. April 5, 1842, aet. 87.

[Capt. Joseph Bulkley was the son of Hon. Peter Bulkley, grad. at Harvard in 1660, son of Rev. Peter Bulkley, D.D., the first minister of Concord, Mass., and the common ancestor of the Bulkley family in New England. He was of honorable English descent. Robert Bulkley, one of the English barons, who in the reign of King John was Lord Mayor of Bulkley, Chester, was his ancestor. Rev. Peter Bulkley was b. at Woodhill, Bedfordshire, Eng., Jan. 31, 1583, and was son of Rev. Edward Bulkley, D.D., of Woodhill. He was educated at Cambridge, Eng., and came to Cambridge, Mass., in 1635. He was a thorough scholar, an eloquent preacher, a devoted Christian, and a man of large means and remarkable for his benevolence. He began the settlement of Concord with a few friends who accompanied him from England. His church was the 12th formed in the colony. He m. for his 2d wife, Grace Chitwood, dau. of Sir Richard Chitwood, by whom he had 4 children, one of whom, Major Peter Bulkley, was b. Aug. 12, 1643, and grad. at Harvard in 1660. He was for 8 successive terms one of the Court of Assistants (1677-85), and Speaker of the House of Deputies. He m. April 16, 1667, Rebecca Wheeler, dau. of Lt. Joseph Wheeler. Their son, Capt. Joseph Bulkley, b. Sept. 7, 1670, m. for his 2d wife, in 1713, widow Silence Jeffrey, by whom he had 3 sons,

Joseph, Peter and Charles (whose descendants have lived in Littleton, Mass.), and his dau. Jane, who m. Samuel Dwight.]

[Fifth Generation.]

6767. i. Jane Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight of Sutton, Mass., and Jane Bulkley), b. Nov. 24, 1733, m. Oct. 11, 1752, Ensign Nathaniel Carriel, a farmer in Sutton. She d. of apoplexy Feb. 4, 1772, aet. 38. He m. for a 2d wife, Dec. 29, 1772, widow Bridget Prime of Rowley, Mass.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

6774. i. Peter Carriel, b. Nov. 14, 1753, d. Dec. 10, 1754.

6775. ii. Anna Carriel, b. Dec. 16, 1755, m. May 26, 1774, Micah Putnam of Sutton, b. April 8, 1754 (son of Nathan Putnam). He removed to Paris Hill, N. Y. (Oneida Co.), where she d. about 1790. They had 2 children b. at Sutton:

6776. 1. Rebecca Putnam, b. Oct. 3, 1774.

6777. 2. Timothy Putnam, b. April 7, 1776.

There were other children b. at Paris Hill. Their names could not be discovered by researches made at this latter place, nor could the subsequent whereabouts of the family, after leaving it some 60 years ago or more, be ascertained.

6778. iii. Jane Carriel, b. May 1, 1758, m. May 8, 1777, Andrew Dodge of Dudley, Mass. She d. at Montpelier, Vt.

6779. iv. Rachel Carriel, b. Aug. 15, 1760, m. Feb. 20, 1780, Josiah Prime of Swansea, N. H.

6780. v. Timothy Carriel, bapt. March 6, 1763, m. his cousin, Mary Carriel, dau. of Capt. Jonathan Carriel of Lincoln, Mass. (brother to Ensign Nathaniel Carriel). They lived in Sutton and had 3 children:

6781. 1. Nathaniel Carriel, b. probably about 1783.

6782. 2. Jonathan Carriel, b. about 1785 probably.

6783. 3. Betsey Carriel, b. probably about 1787, m. S. Cummins of Sutton.

6784. vi. Aaron Carriel (son of Ensign Nathaniel Carriel of Sutton and Jane Dwight), b. March 9, 1765, d. at Charlestown, N. H., Jan. 18, 1834.

6785. vii. Rebecca Carriel, b. May 3 (bapt. May 31), 1767, m. Nov. 18, 1784, Stephen Rich of Sutton, Mass., and afterwards of Marshfield, Vt., and d. April 7, 1852.

6786. viii. Phebe Carriel (dau. of Ensign Nathaniel Carriel of Sutton and Jane Dwight), bapt. Aug. 15, 1771, m. Nov. 1789, John Woodbury of Sutton, b. March 30, 1767 (son of Capt. Jonathan Woodbury of Sutton). He d. at Royalton, Vt., suddenly in 1833. They had 3 children.

[The children of Ensign Nathaniel Carriel, by his 2d wife, Bridget Prime, were these three: 1. Nathaniel Carriel, Jr., b. June 7, 1790, who m. Lucy Whiting, dau. of Paul Whiting of Dedham, and had 3 children. 2. Polly Carriel, b. Dec. 7, 1794, m. Sept. 22, 1814, Dea. Palmer Marble (son of Stephen Marble of Sutton), and had several children. 3. Phebe Carriel, b. Oct. 27, 1801, who m. Nov. 23, 1820, Tyler Putnam, b. Nov. 8, 1795, son of Archibald and Phebe Putnam of Sutton.]

6784. vi. Aaron Carriel (son of Ensign Nathaniel Carriel of Sutton, Mass., and Jane Dwight), b. March 9 (and bapt. March 17), 1765, m. May 20, 1784, Sally Woodbury, b. May 27, 1764 (dau. of Col. Bartholomew Woodbury of Sutton, and Greenwood?). He was a farmer at Sutton, and after 1801-2 at Charlestown, N. H., where he d. Jan. 18, 1834, aet. 68, of paralysis: she d. Sept. 9, 1840, aet. 76.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Sally Carriel, b. in 1785, m. about 1801 John Sibley of Peru, N. Y. They had 9 children: 1. Willard Sibley; 2. Clarissa; 3. Sally, who m. Josiah Everest of Plattsburgh, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 1873; 4. John Sibley; 5. Prudence; 6. Luther, who lives now at Schuyler Falls, N. Y.; 7. Aaron; 8. Russell; and 9. Randall.

\*\*\*\* ii. Fanny Carriel, b. Jan. 24, 1790, m. in 1813 Manasseh Osgood, a farmer in Littleton, N. H., where he d. Jan. 20, 1820. She d. Jan. 24, 1821. Their children were:

1. Charles Osgood, b. there Oct. 18, 1813.

2. Mary Ann Osgood, b. Oct. 1, 1816, who m. Nov. 21, 1836, Warren Walker Way, b. in Windham, Vt., Nov. 4, 1807 (son of Marvin Way of Langdon, N. H., and Hannah Walker), a farmer in Newport, N. H., and Charlestown, where he d. March 25, 1872. They had two children.

(1.) Mary Maria Way, b. in Charlestown, April 15, 1840, m. Oct. 9, 1860, George Summer Bond, b. there March 2, 1837 (son of Silas Bond and Alice Abbott), a plumber and dealer in stoves and tinware in Charlestown, N. H. One child:

§ 1. Herbert Warren Bond, b. July 30, 1861.

(2.) Alvin Charles Way, b. at Newport, Dec. 5, 1843, m. Sept. 30, 1867, Catharine Jane Putnam, b. Sept. 15, 1845 (dau. of Oliver Putnam and Catharine Dinsmore of Charlestown). Two children:

§ 1. Stella Augusta Way, b. April 17, 1870.

§ 2. Frederic Elwyn Way, b. June 1872.

\*\*\*\* iii. Phebe Carriel, b. Jan. 17, 1792, m. April 7, 1814, Levi Willard of Charlestown, N. H., a large landholder, b. Aug. 6, 1791 (son of Moses Willard and Lydia Farwell). He d. May 6, 1871. She d. March 6, 1866. They had 2 children:

1. Harriet (M.) Willard, b. Dec. 24, 1817, m. Jan. 27, 1840, Jona-

than Baker, b. June 8, 1806 (son of Major Jonathan Baker of Charlestown and Susanna Wetherbee). He was a merchant at Charlestown and a bank director, town clerk, deputy-sheriff and county treasurer, at the time of his death, Feb. 26, 1867. His widow still (1874) lives at Charlestown, and furnished the facts here detailed concerning her grandfather Aaron's descendants. They have had 4 children:

(1.) Abby Willard Baker, b. Jan. 2, 1850, and d. Nov. 1, 1869.

(2.) James Henry Baker, b. Jan. 9, 1852, and d. Aug. 23, 1852.

(3.) Lizzie Jane Baker, b. Jan. 4, 1855.

(4.) Nelly Susan Baker, b. March 20, 1857.

2. Henry Willard, b. Jan. 25, 1827, and d. June 12, 1846.

\*\*\*\* iv. James Carriel, b. July 26, 1793, m. March 8, 1815, Mary Reckard, b. May 19, 1796 (dau. of John Reckard of Charlestown and Sally Chamberlain), a farmer in Charlestown, N. H. They are both now (1874) living there. They have had 6 children:

1. Sarah Dinsmore Carriel, b. May 27, 1816, m. April 1840, Samuel Clark (son of Samuel Clark of Acworth, N. H., and Achsah Smith), a farmer in Charlestown, where he d. March 8, 1868. They have had 5 children, viz.: Elmira, who m. a Mr. Lamb of Acworth, N. H.; Oscar; Henry; Rosette and Daniel.

2. Mary Carriel, b. Jan. 10, 1818, m. Nov. 1835, Robert Cochran of Peru, N. Y., a saddler in Vineland, N. J. They have had 6 children, viz.: (1.) Mary Matilda, who m. George Breed of Charlestown, who have had 5 children; (2.) Russell; (3.) Harriet; (4.) Emma; (5.) Rosette, and (6.) Josephine.

3. Elmira Sibley Carriel, b. Feb. 26, 1820, m. July 19, 1838, Daniel Johnson, b. in Unity, N. H. (son of Stephen Johnson and ——— Kennedy), a farmer in Charlestown, where she d. Sept. 9, 1841. He went to California. They had one child that d. in infancy.

4. Roxana Carlton Carriel, b. March 1, 1825, m. Jan. 3, 1843, Otis W. Burton (son of James Burton), a farmer in Chester, Vt. She d. Feb. 18, 1860. They had 4 children: Edwin, Martha, Henry and Levi Willard.

5. Phebe Willard Carriel, b. Oct. 4, 1827, m. Feb. 8, 1847, Nathaniel Lowell Kennedy of Charlestown (son of Robert Kennedy and Betsey Challis), b. May 2, 1822. They have had 8 children:

(1.) Julia Betsey Kennedy, b. Sept. 3, 1848; (2.) Ida Rebecca Kennedy, b. April 5, 1854; (3.) Agnes Kennedy, b. April 23, 1856, and d. Feb. 1873; (4.) George Kennedy, b. Nov. 19, 1858; (5.) Helen L. Kennedy, b. Feb. 22, 1862; (6.) Nattie, Ruth and Newton.

6. George Dwight Carriel, b. April 28, 1836, m. Dec. 25, 1856, Martha Jane Hubbard of Charlestown (dau. of Orange Hubbard and Loraine Boardman). They both d. July 1859, leaving 2 children:



(1.) Alice Loraine, b. Sept. 19, 1857; (2.) George James Carriel, b. July 20, 1859.

\*\*\*\* v. Prudence Carriel (dau. of Aaron Carriel and Sally Woodbury), b. Aug. 8, 1795, m. March 1813, James Everest, a farmer of Peru, N. Y. They had 6 children:

1. Prudence Everest who m. Nelson Haff of Peru. They had 2 children: (1.) George Washington Haff, b. Oct. 28, 1837, who was adopted by Levi Willard of Charlestown and his name was changed to Henry Willard. He m. March 25, 1867, Sarah J. Harlow (dau. of William and Sarah Harlow of Charlestown), and has one child, Laila Williams Willard, b. Jan. 22, 1871. (2.) Mary Anne Haff, b. about 1839.

2. Lydia Everest, who m. a Mr. Soper of Peru, N. Y.

3. Amanda Everest, who m. a Mr. Close of Lawrence, Mass.

4. Jane Everest, who m. (whom not ascertained).

5. Heman Everest, who lives in Peru, N. Y.

6. Ellen Everest.

6785. vii. Rebecca Carriel (dau. of Ensign Nathaniel Carriel of Sutton and Jane Dwight), b. May 3, 1767, m. Nov. 18, 1784, Stephen Rich, b. in Sutton, Jan. 3, 1762 (son of Samuel Rich and Ruth Putnam), a farmer in Marshfield, Vt. He d. there March 18, 1845: she d. there April 7, 1852, aet. 85.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. George Rich, b. Dec. 1, 1785, m. Jan. 28, 1813, Mary Hildreth. He was an eminent attorney at Montpelier, Vt., where he d. May 21, 1834.

\*\*\*\* ii. Phebe Rich, b. June 5, 1790, m. Dec. 1, 1809, Josiah Hollister, a farmer in Marshfield, Vt. She d. there July 25, 1864, aet. 74.

\*\*\*\* iii. Ruth Putnam Rich, b. July 24, 1796, m. Nov. 13, 1817, Hon. Horace Hollister, a farmer at Marshfield, where she d. Feb. 15, 1872, aet. 77. [See, for early Hollister family history, Goodwin's Geneal. Notes, Hartford.]

\*\*\*\* iv. Rebecca Carriel Rich, b. Feb. 5, 1800, m. Feb. 29, 1819, Orrin Hollister, a farmer and hotel-keeper at Lisbon, N. H.

\*\*\*\* v. Silence Dwight Rich, b. April 17, 1803, d. Feb. 9, 1805.

\*\*\*\* vi. Lucinda Rich, b. Dec. 17, 1804, m. Sept. 24, 1824, Dennis Vincent, a farmer in Plainfield, Vt., d. March 29, 1833.

\*\*\*\* vii. Irene Pratt Rich, b. Aug. 20, 1806, m. Sept. 25, 1825, Col. Nathaniel Davis, b. in Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 29, 1803 (son of Major Nathaniel Davis, previously to 1794 of Oxford, Mass., and Dolly —), a farmer at E. Montpelier.

\*\*\*\* vi. Hiram Carriel (son of Aaron Carriel of Charlestown, N. H., and Sally Woodbury), b. April 1806, m. in 1828 Pamela Frost

of Charlestown, b. in 1809 (dau. of Thomas Frost and Betsey Butters). He was a farmer at Charlestown, where he d. Oct. 6, 1839. She d. June 5, 1847. They had 4 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Dr. Henry Frost Carriel, b. Aug. 1830, grad. at the Coll. of Physicians, etc., in New York in 1857, was Asst. Supt. of the N. J. State Lunatic Asylum at Trenton, N. J. (1857-70). Since 1870 he has been Supt. of The Illinois State Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville, Ill. He m. May 6, 1862, Mary Catharine Buttolph, b. at Sharon, Ct., June 21, 1840 (dau. of Dr. Horace Alexander Buttolph, Supt. of the N. J. State Asylum at Trenton, N. J.). She d. Sept. 9, 1873, and was a genial, thoughtful, earnest Christian lady. Children:

\*\*\*\* (1.) Henry Buttolph Carriel, b. June 21, 1863.

\*\*\*\* (2.) Catharine King Carriel, b. July 4, 1865, d. July 19, 1866.

\*\*\*\* (3.) Horace Alexander Carriel, b. Oct. 5, 1868.

\*\*\*\* (4.) Frank Buttolph Carriel, b. Sept. 19, 1870.

\*\*\*\* (5.) Fred. King Carriel, b. Sept. 19, 1870, d. July 18, 1871.

\*\*\*\* 2. Fanny Willard Carriel, b. May 4, 1834, m. Dec. 31, 1854, Alanson Burke of ———, Wis. Their children, eight in number, have been—(1.) Emma Jeanette. (2.) Rose Alice. (3.) Charles Henry. (4.) Fanny May who d. May 31, 1865. (5.) Kate Carriel. (6.) Nelly Etta. (7.) Edmund Putnam. (8.) Frank Alonzo.

\*\*\*\* 3. Alvin Frost Carriel, b. Nov. 9, 1838, d. Dec. 21, 1858.

\*\*\*\* 4. Hiram Carriel, b. April 21, 1840, d. unmarried in Prescott, Wis., Sept. 27, 1868.

#### [Fifth Generation.]

6768. ii. Silence Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Jane Bulkley), b. April 4, 1736, m. March 29, 1759, William King, b. Oct. 27, 1734 (son of Capt. Henry King of Sutton and Abigail Green), an enterprising farmer in Sutton. He was a revolutionary officer, coroner for the county of Worcester and justice of the peace. He was an exemplary member of the Baptist Church. She was a member of the Cong. Church at Dedham, originally, and retained her membership in it, as is believed, to the day of her death. He was a prosperous and wealthy man for those days. The old homestead is still in the hands of his descendants, and is one of superior value. The house itself, which was built in 1723, by William King, his grandfather, is still standing. She d. May 4, 1798, aet. 62. He d. Dec. 2, 1825, aet. 91.

[William King, the settler, came early to Salem, Mass., and afterwards removed to Lynn. He had a son, John King, who m. Sept. 1660, Elizabeth Goldthread, by whom he had several children, one of whom, Capt. William King, b. June 1669, removed to Sutton, and m. June 4, 1695, Hannah Cook, and for a 2d wife Rebecca Wakefield. He d. in

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1728. He was much engaged in town affairs. The farm that he owned is still in the possession of the King family.

He had a son, Capt. Henry King, a large farmer in Sutton, and much employed in public business. He was for many years a representative in the provincial legislature. He d. Feb. 6, 1782, aet. 76. His wife was Abigail Green. Their son, William King, m. Silence Dwight.]

The number of children of William King and Silence Dwight was nine; five sons and four daughters.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

6787. i. Rev. Samuel King, b. July 22, 1760, d. Oct. 1, 1812, aet. 52.

6788. ii. Isaac King, b. Sept. 17, 1762, d. Nov. 8, 1859, aet. 97.

6789. iii. Daniel King, b. Nov. 6, 1764, d. April 1833, aet. 68.

6790. iv. Peter King, b. Sept. 26, 1767, d. unmarried, at Sutton, April 16, 1854, aet. 76.

6791. v. Timothy King, b. April 27, 1770, d. in Sutton, unmarried, Oct. 11, 1804, aet. 34.

6792. vi. Elizabeth King, b. July 6, 1772, m. Dea. Jonathan Leland. She d. Sept 30, 1840, aet. 68.

6793. vii. Rebecca King, b. July 26, 1774, m. Aaron Woodbury. She d. Jan. 1, 1808, aet. 33.

6794. viii. Silence King, b. Jan. 6, 1777, m. Caleb Woodbury. She d. May 21, 1864, aet. 87.

6795. ix. Hannah King, b. July 4, 1779. She was a mute and a chronic invalid, and exceedingly conscientious, doing everything rightly so far as she could understand it, and was uniformly kind and placid. She d. in Sutton, May 19, 1796, aet. 16.

6787. i. Rev. Samuel King, b. July 22, 1760, m. March 4, 1790, Ruth Marble, b. in 1762 (dau. of Samuel Marble of Sutton and Patience Gale). He was a Cong. clergyman, settled for several years at Sutton, and afterwards (1803-12) at Wendell, Mass., where he became a Baptist. He d. Oct. 1, 1812, at Smithfield, Pa., while on a missionary tour through Pennsylvania, aet. 52. She d. in Sutton, May 29, 1799, aet. 37.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6796. i. Mary King, b. in Sutton Nov. 28, 1790, m. Ezekiel Stiles, and d. July 12, 1855, aet. 64.

6797. ii. Ruth King, b. Dec. 8, 1793, m. Elihu Osgood.

6798. iii. Dr. Samuel Dwight King, b. May 1, 1797, entered Williams Coll., Mass., in 1816, but was compelled by ill health to intermit his studies for several years. In 1827 he took the degree of M.D. at Dartmouth, and began medical practice at Leverett, Mass., whence he removed, in 1834, to Swansey, N. H., and thence, in 1845, to Lunenburg, Mass., where he d. Oct. 6, 1863, aet. 66. He m. May

1, 1828, Sarah Dresser Pillsbury, b. May 1, 1804, in Winchendon, Mass. (dau. of Rev. Levi Pillsbury of that place and Sarah Pichard of Rowley, Mass. No issue. She resides at Lunenburg.

6796. i. Mary King, b. Nov. 28, 1790, m. June 18, 1811, Ezekiel Stiles, b. at Wendell, Mass., July 25, 1784 (son of Benjn. F. Stiles and Elizabeth Cutler), a farmer at Wendell (1805-31), at Concord, Erie Co., N. Y. (1831-43), and at Waterloo, Wis. (1843-53), where he d. Jan. 3, 1853, and where she d. July 12, 1855.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Samuel King Stiles, b. March 24, 1812, m. at Milford, Wis., April 13, 1849, Ann Potter, b. July 6, 1825. He was a resident at Waterloo, Wis., where he d. May 6, 1857. Had 3 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Elihu Burritt Stiles, b. June 7, 1850, d. April 7, 1851.

\*\*\*\* 2. Milo Stiles, b. April 10, 1852.

\*\*\*\* 3. Henry Stiles, b. May 20, 1856.

\*\*\*\* ii. Cynthia H. Stiles, b. March 28, 1815, m. Jan. 7, 1836, Reuben Holman, b. at Salisbury, Vt., July 4, 1811 (son of Samuel Holman, b. in 1749 and d. in 1841), a gunsmith at Springville (town of Concord, N. Y.), and blacksmith there, and after 1851 at Lake Mills, Wis., and afterwards (1855-70) at Dayton, Wis., where he d. Feb. 6, 1870, act. 59. She d. there Nov. 4, 1864. They had 8 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Henry Marble Holman, b. at Springville, N. Y., Feb. 19, 1837, is a blacksmith at Dayton, Wis., and served as such in the late war, for the U. S. Govt. He m. Jan. 1, 1861, Charlotte A. Dewey of Dayton: has 2 children.

\*\*\*\* 2. Harriet Amelia Holman, b. March 10, 1838, m. April 16, 1855, Lucius Johnson Hebard, b. in Vermont, April 19, 1833, a telegraph operator, and served the govt. as such in the late war. He resides at Dayton, Wis., and has had 5 children.

\*\*\*\* 3. Clark Ezatus Holman, b. April 12, 1840, m. March 6, 1867, Ann Hawley, b. at Milford, Wis., Feb. 18, 1847. He is a farmer at Dayton, Wis., since 1873, and was previously at Milford, Wis. He was an Union soldier (Oct. 1861-July 1865) in the 16th Regt. Wis. Vols. Has had 3 children.

\*\*\*\* 4. Mary Rebecca Holman, b. July 4, 1841, m. Jan. 24, 1858, Edwin Heath, b. Jan. 1833, a carpenter at Dayton, Wis., and Lanark, Wis., where she d. May 9, 1872. She had 4 children.

\*\*\*\* 5. Elbert Manley Holman, b. Aug. 5, 1844, m. Nov. 18, 1869, Cordelia E. Whitney, b. Feb. 12, 1850, at Hodgeon, Me. He is a farmer at Dayton, Wis. He was an Union soldier in the late war, in the 42d Wis. Regt. (1864-5). Has had 2 children.

\*\*\*\* 6. Julius Dwight Holman, b. April 19, 1847, is a teacher and farmer at Waupaca, Wis., and is unmarried.



\*\*\*\* 7. Joel William Holman, b. Feb. 10, 1850, is a farmer at Wau-paca, Wis. He m. March 27, 1873, Ellen M. Palmer.

\*\*\*\* 8. John F. Holman, b. March 13, 1852, at Lake Mills, Wis.

\*\*\*\* iii. Ruth Marble Stiles (dau. of Ezekiel Stiles and Mary King), b. Nov. 13, 1818, m. July 23, 1854, Benjamin Franklin Sherman, b. April 21, 1856, who lived at Dayton, Wis., and d. there April 17, 1860, without issue.

\*\*\*\* iv. Elizabeth Cutler Stiles, b. April 24, 1821, m. Jan. 24, 1850, Silas Duncan, b. Aug. 10, 1817, a resident of Dayton, Wis. He d. April 17, 1873: had 3 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. William Dwight Duncan, b. Feb. 28, 1854.

\*\*\*\* 2. Hiram J. Duncan, b. Nov. 3, 1859, d. July 23, 1862.

\*\*\*\* 3. George Heman Duncan, b. Dec. 5, 1861.

\*\*\*\* v. Catharine Mary Stiles, b. April 8, 1825, m. Nov. 30, 1848, Samuel W. Hoyt, b. June 1, 1819, at Lyndon, Vt., a resident of Dayton, Wis.: has had 3 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Kate Loraine Hoyt, b. Dec. 8, 1851.

\*\*\*\* 2. Alice Lydia Hoyt, b. Jan. 28, 1860, d. Dec. 14, 1860.

\*\*\*\* 3. Alfred Monroe Hoyt, b. Nov. 11, 1861, d. Feb. 14, 1862.

\*\*\*\* vi. Benjamin Dwight Stiles, b. Jan. 18, 1828, d. Feb. 9, 1831.

\*\*\*\* vii. William Dwight Stiles, b. Dec. 26, 1830, m. Nov. 7, 1855, Martha Hawthorne, b. in Antrim Co., Ireland, July 9, 1832. He is a resident at Waterloo, Wis.: and for several years past one of the Supervisors of the town: has had 4 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Ezra Letitia Stiles, b. Nov. 30, 1856.

\*\*\*\* 2. Clara Amanda Stiles, b. May 20, 1859, d. June 4, 1873.

\*\*\*\* 3. Cyrus Dwight Stiles, b. Aug. 4, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 4. Wilbour Stiles, b. Jan. 31, 1866.

\*\*\*\* viii. Benjamin Franklin Stiles, b. at Concord, N. Y., July 16, 1833, was an Union soldier in the late war in the 38th Wis. Regt. (Sept. 5, 1864—June 10, 1865), and was engaged in the battles around Petersburg, Va.

#### [Seventh Generation.]

6797. ii. Ruth King (dau. of Rev. Samuel King and Ruth Marble), b. Dec. 8, 1793, m. Nov. 26, 1812, Elihu Osgood, b. Aug. 6, 1786 (son of Dea. Elihu Osgood of Wendell, Mass., and Mary Osgood, dau. of Josiah Osgood), a farmer at Greenfield, Mass., after 1853, and previously at Wendell, Mass.

#### [Eighth Generation.] Children:

6799. i. Dolly Osgood, b. June 14, 1814, d. Sept. 23, 1818.

6800. ii. Mary Osgood, b. Sept. 15, 1816, m. Hon. John Sanderson.

6801. iii. Samuel Marble Osgood, b. Oct. 23, 1818, m. Aug. 30,

1842, Susan Chamberlain of New Salem, Mass., b. 1822 (dau. of Dea. Stillman Chamberlain and Sarah —). She d. Feb. 1845, and he m. for 2d wife, Nov. 4, 1846, Jane Thorpe of Athol, Mass. (dau. of Eliphalet Thorpe and Ruth —). He is a merchant at Athol. Two children (by 2d wife):

6802. 1. William Elihu Osgood, b. in Greenfield, Aug. 23, 1847, a clerk in Ashburnham, Mass., for some years, is now in the Custom House at Chicago, Ill.

6803. 2. Yenno Thorpe Osgood, b. in Greenfield, Dec. 29, 1852, is clerk in a bank at Athol.

6804. iv. Dolly Sophia Osgood, b. Jan. 26, 1821, m. Joel S. Sanderson.

6805. v. Elihu Chittenden Osgood, b. Nov. 7, 1823.

6800. ii. Mary Osgood (dau. of Elihu Osgood and Ruth King), b. Sept. 15, 1816, m. Oct. 29, 1840, Hon. John Sanderson of Bernardston, Mass., b. July 10, 1814 (son of John Sanderson of Petersham, Mass., and Lydia —), a farmer. He raised the largest ox ever fattened and slaughtered in this country, it is said, called "The Constitution," which weighed in Bernardston, Dec. 1861, 3860 lbs. live weight. It was killed in New York Feb. 11, 1862, and its stuffed hide is to be seen at Central Park, N. Y. He is President of a Savings Bank at Greenfield, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6806. i. John Horatio Sanderson, b. Nov. 1, 1841, a merchant in Savannah, Ga., formerly, but now in the grain and grocery trade in Greenfield, Mass. (1874).

6807. ii. Lavalette Osgood Sanderson, b. Jan. 16, 1845, is an agent for a manufactory at Erving, Mass.

6808. iii. Lucien Morton Sanderson, b. June 5, 1846, d. Feb. 19, 1857.

6809. iv. Henry Hunt Sanderson, b. July 13, 1848, is in the grain and grocery business, at Greenfield, Mass.

6810. v. Mary Osgood Sanderson, b. July 7, 1850.

6811. vi. Ellery Herbert Sanderson, b. Aug. 14, 1853, is a clerk at Northfield, Mass.

6812. vii. Maria Cushman Sanderson, b. Dec. 10, 1855.

6813. viii. Lydia Sanderson, b. July 29, 1857.

6814. ix. Lucien Sanderson, b. June 3, 1859, is a farmer at Bernardston.

[Eighth Generation.]

6804. iv. Dolly Sophia Osgood (dau. of Elihu Osgood and Ruth King), b. Jan. 26, 1821, m. June 26, 1850, Joel Sumner Sanderson,

then of Petersham, Mass., b. Nov. 14, 1825 (son of Joel Sanderson and Prudence Wilder), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1850, a farmer and gardener at Greenfield, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6815. i. Ella Sophia Sanderson, b. July 24, 1852, m. Dec. 3, 1872, Willis A. Shelton of Bernardston. They have a son.

\*\*\*\* i. Sumner Sanderson Shelton, b. Nov. 1, 1873.

6816. ii. Annie Isabella Sanderson, b. Feb. 5, 1856, d. March 30, 1856.

6817. iii. Minnie Ruth Sanderson, b. and d. Oct. 24, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

6805. v. Elihu Chittenden Osgood (son of Elihu Osgood and Ruth King), b. Nov. 7, 1823. m. Sept. 22, 1846, Mary Stone of Wendall, Mass., b. Dec. 1, 1823 (dau. of Eliab Stone and Dolly —). He is a farmer at Greenfield, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6818. i. Abby Jane Osgood, b. Nov. 17, 1847, d. Oct. 1, 1850.

6819. ii. Henry Marble Osgood, b. Nov. 14, 1849.

6820. iii. Sophia Sanderson Osgood, b. Oct. 27, 1851.

6821. iv. Emma Jane Osgood, b. Aug. 23, 1855.

6822. v. John Elihu Osgood, b. Feb. 12, 1859.

6823. vi. Mary King Osgood, b. Oct. 26, 1863.

[Sixth Generation.]

6788. ii. Isaac King (son of William King and Silence Dwight), b. Sept. 17, 1762, m. Nov. 26, 1788, Sarah Putnam, b. Dec. 26, 1770 (dau. of Capt. Archelaus Putnam, of Sutton and Sarah —). She d. April 30, 1823, and he m. for 2d wife, Nov. 11, 1824, Sarah Howard (dau. of Capt. John Howard of Sutton and Huldah Sibley). He lived on the old homestead at Sutton to advanced years. She d. Jan. 18, 1836. He d. aet. 97, Nov. 8, 1859.

He was a farmer, and a man of large frame and great strength, and of a vigorous mind even in old age. He was a revolutionary officer. He was very industrious, public-spirited and useful.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6824. i. Tamar King, b. Nov. 15, 1789, d. unmarried, Dec. 14, 1824, aet. 35.

6825. ii. William King, b. Oct. 5, 1791.

6826. iii. Sarah King, b. Feb. 19, 1793, d. July 22, 1795.

6827. iv. Prudence King, b. Feb. 11, 1795, m. Major Rufus Burdon, and d. March 5, 1859.

6828. v. Luther King, b. Feb. 14, 1797, d. Oct. 3, 1868, aet. 71.

6829. vi. Rufus King, b. March 28, 1799, d. unmarried, Jan. 31, 1823.

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6830. vii. Elizabeth King, b. Feb. 21, 1801, d. April 8, 1826, m. Jefferson Wheelock.

6831. viii. Charles King, b. March 11, 1803.

6832. ix. Mary King, b. July 25, 1805, m. Owen Brown, d. Sept. 14, 1828.

6833. x. Nancy King, b. Nov. 14, 1807, m. Elbridge G. Weld, d. June 25, 1830.

6834. xi. Putnam King, b. April 10, 1810.

6835. xii. Samuel King, b. March 26, 1814.

6825. ii. William King (son of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. Oct. 5, 1791, m. April 16, 1818, Mary King of Newton, Mass., b. Dec. 7, 1795 (dau. of Dea. Noah King and Esther Hall). He has been a farmer all his life at Sutton.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6836. i. Jane Maria King, b. June 22, 1819, resides unmarried at Sutton.

6837. ii. Sarah Ann King, b. May 24, 1824, d. Aug. 8, 1826.

6838. iii. Rufus King, b. March 12, 1827, resides unmarried at Sutton.

6839. iv. Ebenezer King, b. June 24, 1829, d. Aug. 28, 1831.

6840. v. Esther Mary King, b. March 24, 1831, d. Aug. 28, 1833.

6841. vi. John King, b. Jan. 12, 1835, d. Jan. 19, 1863.

6842. vii. William Henry King, b. Jan. 7, 1840, d. April 3, 1867

[Seventh Generation.]

6827. iv. Prudence King (dau. of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. Feb. 11, 1795, m. as his 2d wife, March 5, 1826, Major Rufus Burdon, b. March 7, 1786 (son of Jonathan Burdon of Sutton and Bilota Bartlett), a farmer in Sutton. She d. March 5, 1859; he d. Dec. 22, 1863, aet. 77. They had one child.

6843. 1. Isaac Burdon, b. Jan. 31, 1827, who d. unmarried in Worcester, Mass., July 7, 1856, aet. 29.

6828. v. Luther King, b. Feb. 14, 1797, m. Oct. 14, 1816, Hannah Tisdale of Sutton (dau. of Capt. Reuben Tisdale and Rachel Crane). He was a farmer in Sutton, and afterwards in Hornellsville, N. Y. He d. Oct. 3, 1868, aet. 71; she d. March 8, 1866.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6844. i. Sarah Putnam King, b. Oct. 9, 1817, m. Estes Putnam.

6845. ii. Isaac King, b. April 5, 1819.

6846. iii. Rachel Crane King, b. May 15, 1824, m. Philemon Tullar of Hartsville, N. Y., and have had 3 children.

6847. iv. Mary Brown King, b. March 22, 1827, resides unmarried at Hartsville.



6848. v. Sophronia King, b. Sept. 14, 1829, m. William Workman of Hartsville, N. Y. Have had 5 children.

6849. vi. Warren King, b. in 1831, d. in 1836.

6850. vii. Cyrenia Pratt King, b. Sept. 2, 1837, m. Lee Stephens of Hartsville, N. Y., have had one child.

6851. viii. Jerusha Davis King, b. June 1, 1839, m. Thomas Hutchins of Hartsville, N. Y.

6844. i. Sarah Putnam King (dau. of Luther King and Hannah Tisdale), b. Oct. 9, 1817, m. Nov. 23, 1840, Estes Putnam, b. Dec. 2, 1819 (son of James Putnam and Roxa Burdon), a farmer at Sutton and shoemaker.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6852. i. Sarah Roxana Putnam, b. July 23, 1842, m. Jan. 26, 1857, Joseph Bodo (son of Francis and Sophia Bodo), a farmer at Woonsocket, R. I. Two children:

6853. 1. Alice Sophia Bodo, b. Sept. 8, 1865.

6854. 2. Chester Francis Bodo, b. Oct. 24, 1868.

6855. ii. Hannah Elizabeth Putnam, b. June 30, 1848.

6856. iii. Abby Frances Putnam, b. Jan. 19, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

6845. ii. Isaac King (son of Luther King and Hannah Tisdale), b. April 5, 1819, m. Oct. 2, 1845, Rosalinda Stockwell (dau. of Capt. Chandler and Rosalinda Stockwell of Sutton). He is a livery-stable keeper in E. Douglas, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6857. i. Prescott King, b. Nov. 18, 1846, d. Dec. 14, 1846.

6858. ii. Otis E. King, b. Dec. 6, 1848.

6859. iii. Dewitt King, b. May 3, 1852, d. Sept. 13, 1852.

6860. iv. Adelaide King, b. July 5, 1854, d. Jan. 3, 1855.

[Seventh Generation.]

6830. vii. Elizabeth King (dau. of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. Feb. 21, 1801, m. April 11, 1824, Jefferson Wheelock of Grafton, Mass., b. Oct. 13, 1801 (son of Daniel Wheelock and Sarah Sibley), a farmer and stone-cutter. She d. April 8, 1826.

[Eighth Generation.] Child:

6861. i. Tamar Elizabeth Wheelock, b. March 7, 1825, who m. as his 2d wife in 1846, Judson Eames of Upton, Mass. (son of Moses Eames and Nancy Fay), a farmer and a cutter of sole leather at Mendon, Mass. (1873). His first wife was Mary Elizabeth Darnwell, whom he m. in 1844, and who d. Dec. 15, 1845. By her he had a dau. Ellen Louisa Eames, b. Dec. 3, 1844, who m. in 1867 George Daniels of Milford, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

6862. i. Eugene Eames, b. Oct. 8, 1846, is a salesman in Providence, R. I. (Flint & Co.).  
6863. ii. Serena Elizabeth Eames, b. Feb. 17, 1850.  
6864. iii. Agnes Marilla Eames, b. Aug. 14, 1852.  
6865. iv. Wallace King Eames, b. Feb. 11, 1854, d. May 24, 1855.  
6866. v. Walter Dennis Eames, b. Feb. 10, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

6831. viii. Charles King (son of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. March 11, 1803, m. Aug. 29, 1824, Cyrenia Pratt (dau. of Capt. Elias Pratt of Sutton and Sarah Healey). He is a farmer at Anoka, Minn.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6867. i. Elias Pratt King, b. Sept. 6, 1825, d. April 30, 1865.  
6868. ii. Charles Edward King, b. June 20, 1841, d. Oct. 20, 1844.  
6867. i. Elias Pratt King, b. Sept. 6, 1825, m. May 19, 1846, Sarah M. Hadley of Worcester, Mass. (dau. of Abel and Lucy Hadley). She d. Nov. 27, 1850 at Worcester; and he m. Oct. 1854, Dorris Palgermyer. He was a merchant at Anoka, Minn., where he d. April 30, 1865.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife.*

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| 6869. i. Helen M. King,                                     | } | d. Aug. 1847.         |
| 6870. ii. Ella A. King,                                     |   | twins, b. March 1847. |
| 6871. iii. Edward B. King, b. April 1850, d. Jan. 19, 1851. |   | d. Aug. 1847.         |

*By second wife :*

6872. iv. Edward Palgermyer King, b. March 19, 1856.

[Seventh Generation.]

6832. ix. Mary King (dau. of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. July 25, 1805, m. in 1826, Owen Brown of Macon, Ga., a merchant. She d. in Sutton Sept. 14, 1828; he d. March 11, 1864.

[Eighth Generation.] Child :

6873. i. Delia Sophia Brown, b. April 5, 1827, m. Jan. 1, 1854, Samuel G. Babcock of Concord, Vt., b. March 20, 1808 (son of Jason Babcock of Royalton, Mass., and Hannah Gaskell of Richmond, N. H.). Children :

6874. 1. Mary King Babcock, b. Jan. 2, 1857.  
6875. 2. Jason Eugene Babcock, b. Nov. 14, 1860.  
6876. 3. Sarah Babcock, b. Nov. 10, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

6833. x. Nancy King (dau. of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b.

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Nov. 14, 1807, m. Aug. 7, 1828, Elbridge Gerry Weld, a farmer at Orford, N. H., where she d. June 25, 1830. He d. March 1865. They had one child:

6877. 1. Mary K. Weld, b. June 6, 1829, d. Dec. 20, 1829.

[Seventh Generation.]

6834. xi. Putnam King (son of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. April 10, 1810, m. May 17, 1831, Jerusha Davis of Sutton, b. March 21, 1810 (dau. of Elisha Davis and Fanny Davis): a farmer at Sutton, on the old homestead (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6877. i. Frances Aurelia King, b. July 19, 1832, d. Sept. 25, 1856.

6878. ii. Julia Sophia King, b. March 14, 1834, d. Feb. 21, 1857.

6879. iii. Putnam Dwight King, b. Jan. 16, 1842, m. March 21, 1866, Mary Jane Whitney of Sutton, b. Aug. 16, 1845 (dau. of James Whitney and Lavinia Lee). He is a wholesale flour dealer at Worcester, Mass. Children:

6880. 1. Dwight Ernest King, b. April 27, 1867.

6882. iv. Eli Davis King, b. June 29, 1845, is a farmer at Sutton, and unmarried.

6883. v. Emily Elizabeth King, b. Feb. 20, 1848.

6884. vi. Abby Angeline King, b. April 26, 1850.

6885. vii. Benjamin Franklin King, b. Jan. 19, 1853, is a book-keeper at Worcester, Mass.

[Seventh Generation.]

6835. xii. Samuel King (son of Isaac King and Sarah Putnam), b. March 26, 1814, m. Dec. 16, 1835, Azubah Sibley of Sutton, Mass., b. June 7, 1812 (dau. of Daniel Sibley and Anna Morse). She d. at Sutton, March 3, 1846; and he m. for a 2d wife, Sept. 13, 1849, Frances Sibley Putnam, b. May 6, 1829 (dau. of Charles Putnam of Sutton and Fanny Sibley). He is a farmer at Anoka, Minn. She d. there April 13, 1867.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

6886. i. Daniel Isaac King, b. in Sutton, Oct. 28, 1836, m. Jan. 6, 1859, Emmeline A. Woodbury of Worcester, Mass., b. Oct. 8, 1837 (dau. of Leonard Woodbury and Emmeline Pratt). He is a farmer at Anoka, Minn. One child:

6887. i. Kate King, b. July 14, 1866.

6889. ii. Charles Owen King, b. at Sutton Sept. 14, 1839, d. at Anoka, Minn., March 27, 1854.

[Sixth Generation.]

6789. iii. Daniel King (son of William King and Silence Dwight),

b. Nov. 6, 1764, m. April 30, 1789, Lucy Woodbury of Sutton, (dau. of Swift Woodbury and Elizabeth Fuller). He lived in Charlton, Mass., where he d. April 5, 1833, aet. 68, an enterprising and successful farmer. His widow d. in Groton, N. Y., May 5, 1843.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6890. i. Andrew Woodbury King, b. Sept. 22, 1790.

6891. ii. Lucy King, b. Nov. 26, 1793, m. Hosea Conant.

6892. iii. Silence King, b. July 20, 1800, m. June 2, 1830, Sylvanus Larned of Groton, N. Y. She d. leaving no surviving issue, Sept. 13, 1867. He d. June 2, 1870.

6893. iv. Polly King, b. July 14, 1802, m. Sept. 17, 1834, Hosea Conant as his 2d wife. She d. June 22, 1838. They had one child :

6894. 1. Mary Lucy Conant, b. May 3, 1838, who was adopted as their own by Sylvanus Larned and wife. She m. March 14, 1865, D. Tarbell, and has 2 children :

6895. v. Eliza King, b. Aug. 9, 1804, m. April 1831, Paschal Fitts of Groton. She d. Sept. 17, 1863 : had two children :

6896. 1. George Fitts, b. March 1836, a farmer at Groton. He m. Nov. 16, 1859, Samantha Calvert, and has 4 children :

6897. 2. Lucy Ann Fitts, b. Sept. 2, 1837, m. Nov. 14, 1867, Ezra G. Beach of Groton, a farmer in Peruville, N. Y. (1874). They have one son :

6898. vi. Rebecca King, b. Dec. 14, 1809, m. Aug. 23, 1831, Albert Omond, b. in Boston, Mass., March 31, 1809 (son of Henry Omond and Betsey Twist), a carriage and ornamental painter at Groton, where he d. Jan. 5, 1867, and where his widow now resides (1874). She has had 3 children :

6899. 1. Albert Henry Omond, b. Nov. 15, 1836 in Ashford, Ct., where he d. March 8, 1840.

\*\*\*\* 2. Jeanie Eliza Omond, b. there March 28, 1839, m. March 24, 1870, Richard Curtis Hall of Groton, b. July 17, 1832 (son of William Hall and Ann Bland), a barrel manufacturer : no children.

\*\*\*\* 3. George H. Omond, b. in Peruville, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1843, d. Nov. 5, 1848.

6890. i. Andrew Woodbury King, b. Sept. 22, 1790, m. Oct. 1817, Dolly Conant. He is a farmer at Charlton, Worcester Co., Mass., residing there now (1874) with his wife. Has had 9 children.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. Estes A. King, b. Aug. 29, 1818, m. (whom not stated). He is a blacksmith at Anoka, Minn. Two children :

\*\*\*\* ii. Sophronia King, b. Feb. 1820, d. in 1825.

\*\*\*\* iii. Daniel Dwight King, b. Dec. 10, 1822, is a farmer in Ill.

\*\*\*\* iv. Rufus Conant King, is a resident in Worcester, Mass.



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\*\*\*\* v. Emory W. King, is a farmer in Charlton, Mass.

\*\*\*\* vi. Louisa King, b. Sept. 27, 1824, m. Hall Hathaway of Charlton, Mass.

\*\*\*\* vii. Edward King, d. in Charlton, unmarried.

\*\*\*\* viii. Sophronia King, 2d, b. 1823, m. Joseph Shepherdson. She d.

\*\*\*\* ix. William H. King, b. Aug. 1836, m. Miss Woodbury. He is a farmer at Charlton.

[Seventh Generation.]

6891. ii. Lucy King (dau. of Daniel King and Lucy Woodbury), b. Nov. 26, 1793, m. June 11, 1818, Hosea Conant of Charlton, afterwards of Dudley, Mass., a blacksmith, b. March 2, 1793 (son of Rufus Conant of Dudley, Mass., and Dolly White). She d. April 25, 1834: he d. Sept. 21, 1843.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Daniel King Conant, b. May 19, 1819, m. Feb. 21, 1843, Catharine Davis (dau. of John Davis of Charlton, Mass., and Sylvia Edgarton). He is a resident of Groton, N. Y., and has 3 daughters.

\*\*\*\* ii. Mary L. Conant, b. May 24, 1822, d. Nov. 20, 1826.

\*\*\*\* iii. Caroline Elizabeth Conant, b. Oct. 2, 1824, m. Newell Ruwa Carpenter of Groton, a farmer in Aplington, Iowa, now (1874). She d. April 21, 1853: had 2 daughters.

\*\*\*\* iv. Rufus Leander Conant, b. Sept. 20, 1828, m. Jan. 16, 1850, Helen Lany Tiffany (dau. of Noadiah Tiffany of Groton, and Harriet Maples), b. Oct. 31, 1829.

[Sixth Generation.]

6792. vi. Elizabeth King (dau. of William King and Silence Dwight), b. July 6, 1772, m. July 4, 1798, Dea. Jonathan Leland of Sutton, b. Aug. 31, 1768 (son of Solomon Leland of Sutton, a revolutionary officer, and Lois Haven), a teacher for several years, a farmer, a justice of the peace, and active in the affairs of the town generally, and for 19 years (1800-19) a deacon in the Cong. Ch. Said his pastor, Rev. George Lyman, of him: "He was a man of strict integrity and great decision of character, and of excellent judgment and exemplary piety. His mind was of a high order, disciplined by careful study and well furnished by extensive reading. He was much interested in genealogical and historical studies." He d. Jan. 16, 1854, aet. 85. She d. Sept. 30, 1840, aet. 68. "She was a lady of more than ordinary intellect, education and culture, of rare beauty and dignity and of great excellence": such is the language of her pastor concerning her.'

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6900. i. Silence Dwight Leland, b. Sept. 17, 1799, has lived in Sut-

ton unmarried on the old homestead, all her life, until now (1873) when the Leland farm and mansion, held for 150 years in the family are about to pass into other hands and she is to become, for the rest of her life, a resident of North Brookfield, Mass.

6901. ii. Eliza Leland, b. July 30, 1801, d. unmarried in Sutton, Dec. 19, 1858.

6902. iii. Horace Leland, b. March 31, 1803, was a farmer and unmarried, living with his sister Silence on the old paternal estate. He was much employed in the settlement of estates and in executing offices of trust. He d. April 11, 1873, aet. 70; and with him passes away the name of Leland from Sutton where it has long been most honorably known.

6903. iv. Dea. Alvan Leland, b. Aug. 20, 1805, m. Dec. 30, 1834, Sophia Waters of Millbury, Mass., b. Aug. 7, 1807 (dau. of Dea. Elijah Waters and Lydia Whitmore). She d. at Erie, Pa., April 26, 1835. He m. for a 2d wife, July 23, 1840, Julia Jenks of Roscoe, Ill., b. Oct. 18, 1820 (dau. of Dr. Solomon Jenks of Roscoe and Lydia Walker). He was a farmer, merchant and magistrate living at different times at Sutton, Whitinsville, Mass., and Roscoe, Ill., and a deacon in the Cong. churches of those respective places. He d. at Roscoe, Feb. 8, 1845, aet. 39. He was devotedly pious. "It seemed to be his daily prayer—Lord, what wouldst thou have me to do? Few have ever manifested a deeper interest in the religious instruction of the young. So intelligent, earnest and successful was he in religious efforts for others, that he was often urged to take licensure in the ministry and preach." By his second marriage he had one child.

6904. 1. Julia Sophia Leland, b. at Roscoe, Ill., Nov. 15, 1841, who d. at Sutton May 19, 1850.

6905. v. Rebecca King Leland, b. July 1, 1807, drowned June 28, 1809.

6906. vi. Catharine Haven Leland, b. May 9, 1809, m. Dea. John C. Whittin.

6907. vii. Solomon William Leland, b. Nov. 18, 1811, d. unmarried in Sutton June 10, 1865. He lived for some 20 years in Roscoe, Ill., where he was very active in organizing a church and establishing schools.

6908. viii. Mary Maxwell Leland, b. Feb. 21, 1814, m. as his 2d wife, Oct. 20, 1856, Caleb Woodbury, then of Anoka, Minn., and afterwards of Sutton, Mass., but now of Wollaston Heights, Quincy, Mass. See below, under his name, for further account of this family.

6909. ix. Susan Lois Leland, b. July. 3, 1816, m. Samuel S. Edmonds.

6906. vi. Catharine Haven Leland (dau. of Dea. Jonathan Leland and Elizabeth King), b. May 9, 1809, m. May 30, 1831, Dea. John

Crane Whitin of Whitinsville, Mass., b. March 1, 1807 (son of Samuel Whitin of Northbridge, Mass., and Betsey Fletcher), a large and wealthy manufacturer of machinery, and active in matters of church, life, public spirit and general beneficence. She d. of paralysis Jan. 31, 1873, aet. 63. [Whitin is but another form of Whiting, and this family is of direct lineal descent from Nathaniel Whiting of Dedham and Hannah Dwight, and the descendants of Dea. John C. Whitin are Dwights by both sides of the house].

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6910. i. George Whitin, b. Oct. 20, 1832, d. Jan. 1, 1833.

6911. ii. Jane Whitin, b. Jan. 27, 1834, m. Josiah Lasell.

6912. iii. John Maltby Whitin, b. June 10, 1838, m. Oct. 21, 1868, widow Achsah Foster Haggerty *née* Crane (widow of Major Peter Haggerty, U. S. A., and dau. of Alanson and Lydia Crane of Lowell, Mass.). He was engaged in The Whitin Machine Works with his father at Whitinsville. He d. of rheumatism, Oct. 22, 1872. His widow resides there still. He had no children, but adopted as his own Grace M. Haggerty, b. in Lowell, Mass., Oct. 15, 1863, his wife's daughter by a previous marriage and changed her name to Grace M. Whitin.

6913. iv. Frederic Dwight Whitin, b. Aug. 27, 1843, d. Jan. 29, 1844.

6914. v. George Frederic Whitin, b. July 4, 1846, d. July 29, 1848.

6911. ii. Jane Whitin (dau. of Dea. John C. Whitin and Catharine Haven Leland), b. Jan. 27, 1834, m. June 6, 1855 Josiah Lasell, b. Aug. 6, 1825 (son of Chester Lasell of Schoharie, N. Y., and Nancy Manning), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1844, Principal for 8 years (1852-60) of "The Lasell Female Seminary" at Auburndale, Mass. He was engaged at Holyoke, Mass., for 4 years (1860-64) in making cotton machinery, and has resided since 1864 at Whitinsville, and is connected with the Machine Works there.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6915. i. Catharine Whitin Lasell, b. March 10, 1856.

6916. ii. Jeanie Leland Lasell, b. Jan. 7, 1860.

6917. iii. Chester Whitin Lasell, b. July 5, 1861.

6918. iv. Josiah Manning Lasell, b. Sept. 15, 1863.

6919. v. May Alice Lasell, b. Aug. 11, 1865, d. Sept. 4, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

6909. ix. Susan Lois Leland (dau. of Dea. Jonathan Leland of Sutton and Silence King), b. July 3, 1816, m. as his 2d wife, April 19, 1849, Samuel Sumner Edmonds of North Brookfield, Mass. (son of Samuel Edmonds and Lucy Matthews), an extensive manufacturer of

shoes at N. Brookfield. Children :

6920. 1. Elizabeth Leland Edmonds, b. Sept. 4, 1851.

6921. 2. Lucy Matthews Edmonds, b. Aug. 20, 1853, d. March 16, 1854.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 954.

6793. vii. Rebecca King (dau. of William King and Silence Dwight), b. July 26, 1774, m. Dec. 12, 1794, Aaron Woodbury, b. May 29, 1771 (son of Capt. John Woodbury, of Sutton, and Mary Chase), a merchant and farmer in Leicester, Mass., whence he removed to Bangor, Me., where his wife d. Jan. 1, 1808, an intelligent and well-educated lady. He removed afterwards to Lincoln, Me. He d. at Groton, N. Y., June 18, 1840, aet. 69.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

6922. i. Hon. William Woodbury, b. April 6, 1796, is still living.

6923. ii. John Woodbury, b. Feb. 6, 1798, d. in Sutton Sept. 1810.

6924. iii. Azor Woodbury, b. Aug. 10, 1799, d. unmarried March 22, 1843, aet. 43 in Me.

6925. iv. Mary Woodbury, b. Sept. 22, 1801, m. Sylvanus Larned, and d. Dec. 12, 1829, aet. 28.

6926. v. Tyler Woodbury, b. Nov. 15, 1803.

6927. vi. Lawson Woodbury, b. Dec. 6, 1805.

6928. vii. Aaron Woodbury, b. Aug. 1, 1807.

6922. i. Hon. William Woodbury, b. April 6, 1796, m. June 6, 1822, Louisa Raymond of Athol, Mass., b. April 19, 1797. He is a farmer at Groton, N. Y. : has been a member of the N. Y. Legislature and at different times Supervisor of the town. Fuller information was sought of the family history of this gentleman, but respectfully declined in behalf of all concerned by one of their number.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6929. i. William Lawson Woodbury, M.D., b. April 16, 1823, m. Jan. 25, 1852, Ann Eliza Doolittle, b. in 1830. She d. without issue Nov. 11, 1852, aet. 22. He m. for 2d wife, May 17, 1854, Alma Kenyon, b. in 1831. He is a homœopathic physician at Fulton, N. Y. No children.

6930. ii. Mary Louisa Woodbury, b. May 27, 1824, m. Dr. Samuel Lacey.

6931. iii. Lucien Darwin Woodbury, b. March 21, 1826, d. in Indiana, Sept. 3, 1847.

6932. iv. Jenny Rebecca Woodbury, b. July 4, 1834, m. Major Westel Willoughby.

6930. ii. Mary Louisa Woodbury (dau. of William Woodbury and Louisa Raymond), b. May 27, 1824, m. Sept. 17, 1846, Samuel Lacey, M.D., a physician in Groton, N. Y.



[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6933. i. Burritt S. Lacey, b. June 24, 1847, d. Oct. 21, 1865.  
 6934. ii. Benjamin W. Lacey, b. March 12, 1849, studied law at Washington, D. C.  
 6935. iii. Charles E. Lacey, b. July 2, 1851.  
 6936. iv. Frank A. Lacey, b. Aug. 13, 1853.  
 6937. v. Louisa M. Lacey, b. Sept. 19, 1859.

[Eighth Generation.]

6932. iv. Jenny Rebecca Woodbury (dau. of William Woodbury and Louisa Raymond), b. July 4, 1834, m. May 10, 1859, Major Westel Willoughby, Esq., then of Groton, N. Y. He was Major in the 137th N. Y. Regt. of Vols. in the late war, and was wounded at the battle of Chancellorsville, Va. He is a practising lawyer in Washington, D. C.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6938. i. Alice Estelle Willoughby, b. June 18, 1865.  
 6939. ii. William Franklin Willoughby, }  
 6940. iii. Westel Woodbury Willoughby, } twins, b. July 20, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

6295. iv. Mary Woodbury (dau. of Aaron Woodbury and Rebecca King), b. Sept. 22, 1801, m. Sept. 22, 1816, Hon. Sylvanus Larned, b. June 21, 1788, at N. Oxford, Mass. (son of Sylvanus Larned, b. May 28, 1760, and Martha Davis, b. in 1759, dau. of Genl. Edward Davis). He was a farmer at Peruville (near Groton), Tompkins Co., N. Y. (1820-70), and had a saw mill. He was a justice of the peace and a member once (1843) of the legislature. She d. Dec. 12, 1829. He d. of pneumonia at Lansing, Mich., while on a visit, June 3, 1870, aet. 82.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6941. i. William Leander Larned, b. Dec. 1, 1817, in Sutton.  
 6942. ii. Edward Davis Larned, b. in Groton, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1821.  
 6943. iii. Martha Rebecca Larned, b. May 29, 1825, d. June 29, 1841. aet. 16.

6941. i. William Leander Larned, b. Dec. 1, 1817, m. Sept. 30, 1843, Elizabeth Julia Benson, b. at Groton, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1822 (dau. of Nathan Benson, and Persis Fay). He was a merchant in Hudson, Mich., previously to 1849 for 4 years, after which he spent 15 years in Minnesota, 3 in Dakota, and 6 in Michigan, where he d. at Lansing of small-pox, April 23, 1872, aet. 54. While in Minnesota he was engaged largely in erecting and operating a large flouring mill. He enlisted, April 28, 1861, in the First Minn. Regt., and Aug. 8, 1861, was made Lieut. and transferred soon to the Signal Corps. He took

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part in the battles of the First Bull Run, Ball's Bluff and Winchester, and in Banks' retreat from the Shenandoah Valley. He resigned his commission, Aug. 1862, and returned to his home in Minnesota, where he re-enlisted, Sept. 23, 1862, in the First Minn. Mounted Rangers, and was made 1st Lieut., and served until the Indian war in the State was closed and his regt. was mustered out of service, Oct. 31, 1863. He served as a soldier in his first campaign under Genls. McDowell, Heintzelmann, Banks and Pope; and in his second, under Genls. Sibley and Pope. His widow resides now (1873) at Lansing, Mich.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6944. i. Horatio Holbrook Larned, b. Feb. 15, 1845, in Hudson, Mich., m. Sept. 5, 1871, Mary Jane Jenison, b. Aug. 26, 1851, at Belleville, C. W. (dau. of Luther Singlehary Jenison and Lucina Semantha Young now of Lansing). He is a merchant at Lansing, Mich. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. William Leander Larned, b. Aug. 31, 1872.

6945. ii. Mary Louisa Larned, b. in Hudson, May 16, 1848, d. Sept. 13, 1850.

6946. iii. Charles Augustus Larned, b. at St. Anthony's Falls, Minn., June 12, 1853, d. there June 7, 1854.

6947. iv. George Cady Larned, b. at Anoka, Minn., April 9, 1857, drowned June 19, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

6942. ii. Edward Davis Larned, b. Aug. 3, 1821, m. July 8, 1845, Mary Jane Smiley, b. at Peruville, Dec. 17, 1825 (dau. of Joseph and Hannah Smiley). He is a farmer at Peruville, Tompkins Co., N. Y.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

6948. i. Martha Adeline Larned, b. May 22, 1846, m. March 30, 1871, James Harrison Mount of Peruville.

6949. ii. Sarah Larned, b. Aug. 27, 1847, d. Aug. 1, 1848.

6950. iii. Ellen Delona Larned, b. March 19, 1850.

6951. iv. Mary Larned, b. July 11, 1856, d. Nov. 18, 1858.

6952. v. Florence Larned, b. April 26, 1861.

[Seventh Generation.]

6926. v. Tyler Woodbury (son of Aaron Woodbury and Rebecca King), b. Nov. 15, 1803, m. in 1827, Sophronia Tolman. He is a farmer at St. Francis, Anoka Co., Minn. She d. Dec. 1859.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6954. i. Tyler Chandler Woodbury, b. Sept. 30, 1828.

6955. ii. Rebecca King Woodbury, b. Aug. 22, 1830, m. Nathaniel Fuller of St. Francis, Anoka Co., Minn.

6956. iii. Abby M. Woodbury, b. Oct. 27, 1833, m. in 1860, Amasa Booba of St. Francis, Minn. They have had 3 children :

6957. iv. Sophronia Woodbury, b. July 31, 1835, m. in 1855 William Hersez, b. in Lincoln, Me., a farmer. He enlisted as a private in the late war in 1862 in the Union army and became Lieut. He d. at Baton Rouge, La. in 1863.

6958. v. Martha Larned Woodbury, b. Oct. 22, 1837, m. in 1856 George Lindsey of St. Francis, Anoka Co., Minn.

6959. vi. Caroline Fitts Woodbury, b. Sept 9, 1839, d. in 1846.

6960. vii. Hiram N. Woodbury, b. Aug. 3, 1843.

6961. viii. Ella M. Woodbury, b. Aug. 9, 1845, d. in 1846.

6962. ix. Ellen C. Woodbury, b. April 19, 1847.

6955. ii. Rebecca King Woodbury (dau. of Tyler Woodbury and Sophronia Tolman), b. Aug. 22, 1830, m. in 1850 Nathaniel Fuller. Four children: Nos. 6963-6: Mary Isadore, C. Lizzie, Abby C. and Frederic T.

[Eighth Generation.]

6958. v. Martha Larned Woodbury (dau. of Tyler Woodbury and Sophronia Tolman), b. Oct. 22, 1837, m. in 1856 George Lindsey, who lives in Minn. Two children: Nos. 6967-8: Herbert C. and Carrie Sophronia.

[Seventh Generation.]

6927. vi. Hon. Lawson Woodbury (son of Aaron Woodbury and Rebecca King), b. Dec. 6, 1805, m. in 1832 Abigail McMahon. She d. in 1854. He was a farmer in Eddington, Me., a justice of the peace and a member of the Maine Legislature. He m. in 1858 widow E. Davis. He d. a few years since. He had, by his first wife, 3 children, Nos. 6969-71: Louisa Raymond, b. in 1837, who m. in 1864 Elon Cummings; Ann Eliza, b. in 1840, who d. in 1857; and a dau. that d. young.

[Seventh Generation.]

6928. vii. Aaron Woodbury, Jr. (son of Aaron Woodbury and Rebecca King), b. Aug. 1, 1807, m. Oct. 25, 1831, Caroline Fitts, b. July 11, 1813. He is a farmer at Groton, N. Y. (since 1832).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6972. i. Jerome Francis Woodbury, b. April 29, 1836.

6973. ii. Marshall Woodbury, b. April 30, 1839.

6974. iii. Martha Ann Woodbury, b. Dec. 20, 1841, m. May 19, 1868, Elisha Fields.

6975. iv. Carrie Maria Woodbury, b. May 12, 1844, d. Dec. 17, 1861, aet. 17.

6972. i. Jerome Francis Woodbury, b. April 29, 1836, entered the

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U. S. A. of Vols. in the late war, as a private in the N. Y. 109th Regt., and was killed in battle on the Weldon R. Road, Aug. 19, 1864. He was a noble young man, and left a good home and many fond friends in order to help put down the fearful treason of the hour.

[Sixth Generation.] See page 954.

6794. viii. Silence King (dau. of William King of Sutton, Mass., and Silence Dwight), b. Jan. 6, 1777, m. March 1, 1799, Hon. Caleb Woodbury of Sutton, Mass., b. March 15, 1774 (son of Capt. John Woodbury of Sutton, and Mary Chase). He was a farmer and blacksmith at Charlton, Mass., and in 1817 (aet. 43) he removed to Groton, N. Y., and engaged in the manufacture of axes and edged tools. He afterwards lived with his sons in Columbus, O., and Adrian, Mich., where he d. Dec. 26, 1853, aet. 78. He was a man of integrity and honor, and was, while living in N. Y. State, a member of the legislature. His widow d. at Anoka, Minn., May 21, 1864, aet. 87. They had 10 sons.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

6976. i. George Dwight Woodbury, b. Oct. 26, 1799.

6977. ii. James Hervey Woodbury, b. May 24, 1801, is a farmer at Garden Grove, Iowa.

6978. iii. Daniel Tenney Woodbury, b. Dec. 19, 1802, d. at Columbus, O., Dec. 25, 1867.

6979. iv. Jeremiah Pratt Woodbury, b. at Charlton, Mass., Feb. 7, 1805.

6980. v. Caleb Woodbury, Jr., b. Nov. 3, 1806.

6981. vi. William Henry Woodbury, b. May 16, 1809.

6982. vii. John Prescott Woodbury, b. Oct. 9, 1811.

\*\*\*\* viiii. Estes Avery Woodbury, b. Nov. 1, 1814, d. May 28, 1817.

6983. ix. Estes King Woodbury, b. Sept. 20, 1818.

6984. x. Samuel Augustus Woodbury, b. Sept. 29, 1820, d. Aug. 5, 1845.

6976. i. George Dwight Woodbury, b. Oct. 26, 1799, m. Sept. 18, 1832, Mercy Dunbar Town, b. Oct. 8, 1810 (dau. of Genl. Salem Town of Charlton, Mass., and Sarah Spurr). She d. June 16, 1848; and he m. for 2d wife, Sept. 24, 1857, Sarah Spurr, b. July 19, 1817 (dau. of Major John Spurr of Charlton, and ——— Wheelock). He was for several years a merchant at Macon, Ga. He removed in 1832, to Columbus, O., where he resided as a merchant until 1845, when he went to New York, and engaged there with his brother, John Prescott Woodbury, in the dry-goods jobbing business. He has resided for some years past at Charlton, Mass. (1874).



972 *Descendants of Michael Dwight of Dedham, Mass.,*

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife:*

6985. i. Mary Woodbury, b. at Columbus, Sept. 11, 1833, d. at Charlton, Mass., Dec. 12, 1854.

6986. ii. Albert Woodbury, b. at Groton, N. Y., Aug. 5, 1835, d. at Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 29, 1863, from the effects of a wound received at Chickamauga, five weeks previously, while in command of The Seed. Minn. Battery. He was confirmed by the U. S. Senate Asst. Adjt. Genl. on Brig. Genl. Carlin's staff.

6987. iii. Charles Town Woodbury, b. April 17, 1839, is a manufacturer of lumber at Anoka, Minn.

6988. iv. George Dwight Woodbury, b. Oct. 11, 1844, a farmer at Charlton.

*By second wife:*

6989. v. Mary D. Woodbury, b. Oct. 2, 1858.

6990. vi. John Spurr Woodbury, b. Feb. 22, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

6977. ii. James Hervey Woodbury, b. May 24, 1801, m. Aug. 12, 1826, his cousin, Susanna Woodbury, b. at Dudley, Mass., Jan. 8, 1803, dau. of Daniel Woodbury of Charlton, Mass., and Sally Childs). He was a farmer previous to 1854, at Coldwater, Mich., and afterwards at Garden Grove, Iowa (1854-68), but resides now at Leon, Iowa (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

\*\*\*\* i. Col. Dwight Avery Woodbury, b. Dec. 18, 1827, m. at Adrian, Mich., Nov. 16, 1851, Ann Maria Adams (dau. of Eber Adams). He was a Col. in the 4th Mich. Regt., and was killed at Malvern Hill, Va., July 1, 1862. He was a R. R. conductor on the Mich. So. R. R. and lived at Adrian, Mich. He went to the war June 24, 1861. He left one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Helen Wells Woodbury, b. June 18, 1852.

\*\*\*\* ii. George Woodbury, b. July 23, 1832, m. at White Pigeon, Mich., Oct. 28, 1854, Catharine Mary Jacobus (dau. of Thomas Jacobus of Cooperstown, N. Y., and Jane McKinney). He is a druggist at Leon, Decatur Co., Iowa (since 1862). He has had 2 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. George James Woodbury, b. Sept. 25, 1855.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frank Douglas Woodbury, b. Dec. 15, 1859, d. April 11, 1867.

\*\*\*\* iii. William King Woodbury, b. Sept. 25, 1839, was a student of law. He was living with Dr. Hammond 18 miles from Memphis, Tenn. and was killed while there March 16, 1863.

\*\*\*\* iv. Elizabeth Leland Woodbury, b. Dec. 27, 1842, m. Oct. 19, 1863, John Lewis Young, a lawyer by profession, residing at Leon,

Iowa. He is now a travelling agent and attorney for a firm in St. Louis, Mo. They have 4 children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Lew Hervey Young, b. Aug. 1, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Susan Young, b. Sept. 1, 1866.

\*\*\*\* 3. Mary Young, b. Nov. 17, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 4. Carrie Young, b. Nov. 30, 1871.

\*\*\*\* v. James Augustus Woodbury, b. March 16, 1845, m. Jan. 1, 1866, Florence Jane Barrows (dau. of Dennis Barrows of Garden Grove, Iowa, and Charlotte Weller). He is a merchant at Garden Grove, Iowa. They have 2 children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Charlotte Kate Woodbury, b. May 10, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. Elizabeth Eugenia Woodbury, b. July 27, 1870.

[Seventh Generation.]

6978. iii. Daniel Tenney Woodbury (son of Caleb Woodbury and Silence King), b. Dec. 19, 1802, was a merchant at Columbus, O. (1833-67) where he d. unmarried Dec. 25, 1867, aet. 65. He was a man of superior sagacity, prudence, energy and thrift, and of remarkable insight into public affairs. He was for 16 years an earnest member and liberal supporter of the Sec'd Presb. Church of Columbus. He distributed at his death his estate of a hundred thousand dollars, to various religious institutions and societies.

6979. iv. Jeremiah Pratt Woodbury (son of Caleb Woodbury and Silence King), b. Feb. 7, 1805, has resided since 1847 at Kalamazoo, Mich. He was formerly a merchant and manufacturer, and has been more recently running a large flouring mill, and has been for some years past Prest. of the Kalamazoo Paper Company. He m. March 12, 1834, Melinda Knettles, b. in Lansing, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1813 (dau. of Joseph Knettles of that place, and Catharine Tickenor).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

6991. i. Catharine Woodbury, b. May 4, 1835, d. Oct. 16, 1836.

6992. ii. Carrie Woodbury, b. May 15, 1836, m. Feb. 6, 1867, George Luther Trask, a shoe dealer in New York, b. in Millbury, Mass., Sept. 1, 1831 (son of Luther H. Trask and Louise Fay). No children (1874).

6993. iii. Kate Knettles Woodbury, b. April 7, 1838, m. Jan. 2, 1868, Frederic William Curtenius, b. in New York Sept. 30, 1806 (son of Peter Curtenius and Mary Ann Larber), U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue at Kalamazoo, Mich., for some years, but now a banker there. They have had 4 children :

6994. 1. Carrie Woodbury Curtenius, b. Oct. 28, 1868, d. Dec. 22, 1871.

\*\*\*\* 2. Helen Robinson Curtenius, b. Dec. 17, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 3. Wilhelmina Curtenius, b. Oct. 2, 1871.

\*\*\*\* 4. A child unnamed, b. Nov. 19, 1873.

6995. iv. Edward Woodbury, b. May 2, 1842, is engaged in (flour) milling operations at Kalamazoo, Mich.

6996. v. Emma Woodbury, b. Sept. 7, 1849, m. Sept. 1. 1869, Ira Allen Ransom, Supt. Kalamazoo Gas Light Co. One child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Woodbury Ransom, b. Feb. 26, 1873.

[Seventh Generation.]

6980. v. Caleb Woodbury (son of Hon. Caleb Woodbury of Groton, N. Y., and Silence King), b. Nov. 3, 1806, m. Nov. 24, 1838, Mary Eliza Southworth, b. Feb. 21, 1814 (dau. of William Troop Southworth, M.D., of Little Compton, R. I., and Harriet Montague). She d. May 5, 1854, of cholera, when on the Mississippi River, on her way to Minnesota. He m. for a 2d wife Oct. 20, 1856, Mary Maxwell Leland (dau. of Dea. Jonathan Leland of Sutton and Elizabeth King), b. Feb. 21, 1814. See No. 6908. viii. He has had a variety of pursuits in different places. He was for a few years a merchant in Peruville, N. Y., and afterwards a merchant and manufacturer of potash, pearlash and saleratus, in Eaton Co., Mich., where he also established a tannery, and manufactured boots and shoes (1838-45); kept a drug store in Adrian, Mich. (1845-54); went to Minnesota and laid out, with his brother William Henry, the town of Anoka; built saw and flour mills, and bought several thousands of acres of pine and farm land (1854-66); removed to Kalamazoo, Mich., and in 1869 to Worcester, Mass., where he kept a flour store (1869-71), and in 1871 removed to Norton, Mass., where he bought and worked a small farm. Since Sept. 1873, he has lived at Wollaston Heights, Quincy, Mass. He sums up his varied experiences in business matters after this wise: "I was some of the time almost hopelessly in debt; but although not always able to meet demands when due, I have in all cases paid 100 cents on a dollar, and have enough left, I think, to carry me through the journey of life to the end." His wife d. April 12, 1870.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

6997. i. Harriet Southworth Woodbury, b. Sept. 15, 1839, d. in Adrian, Mich., May 31, 1852.

6998. ii. Jane Eliza Woodbury, b. March 7, 1845, m. Oct. 21, 1868, Annis Allen Lincoln (son of Annis A. Lincoln and Nancy Arnold), a founder at Norton, Mass., and maker of stoves, ranges and hot-air furnaces. He lives now (since June, 1873) at Wollaston Heights, Quincy, Mass. Two children.

\*\*\*\* 1. Harriet Woodbury Lincoln, b. Aug. 19, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 2. Mary Arnold Lincoln, b. April 16, 1872.

[Seventh Generation.]

6981. vi. William Henry Woodbury (son of Hon. Caleb Woodbury and Silence King), b. May 16, 1809, in Charlton, Mass., m. as her 2d husband widow Louise Augusta Woodbury, *née* Long, Dec. 18, 1862. She was b. April 16, 1829, and was dau. of Dr. Lawson Long of Holyoke, Mass., and Louisa Smead Allen, and previous wife of John Prescott Woodbury, his brother. He was for several years associated with C. W. Sanders in preparing "Sanders' Series of School-Books," and is the author of "Woodbury's New Method with German," which has had a large sale, as a text-book, in the study of German in this country. He was a resident, for some years previously, of New York, and became, in 1863, superintendent of freedmen's schools in Norfolk, Va., which post he resigned in 1865. Since March, 1866, he has been a farmer at Stamford, Ct. (1874). They have one child:

6999. 1. William Henry Woodbury, b. in Norfolk, Va., Feb. 16, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

6982. vii. John Prescott Woodbury (son of Hon. Caleb Woodbury and Silence King), b. Oct. 9, 1811, m. Nov. 3, 1843, Maria Culp (dau. of Rev. Mr. Culp of Philadelphia). She d. May, 1849, and he m. for a 2d wife, May 5, 1857, Louisa Augusta Long, b. April 16, 1829 (dau. of Dr. Lawson Long of Holyoke, Mass., and Louisa Smead Allen). He was a dry-goods jobber at New York (1845-54) with his brother Dwight, after which he travelled extensively in Europe and Asia. In 1858-9 he was in Texas, and after that at Anoka, Minn., where he d. March 7, 1860.

He had by his first wife one child:

7000. 1. Annie Caroline Woodbury, b. July 9, 1846, who m. June 18, 1866, Frank Lombard Woodward, a hardware merchant in Boston, Mass. She d. March 13, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

6983. viii. Estes King Woodbury (son of Caleb Woodbury and Silence King), b. Sept. 20, 1818, m. Aug. 31, 1865, in Homer, N. Y., Harriet Taylor, b. in New York, Dec. 3, 1834 (dau. of Robert Taylor of New York and Lydia Higgins). He is a farmer at Stamford, Ct. (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7001. i. Robert Taylor Woodbury, b. in Charlton, Mass., June 26, 1866.

7002. ii. Daniel Tenney Woodbury, b. in Stamford, Dec. 11, 1867.

7003. iii. Horace Leland Woodbury, b. April 3, 1869.

7004. iv. Louise Woodbury, b. Oct. 19, 1872.



The descendants of William King and Silence Dwight enumerated above are more than 200.

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[Fifth Generation.] See page 948.

6769. iii. Rachel Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight of Sutton and Jane Bulkley), b. Sept. 8, 1738, m. Dec. 27, 1769, Major George Gould of Sutton, b. in 1738. He was a farmer at West Roxbury (then a part of Dedham). He was a drummer in the old French war and served in the revolutionary war first as Captain and afterwards as Major. He was a man of great piety. He d. Jan. 6, 1805, aet. 67: She d. March 15, 1834, aet. 95. She is described by one of her granddaughters as "a woman of great energy, fortitude and perseverance and of a good deal of ancestral pride. When over 90 she visited one of her daughters in Dorchester, and observed with her family a religious fast-day very comfortably to herself in entire abstinence from food. She was very spirited, and patriotic beyond many around her in the revolutionary war. Her faculties were clear and bright until near the very end of her life."

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

7005. i. Samuel Gould, M.D., b. in Sutton, Nov. 29, 1770, d. Nov. 13, 1845, aet. 75.

7006. ii. Mary Gould, b. there May 29, 1772, m. William Howe, and d. Oct. 31, 1859, aet. 87.

7007. iii. Elizabeth Gould, b. Nov. 5, 1774, at Dedham (W. Roxbury), m. Benjamin Simmons.

7008. iv. Timothy Dwight Gould, b. Feb. 4, 1777, m. widow Hannah Gibson. He d. without issue.

7009. v. Jonathan Gould, b. July 18, 1781.

7005. i. Samuel Gould, M.D. (son of Major George Gould and Rachel Dwight), b. Nov. 29, 1770, was a physician in Needham, Mass. He m. April 6, 1804, Esther Kingsbury (dau. of Jonathan Kingsbury of Needham, and Sarah Pratt). He was a man of good intellect and of quite respectable literary and professional acquirements, and was exceedingly polite—so that to be "as polite as Dr. Gould," was considered in the town to be quite a high measure of excellence in manners. He removed in his later years to West Roxbury, and d. Nov. 13, 1845, aet. 75. She d. Jan. 4, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

7010. i. Elizabeth Gould, b. July 9, 1804, d. unmarried Aug. 10, 1859, aet. 55.

7011. ii. George Gould, b. June 17, 1806, was a machinist at Pittsburgh, Pa. He m. Dec. 1831, Sophia Warden of that place. He d. at

Cincinnati, O., Aug. 16, 1834. His widow m. a 2d husband. They had two children :

7012. 1. Samuel Gould, b. Sept. 1832, d. July 31, 1835.

7013. 2. George Gould, Jr., b. Sept. 5, 1834.

7014. iii. Sarah Kingsbury Gould, b. Dec. 18, 1809, resides unmarried at West Roxbury, Mass. (1874).

7015. iv. Mary Ann Gould, b. Jan. 25, 1819, resides at W. Roxbury.

[Sixth Generation.]

7006. ii. Mary Gould (dau. of Major George Gould and Rachel Dwight) b. at Sutton, May 29, 1772, m. April 27, 1797, William Howe of Dedham, Mass., b. Aug. 10, 1770 (son of Thomas Howe of Dedham, b. Aug. 24, 1735, and Hannah Leeds, dau. of Comfort and Margaret Leeds). She d. at South Braintree, Mass., Oct. 31, 1859, aet. 87.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7016. i. Rev. George Howe, D.D., LL. D., b. Nov. 6, 1802.

7017. ii. Rachel Dwight Howe, b. Feb. 19, 1806, m. Rev. Lyman Matthews and d. Nov. 1, 1866, aet. 60.

7018. iii. William Howe, Jr., b. Nov. 20, 1811.

7016. i. Rev. George Howe, D.D., LL.D., b. Nov. 6, 1802, at Dedham, Mass., grad. at Middlebury Coll., Vt., in 1822, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1825 ; was Prof. in Dartmouth Coll. (1826-30) of sacred Theology, and since 1831, has been Prof. of Biblical Literature in the Presb. Theol. Sem., at Columbia, S. C., and Prest. of the Sem. He m. Aug. 25, 1831, Mary Bushnell, b. June 25, 1808 (dau. of Rev. Jedediah Bushnell of Cornwall, Vt., and Elizabeth Smith, dau. of Ezra Smith of Richmond, Vt.). She d. of consumption Sept. 18, 1832. He m. Dec. 19, 1836, for a 2d wife, widow Sarah Ann McConnell *née* Walthour, b. Oct. 5, 1803 (dau. of Andrew Walthour of Walthourville, Liberty Co., Ga., and Ann Hoffmire).

[By her first husband she had two children : James Blakely McConnell, b. Aug. 25, 1825, who was drowned in the Conn. River at Hartford, Ct., May 28, 1836, and Mary Augusta McConnell, b. Aug. 23, 1822, who is now the wife of Rev. B. M. Palmer, D.D. of New Orleans, La.]

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By second wife :*

7019. i. George Howe, Jr., b. April 15, 1838, d. of croup Oct. 27, 1841.

7020. ii. Walthour Howe, b. Feb. 13, 1840, d. Nov. 11, 1859.

7021. iii. William Howe, b. Jan. 13, 1842, d. Feb. 2, 1862, at Camp Camden near Centreville, Va., of typhoid pneumonia.

7022. iv. Sarah Emilie Howe, b. Dec. 30, 1843, m. June 24, 1863, Rev. Edward Melvin Green, b. Sept. 10, 1838, in Darlington Co., S. C. (son of James Green, b. in Georgetown, S. C., May 3, 1806, and Sarah Ann James, b. in Williamsburgh Co., S. C., Oct. 3, 1814), grad. at Oglethorpe University, Ga., in 1859, and at the S. C. Theol. Sem. in 1863. He is pastor (1873) of the Presb. Ch. at Winnsboro, S. C., but resides at Columbia, S. C., and is the editor of "The Southern Presbyterian" published there. He was formerly pastor of the Presb. Ch., at Washington, Ga. No children.

7023. v. Marion Louisa Howe, b. Feb. 3, 1846, d. Jan. 31, 1853.

7024. vi. George Howe, Jr., M.D., b. Jan. 29, 1848, grad. at the S. C. University at Columbia, S. C., in 1869, and in medicine in 1870, and resides in Columbia.

[Seventh Generation.]

7017. ii. Rachel Dwight Howe (dau. of William Howe and Mary Gould), b. Feb. 19, 1806, m. Oct. 28, 1830, Rev. Lyman Matthews, b. at Middlebury, Vt., May 12, 1801 (son of Darius Matthews of Middlebury, and afterwards of Cornwall, Vt., and Abigail Porter whom he m. at Timmouth, Vt., Nov. 28, 1790), grad. at Middlebury Coll. in 1822, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1828, was settled at South Braintree, Mass., for 14 years (1830-44), when he resigned his charge on account of poor health, and removed to Cornwall, Vt., where he d. Aug. 17, 1866, aet. 65, and she d. Nov. 1, 1866, aet. 60.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7025. i. William Howe Matthews, b. July 24, 1832, at S. Braintree, resides unmarried on the home-farm at Cornwall, Vt. (1874).

7026. ii. Mary Howe Matthews, b. Dec. 22, 1833, m. Horace J. Mead, and d. Oct. 23, 1862.

7027. iii. Abigail Porter Matthews, b. Sept. 21, 1835, resides unmarried at Cornwall (1874).

7028. iv. Carafilia Matthews, b. Nov. 5, 1837, d. in Cornwall, Dec. 13, 1850.

7029. v. Lyman Matthews, Jr., b. Sept. 20, 1839, d. April 7, 1857, at Cornwall.

7030. vi. Charlotte Plaisted Matthews, b. March 12, 1843, d. Oct. 10, 1844, at S. Braintree.

7031. vii. Thomas Porter Dwight Matthews, b. at Cornwall, Jan. 28, 1847, grad. at Middlebury Coll. in 1870, is a civil engineer.

7026. ii. Mary Howe Matthews, b. Dec. 22, 1833, m. Jan. 2, 1855, Horace J. Mead, a farmer in Cornwall, Vt. She d. Oct. 23, 1862. He d. in 1872.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

7032. i. Lyman Matthews Mead, b. March 23, 1856, d. Dec. 14, 1862.

7033. ii. Anna Janes Mead, b. Dec. 15, 1857, resides at Oberlin, O. (1874), with Prof. Hiram Mead, her uncle.

7034. iii. Martin Louis Mead, b. July 12, 1860, d. at Cornwall, Oct. 19, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

7018. iii. William Howe, Jr. (son of William Howe and Mary Gould), b. Nov. 20, 1811, m. Sept. 5, 1841, Catharine Willard, b. at Keene, N. H., Jan. 26, 1819 (dau. of Josiah Willard and Prudence Morse): a machinist at S. Braintree, Mass, for many years, but of late has been a resident of Boston.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7035. i. George Howe, b. May 24, 1842, m. Sept. 26, 1871, Harriet E. Tozier of Waterville, Me. He is bookkeeper and cashier for a mercantile firm in Fitchburg, Mass. They have one child :

\*\*\*\* 1. George Edward Howe, b. Feb. 22, 1873.

7036. ii. Edward Willard Howe, b. Aug. 27, 1846, grad. at Middlebury Coll. in 1869, and has been ever since his graduation a civil engineer in the service of the city of Boston.

7037. iii. Mary Catharine Howe, b. Jan. 2, 1850, resides unmarried at Boston (1874).

[Sixth Generation.]

7007. iii. Elizabeth Gould (dau. of Major George Gould and Rachel Dwight), b. Nov. 5, 1774, at Dedham, m. May 31, 1813, Benjamin Simmons, b. in Dorchester, Mass., June 14, 1770 (son of Micah Simmons and Abigail ———). She was his 3d wife. He was a shoemaker and miller. He d. Oct. 9, 1831, aet. 61. She was living (1867) at W. Newton, Mass., aet. 92.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7038. i. Mark Simmons, b. March 25, 1814, d. March 30, 1814.

7039. ii. Elizabeth Simmons, b. June 16, 1815, m. Rev. John Ballard, b. in Farmington, Me., in 1806, grad. at Bowdoin Coll. in 1831, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1834, preached at Warren, Ct. (1836-8), Griggsville, Ill. (1840-3), and at Perry, Ill. (1843-57), where he d. Feb. 13, 1857, aet. 51. She d. there May 15, 1853. He was a Home Missionary.

7040. iii. Hannah Simmons, b. at Dedham, Aug. 8, 1817, m. Benj. F. Whittemore.

7041. iv. John Simmons, b. at Dorchester, Sept. 6, 1821, m. Mary Hoyt. He is a farmer at Sacramento City, Cal. No children.



7040. iii. Hannah Simmons, b. Aug. 8, 1817, m. Nov. 3, 1840, as his 3d wife, Benjamin Franklin Whittemore, b. July 22, 1805 (son of Amos Whittemore of Greenfield, N. H., and Polly Savage), a real estate and stock-broker in Boston, Mass. His family resides at West Newton.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7042. i. Hannah Elizabeth Whittemore, b. Dec. 11, and d. Dec. 13, 1845.

7043. ii. Mary Elizabeth Whittemore, b. April 23, 1847, d. Feb. 10, 1849.

7044. iii. William Frederic Whittemore, b. Nov. 20, 1850.

[Sixth Generation.]

7009. v. Jonathan Gould (son of Major George Gould and Rachel Dwight), b. July 18, 1781, m. June 1, 1814, Sarah Blanchard of Weymouth (dau. of Capt. David Blanchard and Mary Humphrey). He was a blacksmith in Dedham, where he lived to a great age, being confined for several of the last years of his life to his bed on account of severe spinal disease.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

7045. i. Grenville Gould, b. June 15, 1815, d. July 28, 1838.

7046. ii. Sarah A. Gould, b. July 15, 1817, d. June 15, 1819.

7047. iii. George Gould, b. Nov. 17, 1819, d. Jan. 15, 1820.

7048. iv. Edmund Gould, b. Jan. 6, 1821, d. March 18, 1859.

7049. v. Sarah Blanchard Gould, b. Feb. 9, 1823, resides unmarried at Dedham, Mass.

7050. vi. Mary Gould, b. July 12, 1825, m. Sept. 1, 1852, Edwin Eames of Roxbury, Mass. She d. with her child, newly born, June 28, 1854.

7051. vii. George Gould, 2d, b. Aug. 19, 1827, m. May 12, 1864, widow Hannah Duff.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 948.

6770. iv. Timothy Dwight (son of Samuel Dwight and Jane Bulkley), b. May 27, 1741, m. about 1765 Sarah Alden of Needham, Mass. He was a farmer at Ashburnham, Mass. (1765-9). It appears from town-records, that, from the first incorporation of the town, in 1765, until his death, he was active continually on important committees. He d. May 2, 1769, aet. 28. With his death the male line of Michael Dwight has been thought by some, and, as the author thinks wrongly, to have become extinct. His widow m. for a 2d husband Capt. Thomas Newhall of Leicester, Mass., where she d. in 1797. Timothy Dwight's estate was valued at £43 11s. 5½d. Capt. Newhall d. with-

out issue, Oct. 26, 1814, aet. 82. He was son of Jonathan and Hannah Newhall.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

7052. i. Sarah Dwight, b. in 1766, m. Edmund Muzzy, and d. May 23, 1819, aet. 53.

7053. ii. Mehitable Dwight, b. May 6, 1768, m. Capt. David Trask, and d. in 1800, aet. 32.

7052. i. Sarah Dwight, b. in 1766, m. Nov. 25, 1785, Edmund Muzzy, b. Aug. 25, 1763 (son of John Muzzy of Spencer and Abigail Reed), a large farmer in Spencer, Mass., and a resolute, industrious man. She d. May 23, 1819, aet. 53. He m. for a 2d wife, Feb. 10, 1820, widow Jane Boyden of Holden, Mass., *née* Smith, b. in 1782, widow of Daniel Boyden, and dau. of David and Jane Smith. She d. Nov. 2, 1837, aet. 55; and he m. for 3d wife May 3, 1838, widow Lydia Bemis, *née* Hatch, b. Nov. 4, 1780, widow of Joshua Bemis of Spencer, and dau. of Stevens and Ruth Hatch, also of Spencer. He d. March 8, 1850, aet. 86. [John Muzzy, b. in Lexington, Mass., May 10, 1714, m. Nov. 11, 1736, Abigail Reed, b. March 30, 1720, dau. of William Reed of Lexington, Mass. They had 15 children, all of whom lived to years of maturity. He removed to Rutland, Mass., in 1739, and in 1752 to Spencer, Mass. He was town-clerk, selectman, representative of his town and deacon in Rev. Mr. Eaton's church for 36 years (1753-89). He d. June 25, 1789: she d. Feb. 18, 1766.] Edmund Muzzy had by Sarah Dwight two children:

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7054. i. Sarah Muzzy, b. June 9, 1787, m. Henry Eames, and d. Jan. 12, 1831.

7055. ii. Thomas Newhall Muzzy, b. March 16, 1789.

7054. i. Sarah Muzzy, b. June 9, 1787, m. Nov. 26, 1807, Henry Eames, b. Nov. 8, 1784 (son of Gershom and Lydia Eames of Boylston, Mass.), a cabinet-maker in Spencer, Mass. She d. Jan. 12, 1831, and he m. for 2d wife, June 21, 1832, widow Roxa Jenks, *née* Watson (widow of John Jenks of Spencer, b. May 12, 1789 and dau. of Samuel and Ruth Watson of Leicester, Mass.) He d. June 8, 1865.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7056. i. Timothy Dwight Eames, b. May 11, 1809.

7057. ii. William Alden Eames, b. Aug. 4, 1811.

7058. iii. Sarah Eames, b. Feb. 15, 1814, m. Horatio Hall.

7059. iv. Edmund Eames, b. June 10, 1816, d. Nov. 16, 1816.

7056. i. Timothy Dwight Eames, b. May 11, 1809, m. May 20, 1836, Abigail Mellen Murdock of Framingham, Mass., b. Feb. 8, 1816 (dau. of Samuel Murdock, afterwards city missionary in Chicago, Ill., and Abigail Mellen). He was a merchant for many years in Jacksonville,



Ill., where he has lived for a long time retired from business. He is an elder in the Presb. Church.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

7060. i. Edmund Muzzy Eames, b. May 10, 1840, d. Jan. 10, 1842.

7061. ii. Charles Mellen Eames, b. Nov. 6, 1845, is local editor of "The Daily Jacksonville Journal."

[Eighth Generation.]

7057. ii. William Alden Eames (son of Henry Eames and Sarah Muzzy), b. Aug. 4, 1811, m. May 12, 1835, Hannah Parks Waite of Leicester, Mass., b. Jan. 27, 1812 (dau. of Nahum and Olive Waite). He is a leather-merchant in Baltimore, Md. (since 1842).

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

7062. i. Henry Edmund Eames, b. in Leicester, Mass., Feb. 6, 1836.

7063. ii. Ella Maria Eames, b. in Worcester, Mass., Dec. 30, 1837, m. John Biscoe.

7064. iii. Ann Jane Eames, b. in Leicester, Dec. 15, 1840, d. in Baltimore, June 8, 1842.

7065. iv. Ann Amelia Eames, b. in Baltimore, Dec. 23, 1843, d. in Worcester, Oct. 24, 1853.

7066. v. Charles Waite Eames, b. in Worcester, Nov. 10, 1852, d. there Sept. 29, 1852.

7062. i. Henry Edmund Eames, b. Feb. 6, 1836, m. July 5, 1860, Fanny R. Alexander of Baltimore (dau. of James Alexander and Frances A.——). He is a resident of Baltimore. Children :

7067. 1. Etta May Eames, b. May 27, 1861.

7068. 2. Mary A. Eames, b. Oct. 11, 1863, d. Aug. 1864.

[Ninth Generation.]

7063. ii. Ella Maria Eames (dau. of William A. Eames and Hannah P. Waite), b. Dec. 30, 1837, m. July 30, 1857, John Biscoe of Leicester, Mass., b. July 10, 1834 (son of Dwight Biscoe and Ruth ——), a manufacturer of machine cards. One child :

7071. 1. Annie Louise Biscoe, b. June, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.]

7058. iii. Sarah Eames (dau. of Henry Eames and Sarah Muzzy), b. Feb. 15, 1814, m. May 9, 1833, Horatio Hall, b. Aug. 12, 1806 (son of Samuel Hall and Lydia Whipple), a boot manufacturer at Spencer, Mass., who has for some years past lived there retired from business. To her is largely due the account here furnished of the descendants of Edmund Muzzy and Sarah Dwight.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

7073. i. Sarah Jane Hall, b. Aug. 27, 1834, m. George A. Perry.

7074. ii. Abigail Muzzy Hall, b. Dec. 30, 1836, d. April 20, 1854.

7075. iii. Mary Elizabeth Hall, b. May 15, 1839, d. Oct. 12, 1858.

7076. iv. Maria Curtis Hall, b. Dec. 31, 1841, m. Myron J. Bancroft.

7077. v. Henry Eames Hall, b. May 24, 1848.

7073. i. Sarah Jane Hall (dau. of Horatio Hall and Sarah Eames), b. Aug. 27, 1834, m. May 24, 1853, George Austin Perry, b. Jan. 7, 1832 (son of Charles Perry of Beverley, Mass., and Mary Barry), a jeweller in Boston (1874). Children:

7078. 1. Charles Hall Perry, b. April 3, 1856.

7079. 2. Mary Georgette Perry, b. Aug. 24, 1859.

7080. 3. George Henry Perry, b. Nov. 30, 1866.

[Ninth Generation.] :

7076. iv. Maria Curtis Hall (dau. of Horatio Hall and Sarah Eames), b. Dec. 31, 1841, m. June 12, 1861, Myron Joseph Bancroft, b. Feb. 6, 1839 (son of Joseph Bancroft of Millbury, Mass., and Louisa —). He was a clerk in Millbury. He d. March 5, 1862. She m. April 9, 1863, for 2d husband, Charles Carey Chace, b. Nov. 22, 1838, (son of Alonzo Chace of Paxton, Mass., and Catharine Elizabeth Brown), a cutter of leather in a boot manufactory at Detroit, Mich., formerly, but since 1870 at St. Paul, Minn. Two children:

7081. 1. Emma Sarah Chace, b. June 29, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 2. Florence May Chace, b. Sept. 29, 1871.

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7077. v. Henry Eames Hall, b. May 24, 1848, m. Dec. 25, 1869, Harriet Frances Gordon of Worcester, Mass. He is clerk in a grocery store at Worcester: has two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Arthur Henry Hall, b. Oct. 12, 1871.

\*\*\*\* 2. A son unnamed, b. Nov. 3, 1873.

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7055. ii. Thomas Newhall Muzzy (son of Edmund Muzzy and Sarah Dwight), b. March 16, 1789, m. Jan. 1813, Laurinda J. Bacon of Charlton, Mass. He is still (1873) living at Cumberland, O., where he has been long a farmer. To letters addressed to him his family made no reply.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

\*\*\*\* i. Laurinda Bacon Muzzy, who m. William White.

\*\*\*\* ii. Linus B. Muzzy, who m. Mary Dunbar.

\*\*\*\* iii. Dwight Muzzy, who resides in Oregon.

\*\*\*\* iv. Sarah Eames Muzzy, who m. Rev. B. Y. Siegfried of Wilmington, O. (Bapt.).

\*\*\*\* v. Edmund R. Muzzy, deceased.

\*\*\*\* vi. Calista P. Muzzy, who m. Eli Draper, of Brookfield, O.



\*\*\*\* vii. Julia Ann Muzzy, deceased.

\*\*\*\* viii. Leonard I. Muzzy, who lives at Terre Haute, Ind., a lawyer, m. Mary White.

\*\*\*\* ix. Julia C. Muzzy, who m. William Tucker of Cumberland, O.

\*\*\*\* x. Jeremiah D. Muzzy, lives at Cumberland, O., m. Mary Thomas.

\*\*\*\* xi. Luther B. Muzzy, who m. Maria Wood.

[Sixth Generation.]

7053. ii. Mehitable Dwight (dau. of Timothy Dwight and Sarah Alden) b. at Medford, Mass., May 6, 1768, m. Feb. 7, 1788, Capt. David Trask of Millbury, Mass., b. June 1, 1764 (son of Samuel Trask and Anna Bond. Samuel Trask had 3 wives, and each wife had 7 children). He was a wheelwright and farmer at Leicester, Mass. She d. July 13, 1801, aet. 32, and he m. for 2d wife, Dec. 28, 1802, widow Mary Cooley, *née* Wolcott, b. at Brookfield, Mass., Dec. 28, 1768, who d. Nov. 16, 1807. He m. for 3d wife, Dec. 5, 1808, widow Abigail Harrington, *née* Putnam, b. in Grafton, Sept. 15, 1775. He d. Dec. 26, 1831, aet. 67. She d. April 7, 1871, aet. 95.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

7082. i. Anna Trask, b. Nov. 7, 1790, d. at Pinckney, Mich., Feb. 6, 1860. She m. John Wood.

7083. ii. Mehitable Dwight Trask, b. Dec. 1, 1794, m. Samuel Hurd, and d. Nov. 9, 1866.

7082. i. Anna Trask (dau. of Capt. David Trask and Mehitable Dwight), b. Nov. 7, 1790, m. Feb. 18, 1810, John Wood, b. at Brookfield, Mass., Feb. 25, 1789 (son of Samuel Wood of Brookfield, and Abigail Moore). He was a machine-card maker in early life, but afterwards a farmer in Iosco, Mich., and Pinckney, Mich., where he d. March 23, 1864, and she d. Feb. 6, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7084. i. George Calvert Wood, b. at Leicester, March 21, 1811, m. Oct. 2, 1832, Martha Ann Doney of Geneva, N. Y. He kept a shoe-store for some years in Geneva, N. Y., but became afterwards a farmer, among other places at Cobden, Ill. In 1869, he removed to Chicago, and took charge of "The Home for Working Women," and "was burned out in the great fire of Oct., 1871." He is now at Palmyra, Wis., engaged in erecting a large Water Cure establishment there (1873), of which he is to be the resident physician.

7085. ii. Henry Martin Wood, b. at Leicester, Mass., Dec. 1, 1812.

7086. iii. John Marshall Wood, b. there Oct. 11, 1814.

7087. iv. David Trask Wood, b. at W. Brookfield, Mass., Jan. 16,

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1817, m. Aug. 29, 1844, Loretta A. Haven (dau. of Luther Haven). He was a printer, and was murdered in Hill Co., Texas, March 20, 1863, for being a northern man. She m. again, and still resides in Texas. They had one son.

7088. 1. Luther Beckwith Wood, b. in Marion, Mich., Sept. 25, 1847.

7089. v. Mehitable Dwight Wood, b. Oct. 17, 1820, m. Benjamin Eaman.

7090. vi. Mary Ann Wood, b. at W. Brookfield, Dec. 22, 1822, m. Edward Everett Sisson.

7091. vii. Charles Moore Wood, b. there Sept. 29, 1826.

7085. ii. Henry Martin Wood (son of John Wood and Anna Trask), b. Dec. 1, 1812, m. Dec. 6, 1836, Sarah Ann Taylor, b. March 31, 1814, at Cazenovia, N. Y. (dau. of William Taylor, originally of Warwick, R. I., and Mary Reynolds). He was a farmer at Putnam, Mich. He d. at Detroit, Mich., Aug. 29, 1860, where his widow still resides (1874).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7092. i. Frances Wood, b. in Iosco, Mich., March 1, 1840, m. Nov. 28, 1859, Israel Daniels, b. at Palmyra, O., Nov. 22, 1831 (son of Orville Daniels, b. there, and Eliza Evans, b. in Hunting, Pa.), a farmer at Greenfield, Mich. They have two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Achsah Daniels, b. April 27, 1864.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frank Daniels, b. April 1868.

7093. ii. Abby Wood, b. in Leroy, Mich., Oct. 18, 1842, resides at Greenfield.

7094. iii. John Wood, b. there Oct. 2, 1845, a farmer at Greenfield, Mich., unmarried.

7095. iv. William Wood, b. in Putnam, Mich., Oct. 10, 1848, was a drummer-boy in the 16th Mich. infantry in the late war, and d. at Corinth, Miss., June 27, 1862, aet. 13. Which was the braver? he or his parents in the fearful venture thus fatally made in behalf of their dear native land?

7096. v. Mary Ann Wood, b. in Putnam, Mich., Oct. 20, 1851.

7097. vi. Ida Wood, b. there April 2, 1854, d. Oct. 1855.

7098. vii. Ida Wood, 2d, b. there Aug. 15, 1857.

[Eighth Generation.]

7086. iii. John Marshall Wood (son of John Wood and Anna Trask), b. Oct. 11, 1814, m. May 27, 1840, Abby Mercey Putnam of Grafton, Mass. (dau. of John and Anne R. Putnam). She d. without issue Feb. 10, 1843, at Springfield, Mass. He m. for 2d wife, July 23, 1844, Sarah Eloise Jones, b. July 28, 1826 (dau. of Eliphaz Jones

and Eloise Warner). He was originally a printer, but since 1858 has been engaged with Messrs. G. & C. Merriam of Springfield, Mass., in the publication and sale of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary to the present time (1874). Three children (by 2d wife):

7099. 1. Abby Putnam Wood, b. at Springfield, Nov. 10, 1845.

7100. 2. Eloise Warner Wood, b. Oct. 4, 1853.

7101. 3. Anne Trask Wood, b. Nov. 17, 1863.

[Eighth Generation.]

7089. v. Mehitable Dwight Wood (dau. of John Wood and Anna Trask), b. Oct. 17, 1820, at W. Brookfield, m. at Iosco, Mich., Nov. 27, 1842, Benjamin Eaman, b. in Saugerties, N. Y., March 30, 1815 (son of Philip Eaman of Putnam, Mich., and Rachel —), a farmer at Putnam, Mich. He d. Feb. 23, 1864. She resides at Ann Arbor, Mich. (1873).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7102. i. Clara Eaman, b. May 10, 1846, d. Sept. 6, 1849.

7103. ii. Julia Eaman, b. March 1, 1848, d. Sept. 6, 1849.

7104. iii. James Trask Eaman, b. May 17, 1850.

7105. iv. Thomas Jefferson Eaman, b. March 10, 1855.

7106. v. Charles Benjamin Eaman, b. Jan. 20, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

7090. vi. Mary Ann Wood (dau. of John Wood and Anna Trask), b. at W. Brookfield, Dec. 22, 1822, m. Jan. 10, 1851, Edward Everett Sisson, b. March 25, 1824 (son of Matthew Sisson of Newport, R. I., and Sarah Atwood), a farmer at Seneca Falls, N. Y., who d. without issue, Feb. 12, 1859. She m. Oct. 1, 1863, James Sabin (son of John Sabin of Salina, N. Y., and Frances Prosser), a harness-maker at Syracuse, N. Y. He d. at Syracuse, Jan. 4, 1874. No issue.

7091. vii. Charles Moore Wood, b. at W. Brookfield, Sept. 29, 1826, m. Nov. 25, 1847, Sarah Ann Bullis, b. in Ghent, N. Y., April 29, 1824 (dau. of Charles Bullis of Unadilla, Mich., and Sarah —). He is a farmer in Putnam, Mich. Four children:

7107. 1. Julia Ann Wood, b. Oct. 26, 1852.

7108. 2. George Dwight Wood, b. Jan. 8, 1855.

7109. 3. Jeanie Louisa Wood, b. Sept. 15, 1860.

7110. 4. Lincoln Sumner Wood, b. Jan. 9, 1865, d. Sept. 16, 1866.

[Seventh Generation.]

7083. ii. Mehitable Dwight Trask (dau. of Capt. David Trask and Mehitable Dwight), b. Dec. 1, 1794, m. April 29, 1824, Samuel Hurd of Leicester, Mass., b. Jan. 4, 1798 (son of Shadrach Hurd and Lydia Hurd), a manufacturer of machine cards (cotton and woolen).

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She d. Nov. 9, 1866, at Boston, while on a visit there; and he m. for 2d wife, Aug. 17, 1868, Emily Boyden.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7111. i. Frances Mehitable Hurd, b. April 15, 1825, m. Sept. 1, 1847, James W. Lee of Boston, Mass. (son of Capt. David Lee of Barre, Mass., and Adelaide Pierce). He d. April 12, 1873. No issue. She resides in Boston (1874).

7112. ii. Julia Trask Hurd, b. Sept. 21, 1826, m. Jan. 10, 1849, Joshua Murdock, Jr., of Leicester (son of Dea. Joshua Murdock and Claracia Hartshorn), a card manufacturer there (1874). One child:

7113. 1. Caroline Murdock, b. Nov. 4, 1855.

7114. iii. Samuel Dwight Hurd, b. July 20, 1828, d. Sept. 27, 1832.

7115. iv. Ellen Dwight Hurd, b. July 28, 1831, m. Nov. 5, 1856, William Frederic Holman of Leicester, Mass., a merchant there (1874) since 1862, b. at Millbury, Mass., June 11, 1827 (son of David Chase Holman and Lucy Dwelly). One child:

7116. 1. Hettie Lee Holman, b. July 24, 1860.

7117. v. Abby Louisa Hurd, b. May 22, 1834, m. Dec. 25, 1861, Henry Watson Richardson of Cheshire, Mass., a tanner there (1874), (son of Ira Richardson of Cheshire and Anna Jenks of Adams, Mass.). No issue.

7118. vi. Albert Samuel Hurd, b. Nov. 28, 1836, was an Union soldier in the late war, and was killed at the battle of Cold Harbor, Va., June 3, 1864.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 948.

6771. v. Anna Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight of Sutton and Jane Bulkley), b. July 21, 1748, m. Oct. 28, 1772, as his 2d wife, Major Joseph Elliott, Jr., of Sutton, b. Nov. 17, 1731 (son of Joseph Elliott and ——— Fuller). *Jerusha Fuller m. at 9*

She was a large, portly woman, of great energy and decision of character, exceedingly fond of historical reading, and well acquainted with ancient, modern and Bible history. She was a woman of strong religious faith. "I remember her," says her grandson, Joseph D. Elliott, "as standing up straight, and stamping her foot, saying, children!—so that the floor trembled, as we ourselves did, scattering far and near. She was often called, on account of her strong-mindedness, Esq. Dwight."

Major Joseph Elliott was a man of wealth and influence, and devotedly patriotic in the revolutionary war. The following story of his brave efforts to pass the British lines around Boston, in the early part of the war, and to obtain a load of fire-arms for himself and others at Sutton, illustrates well his own character and the state of the times. He started with a team of several fine horses, lightly loaded with provi-



sions, for Boston, arranging while on his way thither for relays of fresh strong horses every few miles when he should return. As he was crossing Boston Neck, late in the day, some British sentinels stopped him to examine his load, and observed that he had quite a nice team and rather too good for the load that he then had. He, in his home-spun gray and slouched hat, told them with a decided drawl that he had brought along with him all that he could spare from his farm, and that his colts were pretty smart, and he thought that the British would like to buy them. As he had nothing contraband of war they let him pass. The next day, at dusk, he started for home, with his old-fashioned, high-sided wagon, which looked empty to a mere casual observer, but contained in the bottom boxes of muskets and kegs of powder, with balls poured into the spaces intervening between them, to prevent any rattling noises that might otherwise be heard. As he drove along, drawn up into a heap, as if cold or only half awake, he was hailed by three sentinels, and raising up himself looked about bewilderingly as if just coming to consciousness. He had trained his horses to understand that a steady and strong pull on the bit meant forwards to them, and that the harder the pull the swifter they were to go. He now drew his hand strongly upon the horses' mouths, as if to obey the command to stop, at which they quickened their step. At the repetition of the order, and with greater emphasis, to halt, he braced himself well on the foot-board, drew back the reins with all his might and shouted, whoa! whoa! at the top of his voice—at which the horses put themselves to their best speed. The guard, supposing that his horses were running away, gave up all further pursuit of them and of him; and he drove on triumphantly into Sutton, and deposited his load of precious "stuff" in the meeting-house.

The story was too good to be kept, and got ere long to the ears of the British, who said that they would come and get these contraband articles for themselves. One night, when the news came that the appointed hour for their approach was at hand, one of Major Elliott's soldiers took his station in the church, un-headed a keg of powder, and thrust the muzzle of his loaded musket into it, saying: "Let them come! I will see who gets out alive from here." But they did not come; and neither the brave soldier nor the British foemen were blown out of the world, as it was really believed that they both would have been, had they made their threatened assault.

Major Elliott was called also, at different times, "Captain" and "Deacon." He lived in Sutton at first, and afterwards at Leicester, Mass. (1792-1820), where he d. April 19, 1820, aet. 90. He was a boot manufacturer, and one of the earliest in the country. She d. Aug. 30, 1827, aet. 79.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

7119. i. Samuel Dwight Elliott, bapt. Nov. 7, 1773, d. Oct. 20, 1846.

7120. ii. Joseph Elliott, b. in Sutton Aug. 20, 1776 (bapt. Oct. 15, 1776), d. Jan. 3, 1860, aet. 83.

7121. iii. Anna ("Nancy") Elliott, bapt. June 13, 1779, m. in 1798 (pub. Dec. 8, 1798), David Watson, b. Oct. 2, 1776 (son of John and Dinah Watson), a tanner in Williamstown, Vt. They had 3 children : Elizabeth, Anna and David. Their history could not be traced.

7122. iv. Susanna Elliott, bapt. June 3, 1781, m. Arnold Lamb, and for a 2d husband Joseph W. Morse, and for a 3d husband Samuel Grant.

7123. v. Elizabeth Elliott, bapt. Sept. 5, 1784, d. in 1802, aet. 18.

7124. vi. Catharine Elliott, bapt. Oct. 30, 1785, m. Capt. Oliver Kimball.

7125. vii. Charles Bulkley Elliott, bapt. May 11, 1789, m. Sarah Marble of Rutland, Mass. (dau. of Jesse Marble). He was a machinist in Springfield, Mass. They had one child :

7126. 1. Sarah Elliott.

7119. i. Samuel Dwight Elliott (son of Major Joseph Elliott, Jr., and Anna Dwight), bapt. Nov. 7, 1773, m. April 24, 1802, Sarah Watson, b. Dec. 8, 1779 (dau. of William Watson of Spencer, and Mary ———). She was cousin to David Watson, who m. his sister Anna. She d. Aug. 21, 1803 ; and he m. for 2d wife, in 1824, Betsey Moore of Charlton, Mass., b. in 1805. He removed from Spencer, Mass., to Perry, Pike Co., Ill., in June 1839, where she d. April 15, 1842, aet. 37, and he d. Oct. 20, 1846, aet. 73.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

*By second wife :*

7127. i. Sarah Watson Elliott, b. in Oxford, Mass., Jan. 29, 1825, m. James M. Elledge, and for a 2d husband John C. Short.

7128. ii. Eliza Ann Elliott, b. there Feb. 11, 1827, drowned in Leicester, Mass., Sept. 4, 1828.

7129. iii. Samuel Dwight Elliott, Jr., b. in Leicester, Mass., Jan. 31, 1829.

7130. iv. Elizabeth Ann Elliott, b. in Spencer, Mass., Feb. 22, 1831, m. William Ham.

7131. v. Charles Bulkley Elliott, b. there March 3, 1833, resides unmarried in California.

7132. vi. Mary Jane Elliott, b. in Spencer, Dec. 25, 1835, m. John W. Bradbury.

7133. vii. William Harvey Elliott, b. there Sept. 12, 1838, m. Jan. 20, 1860, Mary Ann Morris, b. Dec. 10, 1844 (dau. of William and Susan Morris of Kentucky). No children.

7127. i. Sarah Watson Elliott, b. Jan. 29, 1825 (dau. of Samuel D. Elliott and Betsey Moore), m. June 16, 1842, James McLain Elledge, a farmer and cooper in Perry, Ill., b. Feb. 22, 1817 (son of Benjamin and Catharine Elledge of Kentucky, and afterwards of Illinois). He d. of consumption Sept. 20, 1842; and she m. Nov. 26, 1844, for a 2d husband, John Childes Short, b. Oct. 11, 1817 (son of James Short of Ky., and afterwards of Ill., and Polly Forrest), a farmer and carpenter at Perry, Ill., where he d. Aug. 22, 1861, and where his widow still lives.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

7134. i. James McLain Elledge, b. April 29, 1843.

*By second marriage:*

7135. ii. Samuel Greenleaf Short, b. Sept. 17, 1845.

7136. iii. Joseph Dwight Short, b. March 12, 1848.

7137. iv. Mary Elizabeth Short, b. June 2, 1850.

7138. v. Charles Webster Short, b. April 19, 1853.

7139. vi. Ann Judson Short, b. Oct. 14, 1855.

7140. vii. Francis Wayland Short, b. Feb. 11, 1859.

7134. i. James McLain Elledge, b. April 29, 1843, m. Jan. 23, 1868, Elizabeth Musgrave, b. in Lamar Co., Texas, Oct. 15, 1842 (dau. of Calvin and Maria Musgrave). He is a carpenter in Texas. He entered the U. S. Army of Vols. in the late war, July 10, 1861, as a private, and was mustered out of service, Dec. 8, 1865. He belonged to "the Army of the Cumberland," and to the 59th Ill. Regt. in it. He was in 26 battles, and in the battle of Stone River, before Murfreesboro, Tenn., was wounded and taken prisoner. After this battle he was promoted, for meritorious services, to the rank of sergeant, and after the battle of Resaca, Ga., to the rank of quartermaster sergeant.

[Calvin Musgrave went from Hardiman Co., Tenn., to Texas. He is a raiser of stock. He was postmaster at Pleasanton, Texas in 1868, and Prest. of the Board of Registration of the Fifth Sub-District. He was an Union man in the late war, and had to come within the Union lines for protection, where he joined with delight the U. S. service, although 68 years of age.]

7135. ii. Samuel Greenleaf Short, b. Sept. 17, 1845, joined the U. S. army, Aug. 2, 1862, and was discharged from service July 31, 1865, being a private in the 99th Ill. Regt. Vet. Vols., and in the Gulf Department. Since 1868 he has been engaged in farming in Perry, Ill.

7136. iii. Joseph Dwight Short, b. March 12, 1848, was a private in the 33d Ill. Regt. of Vet. Vols., in the Gulf Department. He enlisted, March 31, 1864, and was discharged Nov. 24, 1865. He has since been a farmer in Perry, Ill.

[Seventh Generation.]

7129. iii. Samuel Dwight Elliott (son of Samuel Dwight Elliott and Betsey Moore), b. Jan. 31, 1829, m. Jan. 1, 1854, Sophia A. Hickman, b. Aug. 26, 1834 (son of Ithamar Hickman, b. at Brandywine, Del., and Angeline ———). She d. Dec. 27, 1860, and he m. for 2d wife, May 5, 1864, widow Susan Haley *née* Hitchcock, b. Oct. 21, 1838 (dau. of Samuel and Esther Hitchcock). He resides at La Salle, Ill., and runs a freight boat from Chicago, Ill., to St. Louis, Mo.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

7137. i. Elizabeth Ann Elliott, b. at Chambersburgh, Ill., March 8, 1855, d. Feb. 10, 1856.

7138. ii. Ithamar Douglass Elliott, b. in Havana, Ill., Nov. 13, 1857.

7139. iii. Angeline T. Elliott, b. Jan. 1, 1860, in Havana, Ill.

*By second wife:*

7140. iv. Clarrie Elliott, b. Sept. 6, 1866, d. Feb. 25, 1868.

[Seventh Generation.]

7130. iv. Elizabeth Ann Elliott (dau. of Samuel Dwight Elliott and Betsey Moore), b. Feb. 22, 1831, m. May 4, 1846, William Ham, b. Jan. 4, 1824, in Bedford Co., Tenn. (son of James Ham, b. in 1796, in Pendleton Co., S. C., and Mary Briles, b. in 1800), a farmer in Perry, Ill.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7141. i. James Dwight Ham, b. in Perry, Sept. 6, 1847, d. Oct. 29, 1847.

7142. ii. Mary Eliza Ham, b. there Nov. 28, 1848.

7143. iii. Joel Edward Ham, b. there March 18, 1851.

7144. iv. Charles Ham, b. in Chambersburgh, Jan. 2, 1854.

7145. v. Sarah Jane Ham, b. there Oct. 31, 1856.

7146. vi. George Wilson Ham, b. there Sept. 5, 1859.

7147. vii. William Henry Ham, b. there June 14, 1862.

[Seventh Generation.]

7132. vi. Mary Jane Elliott (dau. of Samuel Dwight Elliott and Betsey Moore), b. Dec. 25, 1835, m. Feb. 16, 1853, John W. Bradbury, b. Jan. 1, 1826; a farmer. He d. and she m. for 2d husband, Oct. 21, 1866, W. D. Copeland, b. in 1818 in St. Clairsville, O.; a farmer (since 1868) in Carthage, Barton Co., Mo.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

*By first marriage:*

7148. i. Heber E. Bradbury, b. Aug. 7, 1854.

7149. ii. Francis M. Bradbury, b. Dec. 25, 1856.

7150. iii. Flora M. Bradbury, b. Dec. 28, 1858, d. Sept. 21, 1859.



7151. iv. Clarence M. Bradbury, b. Aug. 5, 1860.

7152. v. John V. Bradbury, b. Sept. 23, 1863.

*By second marriage:*

7153. vi. Joseph K. Copeland, b. Sept. 13, 1867.

[The first wife of Major Joseph Elliott, Jr., b. Nov. 17, 1731, was Susan Carlton, by whom he had a son David Elliott, b. Feb. 19, 1766. He m. Jan. 1, 1793, Eunice McCall of Franklin, Delaware Co., N. Y., b. in Labanon, Ct., Nov. 6, 1776 (dau. of Ephraim McCall and Elizabeth Clark). He was a farmer in Franklin (1793-22), and in Pomfret, Chautauqua Co., N. Y. (1822-30). In 1830 he removed to Otto, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y., and purchased, together with a farm, a saw-mill and a grist-mill, which he managed until his death, June 8, 1853. His widow d. Jan. 24, 1866. They had 12 children:

i. Susan Elliott, b. March 29, 1795, m. Nov. 9, 1815, James Barnaby, a hatter in Franklin, who d. in 1841-2. She m. for a 2d husband John Grant, who d. about 1855. No children. She resides in Dunkirk, N. Y.

ii. Alvah Elliott, b. April 5, 1797, d. Aug. 25, 1833.

iii. Fanny Elliott, b. May 26, 1799, m. Sellick St. John.

iv. Marcia Elliott, b. Aug. 22, 1801, m. Warren Green.

v. Clark Elliott, b. July 10, 1803, d. Nov. 10, 1807.

vi. David Platt Elliott, b. April 25, 1805, d. July 27, 1831.

vii. William Nelson Elliott, M.D., b. Jan. 28, 1807, grad. at the Fairfield (Herkimer Co., N. Y.) Med. Academy, Jan. 1832, has been a physician and surgeon in White Pigeon, Mich., since 1832. He was for 3 years during the late war surgeon in the 11th Mich. Regt. of Infantry. From him the facts here furnished concerning the descendants of David Elliott were obtained. He m. May 18, 1836, Sarah McKinney (dau. of James McKinney of Binghamton, N. Y., and Catharine Gray). No children.

viii. Eunice Bates Elliott, b. May 20, 1808, m. Dec. 31, 1828, Oliver Raymond, a merchant in Dunkirk, N. Y., until 1831, and afterwards for many years a miner in California, and now a farmer in Sturgis, Mich.

ix. Joseph Elliott, b. June 11, 1810, a farmer since 1844, at Dunkirk, N. Y., and previously a hatter in Simco, C. W., where he m. March 18, 1835, Rebecca Austin, who d. Sept. 22, 1852. He has 6 children: Frances, Susan, Mary, William, Austin and David.

x. Ephraim Clark Elliott, b. Jan. 24, 1812, m. Jan. 20, 1840, Hannah P. Ferris. He is a miller at Otto, N. Y., on the old homestead; has had 3 children: Frank, Charles who was drowned, and Cora. ]

[Sixth Generation.]

7120. ii. Joseph Elliott, Jr. (son of Major Joseph Elliott and Anna Dwight), b. in Sutton, Aug. 20, 1776, m. May 25, 1808, Mary Wheeler, b. June 17, 1787 (dau. of Jonathan Wheeler, of Grafton, Mass., b. April 2, 1743—son of Ebenezer Wheeler of that place—and Mercy Rawson, b. Aug. 3, 1757, dau. of Nathaniel Rawson of Milford). He was a card manufacturer (cotton and wool), and one of the earliest cotton manufacturers in the land—owning and working a cotton-mill in Oxford, Mass. He resided at different times in Oakham, Oxford, and Leicester, Mass. He d. in Grafton, Mass., Jan. 3, 1860. She d. there June 8, 1859.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7154. i. Joseph Dwight Elliott, b. in Oakham, Mass., July 27, 1809, m. March 16, 1840, Roxa Jane Bidwell, b. April 15, 1811 (dau. of Timothy Bidwell of Ware, Mass., and Roxa Evans). She d. Jan. 10, 1841, and he m. for 2d wife Nov. 29, 1849, Sarah Melvina Heywood of Grafton, Mass., b. Dec. 13, 1828 (dau. of Levi Chamberlain Heywood, b. April 23, 1805, who d. at Grafton, Jan. 4, 1873, and Sarah B. Stow, b. Jan. 7, 1806, who d. there Dec. 20, 1867). No issue. He resided for many years in Grafton, Mass. (1849–72), and was for some years a dentist there, but in later years has been a manufacturer of “cloth-folding machines,” and of “rived stave-dressing machines.” He has taken out more than a dozen patents for various inventions. Since Nov. 1872, he has resided in Newton Centre, Mass.

To him is due the account here given of the descendants of Major Joseph Elliott.

7155. ii. Jonathan Wheeler Elliott, b. in Oakham, May 15, 1811, d. in Oxford, Mass., Aug. 26, 1819.

7156. iii. Elizabeth Ann Elliott, b. in Leicester, Mass., Dec. 24, 1813, m. Horace C. Watson.

7157. iv. William Harvey Elliott, b. in Leicester, April 23, 1816.

7158. v. Catharine Bulkley Elliott, b. in Oxford, Mass., July 30, 1819, m. Samuel Bacon.

7159. vi. John Wheeler Elliott, b. in Leicester, Mass., Sept. 7, 1822.

7160. vii. George Lewis Elliott, b. there July 21, 1825, is a dentist in Toronto, Canada.

7156. iii. Elizabeth Ann Elliott (dau. of Joseph Elliott, Jr., and Mary Wheeler), b. Dec. 24, 1813, m. April 23, 1835, Horace Craig Watson, b. July 20, 1812 (son of Samuel Watson, Jr., of Leicester, Mass., b. Jan. 27, 1785, and d. Feb. 10, 1818, and Mary Craig, b. Sept. 21, 1786). He was a tanner and currier, and also boot and shoe manufacturer at Leicester. In 1843 he removed to Worcester, Mass.,

in 1850 to Brooklyn, N. Y., and from 1859 to 1873 resided in Detroit, Mich., where he d. Jan. 1, 1873.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7161. i. Mary Elizabeth Watson, b. Jan. 31, 1836, d. Aug. 14, 1857, m. Silas A. Merrian.

7162. ii. Sarah Amanda Watson, b. Feb. 3, 1838.

7163. iii. Jane Elliott Watson, b. March 9, 1844, d. Jan. 7, 1848.

7164. iv. Anna Dwight Watson, b. Feb. 18, 1847.

7165. v. Samuel Watson, b. March 28, 1850, d. Oct. 29, 1850.

7166. vi. Joseph Elliott Watson, b. Aug. 28, 1852.

7167. vii. Horace Edward Watson, b. Feb. 28, 1855.

7168. viii. Catharine Elizabeth Watson, b. Feb. 6, 1858, d. Feb. 17, 1860.

7161. i. Mary Elizabeth Watson, b. Jan. 31, 1836, m. Jan. 31, 1855, Silas Austin Merrian, b. Aug. 13, 1828, a painter at New York. She d. Aug. 14, 1857. Two children:

7169. 1. Mary Louise Merrian, b. Nov. 3, 1855, d. July 16, 1856.

7170. 2. Mary Elizabeth Merrian, b. Aug. 3, 1857, d. Aug. 13, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.]

7157. iv. William Harvey Elliott (son of Joseph Elliott, Jr., and Mary Wheeler), b. April 23, 1816, m. Almira Lowell, dau. of Samuel Lowell of Plattsburgh, N. Y. He was a dentist for some years at Plattsburgh and Montreal, but more recently has been a maker of fire-arms at New York. He is the inventor of "The Elliott Revolver," and of the Elliott repeater, carbine, and breech-loading rifle, and of "Elliott's Deringer." He has taken out more than 60 patents for inventions of his own devising. He has had two children: Nos. 7171-2, Margaret and Lowell.

[Seventh Generation.]

7158. v. Catharine Bulkley Elliott, b. in Oxford, Mass., July 30, 1819, m. Samuel Bacon, of Southbridge, Mass., b. in 1821 (son of Matucin Bacon and Elizabeth Searle), a machinist. He d. June 15, 1855, aet. 34. Children:

7173. 1. Samuel Elliott Bacon, b. about 1843.

7174. 2. Joseph Matucin Bacon, b. about 1845.

[Seventh Generation.]

7159. vi. John Wheeler Elliott (son of Joseph Elliott, Jr., and Mary Wheeler), b. Sept. 7, 1822, m. Sophia Graves of Wilbraham, Mass.

He is a dentist in Toronto, Canada. He has had 2 children. Nos. 7175-6: John and Joseph Elliott.

[Sixth Generation.]

7122. iv. Susanna Elliott (dau. of Major Joseph Elliott, Jr. and

Anna Dwight), bapt. June 3, 1781, m. May 26, 1803, Arnold Lamb, b. in Spencer, March 27, 1778. He d. Sept. 1803. She m. for 2d husband Joseph Ward Morse of Spencer, Mass., b. Nov. 8, 1778.

He d. and she m. for a 3d husband, and as his 2d wife, Samuel Grant of Westboro, Mass., April 5, 1811.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

*By second marriage.*

7177. i. Laurinda Ward Morse, who m. Joshua E. Goodale of Spencer, Mass.

*By third marriage:*

7178. ii. Susan Dwight Grant, b. Dec. 27, 1812, m. Ebenezer Upham.

7179. iii. Catharine Elliott Grant, b. March 1, 1815, m. Daniel Clap.

7180. iv. Joseph Putnam Grant, b. Aug. 31, 1816, m. Dec. 25, 1846, Senia Ann Thompson. He lives in Agency City, Iowa.

7181. v. Benjamin Buckley Grant, b. Jan. 12, 1820.

7178. ii. Susan Dwight Grant (dau. of Samuel Grant and Susanna Elliott) b. Dec. 17, 1812, m. Feb. 6, 1837, Ebenezer Upham, b. May 24, 1806, in Windham, Vt., a resident of Chesterfield, Ill.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7182. i. Mary A. Upham, b. May 9, 1840.

7183. ii. Frances A. Upham, b. March 21, 1842.

7184. iii. Herbert E. Upham, b. in 1846, d. in 1850.

[Seventh Generation.]

7179. iii. Catharine Elliott Grant, b. March 1, 1815, m. Oct. 11, 1836, Daniel Clap, b. Feb. 12, 1811, a resident of Gardner, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7185. i. Susan Grant Clap, b. Oct. 22, 1837.

7186. ii. Joseph W. Clap, b. Dec. 14, 1839.

7187. iii. Samuel B. Clap, b. June 9, 1841.

7188. iv. Sarah M. Clap, b. Nov. 15, 1843.

7189. v. Daniel E. Clap, b. July 26, 1848.

7190. vi. Edward K. Clap, b. Oct. 7, 1853.

[Seventh Generation.]

7181. v. Benjamin Buckley Grant (son of Samuel Grant and Susanna Elliott), b. Jan. 12, 1820, m. April 1851 Mary Ann Reed of Rutland, Mass., b. Jan. 31, 1825. He is a resident of Chesterfield, Ill.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7191. i. Susan E. Grant, b. July 29, 1854.

7192. ii. Samuel R. Grant, b. Jan. 9, 1859.

[Sixth Generation.]

7124. vi. Catharine Elliott (dau. of Major Joseph Elliott, Jr., and



Anna Dwight), bapt. Oct. 30, 1785, m. in 1810, (pub. April 7, 1810).  
Capt. Oliver Kimball of Grafton, Mass., b. May 9, 1776 (son of Noah  
Kimball and Persis Brigham). He d. March 31, 1819. She d. Sept.  
13, 1819.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7193. i. Charles B. Kimball, b. Sept. 22, 1813, a resident of Phila-  
delphia, Pa.

7194. ii. Catharine Kimball, b. Sept. 15, 1815, m. May 14, 1836,  
Henry Taylor Grant, b. Aug. 7, 1810, (son of Rev. Jonathan Grant of  
Hawley, Mass.), a lawyer in Philadelphia. They have had 3 children :

7195. 1. Louisa Maria Grant, b. Feb. 28, 1842.

7196. 2. Catharine K. Grant, b. Dec. 1846.

7197. 3. Emma Alfreda Grant, b. Aug. 1854.

7198. iii. Oliver Kimball, Jr., b. Jan. 14, 1817.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 948.

6772. vi. Elizabeth Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Jane Bulk-  
ley), b. Aug. 14, 1751, m. Feb. 28, 1776, Joseph Waters of Sutton  
(now Millbury), b. there April 16, 1744. She d. May 9, 1839, aet. 87.  
He was one of the earliest shoe manufacturers in the country.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

7199. i. Polly Waters, b. July 24, 1777, m. Capt. Warren Snow,  
and d. May 19, 1822.

7200. ii. David Waters, b. April 5, 1779.

7201. iii. Joseph Waters, b. Oct. 29, 1780, m. widow Shumway.  
He was a resident of Oxford, Mass.

7202. iv. Israel Waters, b. Feb. 12, 1783, lived in Ohio.

7203. v. Gardner Waters, b. April 2, 1785, d. in Maine.

7204. vi. Rev. Bulkley Waters, Bapt., b. Sept. 2, 1787, m. Esther  
Marble (dau. of Dea. Solomon Marble of Millbury, Mass.). No issue.

7205. vii. Nathaniel Waters, b. Sept. 3, 1791.

7206. viii. Betsey Waters, b. about 1794, d. young.

7199. i. Polly Waters (dau. of Joseph Waters and Elizabeth Dwight),  
b. July 24, 1777, m. about 1798, Capt. Warren Snow, a saddler and  
harness-maker at Sutton, b. in 1778 (son of Jacob Snow and Polly  
Marble). He d. Jan. 17, 1816: she d. May 19, 1822.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7207. i. Capt. Lawson Snow, b. April 7, 1799 at Millbury.

7208. ii. Betsey Snow, b. at Sutton, May 31, 1801, m. Alexander  
Holman, and d. May 1, 1834.

7209. iii. Warren Snow, Jr., b. at Millbury, Jan. 22, 1803, d. June  
24, 1843.

7210. iv. Alden Snow, b. there March 28, 1806.

7211. v. Buckley Warren Snow, b. there April 16, 1811, d. Feb. 23, 1868.

7212. vi. Hannah Waters Snow, b. at Sutton March 28, 1814, m. George Dike.

7207. i. Capt. Lawson Snow, b. April 7, 1799, m. April 27, 1822, widow Hannah Trask *née* Thurston, b. in Oxford, Mass., April 5, 1798 (dau. of Nathan Thurston and Sally Campbell). He was a harness-maker in Millbury, Mass., where his children were all born, and at Oxford, Mass.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7213. i. Ira Trask Snow, b. July 4, 1823, d. July 24, 1824.

7214. ii. Franklin Thurston Snow, b. Dec. 29, 1826.

7215. iii. Sarah Caroline Snow, b. Feb. 8, 1829, m. Lorenzo Morgan.

7216. iv. Alexander Thurston Snow, b. Dec. 6, 1830.

7217. v. Elizabeth Dwight Snow, b. Aug. 25, 1834, d. May 2, 1837.

7218. vi. Henry Wilbur Snow, b. Feb. 11, 1836, m. Aug. 16, 1859, Anginette Bacon, b. in Dudley, Mass., May 22, 1839 (dau. of Cyril L. and Betsey A. Bacon). He is a salesman at Worcester, Mass. No children.

7214. ii. Franklin Thurston Snow (son of Capt. Lawson Snow and Hannah Thurston), b. Dec. 29, 1826, m. Oct. 21, 1850, Sophia Kidder, b. in Oxford, Mass., Nov. 1, 1827 (dau. of Peter Kidder and Sophia Shumway). He is a harness-maker in Roxbury, Vt.

[Ninth Generation.] Children :

7219. i. Charles Franklin Snow, b. in Oxford, Dec. 21, 1851.

7220. ii. Willie Pliny Snow, b. in Charlton, Mass., May 19, 1855.

7221. iii. George Henry Snow, b. May 27, 1857, d. in Charlton, Dec. 15, 1857.

7222. iv. Nelly Angeline Snow, b. in Oxford, Aug. 13, 1859, d. May 25, 1860.

[Eighth Generation.]

7215. iii. Sarah Caroline Snow (dau. of Capt. Lawson Snow and Hannah Thurston), b. Feb. 8, 1829, m. April 17, 1849, Lorenzo Morgan, b. in Spencer, Mass., May 14, 1819 (son of Nathan Morgan and Eliza Cogswell), a shoe-cutter in Worcester, Mass. Children :

7223. 1. Sarah Jeanie Morgan, b. in Union, Ct., May 28, 1853.

7224. 2. Ellen Elizabeth Morgan, b. in Oxford, Aug. 13, 1858, d. April 26, 1860.

7225. 3. Ellen Elizabeth Morgan, 2d, b. Jan. 8, 1861.

[Eighth Generation.]

7216. iv. Alexander Thurston Snow (son of Capt. Lawson Snow

998 *Descendants of Michael Dwight of Dedham, Mass.,*

and Hannah Thurston), b. Dec. 6, 1830, m. Jan. 1, 1854, Mary E. Cummings, b. in Uxbridge, Mass., June 1836 (dau. of Reuben and Chloe Cummings). He is a shoe-cutter in Worcester, Mass. She d. April 12, 1863, and he m. for a 2d wife, Dec. 24, 1865, Elizabeth Sophia Pope, b. in Oxford, Mass., July 3, 1839 (dau. of Horace and Abigail Pope). Children:

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7226. 1. Frederic Lawson Snow, b. in Oxford May 31, 1855.

7227. 2. Anna Chloe Snow, b. April 20, 1857, d. Feb. 26, 1861.

[Seventh Generation.]

7208. ii. Betsey Snow (dau. of Warren Snow and Polly Waters), b. May 31, 1801, m. Nov. 28, 1828, Alexander Holman, b. in Auburn, Mass., Jan. 24, 1800 (son of John and Deborah Holman), a farmer in Millbury. He d. Oct. 6, 1849; she d. May 1, 1834.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7228. i. Mary Loraine Holman, b. in Millbury, Dec. 20, 1829, d. June 7, 1855.

7229. ii. Jane Elizabeth Holman, b. in Millbury, March 12, 1834, m. in Dover, Mass., Oct. 4, 1854, John Giles, b. in Burton, Eng., Dec. 26, 1828 (son of William and Sarah Giles), a boot-maker in Holliston, Mass.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7230. i. Alphonzo John Giles, b. in Holliston, July 6, 1855.

7231. ii. Flora Martha Jane Giles, b. Dec. 21, 1858.

7232. iii. Arlow Ancil Edward Giles, b. Aug. 30, 1861.

7233. iv. Vincent Irving Giles, b. Sept. 7, 1863, d. Dec. 13, 1863.

7234. v. Lottie Etolar Giles, b. March 5, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

7209. iii. Warren Snow (son of Capt. Warren Snow and Polly Waters), b. Jan. 22, 1804, m. Nov. 15, 1825, Sally Carlton of Sutton, b. in 1808. He was a manufacturer of sheepskin at Millbury. He d. June 24, 1843; she d. June 29, 1847.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7235. i. William Warren Snow, b. at Millbury, Aug. 8, 1837, m. Dec. 20, 1865, Sarah Andor Woods, b. in Jackson, Mich., July 14, 1842 (dau. of Arunah P. Woods and Paulina Rosanna —.) He is a salesman at Jackson, Mich.

7236. ii. Mary Snow, b. at Millbury, March 8, 1808, resides unmarried at Worcester, Mass.

[Seventh Generation.]

7210. iv. Alden Snow (son of Capt. Warren Snow and Polly Waters), b. March 28, 1806, m. May 8, 1834, Emily Ward (dau. of Jonas

Ward and Susan Fairbanks). He is a farmer at Charlton, Mass.  
Children:

7237. 1. Alden Homer Snow, b. at Millbury, Sept. 13, 1835, d. there Feb. 18, 1843.

7238. 2. Charles Edward Snow, b. there Oct. 3, 1840, m. June 17, 1866, at Worcester, Mass., Sarah Jane Case, b. Feb. 28, 1841 (dau. of John S. and Adeline P. Case). He is a farmer at Charlton.

[Seventh Generation.]

7211. v. Buckley Warren Snow (son of Capt. Warren Snow and Polly Waters), b. April 16, 1811, m. Dec. 24, 1833, Mary Rice Carlton of Millbury, b. Jan. 23, 1814 (dau. of Benjamin Carlton and Huldah Miller). She d. Aug. 10, 1858, and he m. for 2d wife, Nov. 24, 1864, Mary Stone of Oxford, Mass., b. Jan. 19, 1815 (dau. of David Stone and Betsey Hall). He was a wood-worker in Millbury. He d. Feb. 23, 1868.

[Eighth Generation.]

7239. i. Maria Rice Snow, b. Nov. 17, 1834, d. Jan. 18, 1855.

7240. ii. Elizabeth Dwight Snow, b. June 21, 1837, d. Sept. 28, 1858.

7241. iii. Augusta Jane Griggs Snow, b. July 30, 1840.

7242. iv. Birney Washington Snow, b. Jan. 18, 1846, is a wood-worker in Millbury.

7243. v. Warren Foster Snow, b. Dec. 4, 1849, is a farmer in Millbury.

7244. vi. George Forrester Snow, } twins, b. Feb. 13, 1853, d.

7245. vii. Georgiana Frances Snow, { Sept. 6, 1853.

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7212. vi. Hannah Waters Snow (dau. of Capt. Warren Snow and Polly Waters), b. March 28, 1814, m. Jan. 30, 1838, George Dike, b. in Thompson, Ct., Feb. 1, 1815 (son of Samuel Dike and Mary T. Davis), a farmer in Thompson, Ct. She d. Jan. 26, 1862.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7246. i. Rev. Samuel Warren Dike, b. Feb. 13, 1839, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1863 and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1866, has been settled since 1869 at West Randolph, Vt.

7247. ii. Henry Harrison Dike, b. June 26, 1840, a farmer at Thompson, Ct.

7248. iii. Mary Helen Dike, b. Aug. 24, 1843.

7249. iv. Harriet Waters Dike, b. Feb. 13, 1846.

7250. v. Ansel George Dike, b. May 15, 1847, d. June 29, 1849.

7251. vi. Josiah Woodward Dike, b. Oct. 21, 1852.

[Sixth Generation.]

7200. ii. David Waters (son of Joseph Waters and Elizabeth Dwight),



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b. April 5, 1779, m. a Miss Hagar. He was a resident of Millbury, Mass. He d. May 1837. Three children, Nos. 7252-4: Dwight of Worcester; David of Sutton; and Jane, who m. a Mr. Fellows of Worcester, Mass.

[Sixth Generation.]

7205. vii. Nathaniel Waters (son of Joseph Waters and Elizabeth Dwight) b. Sept. 3, 1791, m. Sally Hagar. He lived in Middlebury, Mass.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

7255. i. Andrew Waters, b. Sept. 14, 1814, at Auburn, Mass.

7256. ii. William Waters, b. Aug. 6, 1816, at Middlebury, Mass.

7257. iii. Livia Waters, b. there March 5, 1818.

7258. iv. Esther Marble Waters, b. Nov. 14, 1819, at same place.

7259. v. Joseph Gardner Waters, b. there Sept. 7, 1822.

7260. vi. Vernar Stiles Waters, b. Oct. 4, 1824, at Worcester, Mass.

7261. vii. Charles Waters, b. there May 28, 1826.

7262. viii. Leander Waters, b. at Middlebury, April 18, 1828.

7263. ix. Sarah Ann Waters, b. there May 18, 1830.

7264. x. Edwin Dwight Waters, b. Nov. 10, 1836, at Worcester.

7263. ix. Sarah Ann Waters, b. May 18, 1830, m. Feb. 18, 1855, Matthew L. Colvin, b. Oct. 3, 1833, at Scituate, Mass., a resident of Smithfield, R. I.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7265. i. Lillian Agnes Colvin, b. Sept. 27, 1857, at Smithfield.

7266. ii. Esther Maria Colvin, b. Nov. 3, 1859.

7277. iii. Louisa Lavina Colvin, b. July 17, 1862.

7278. iv. Charlotte Edwina Colvin, b. Nov. 17, 1866.

[Fifth Generation.] See page 948.

6773. vii. Rebecca Dwight (dau. of Samuel Dwight and Jane Bulkley), b. May 19, 1754, m. Dec. 28, 1774, Lt. Abraham Batcheller, Jr., of Sutton, where he was b. March 26, 1752 (son of Capt. Abraham Batcheller and Sarah Newton: he was a revolutionary officer). He was a farmer at Sutton (1774-91). In 1791-2 he removed to Paris Hill, Oneida Co., N. Y.—“when Utica, now having some 35,000 inhabitants, had but three log-houses in it.” In 1816 he removed to Stockton, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., where he d. Aug. 14, 1832, aet. 80. She d. April 5, 1842, aet. 87, at Stockton. He was an active member of the Bapt. Ch.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

7279. i. Paul Batcheller, b. in 1775, d. in 1794, aet. 19.

7280. ii. Elizabeth Batcheller, b. about 1777, m. Moses Davis of Lenox, N. Y. (then Smithfield).

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7281. iii. Joseph Batcheller, b. June 3, 1778, was living in Pomfret, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., in 1869, aet. 91.

7282. iv. Dwight Batcheller, b. July 4, 1780, was a farmer at Stockton, N. Y., where he d. unmarried Sept. 1854.

7283. v. Rebecca Batcheller, b. about 1782, m. as his 2d wife Moses Davis of Lenox, N. Y., without issue.

7284. vi. Abraham Batcheller, b. about 1786, d. young.

7285. vii. Silence Batcheller, b. Aug. 9, 1788, m. John Haseltine.

7286. viii. Levina Batcheller, b. April 4, 1797, d. unmarried about 1820.

7287. ix. Electa Batcheller, b. April 12, 1799, m. Nathan Cleland.

7288. x. Charles Batcheller, b. April 23, 1802, at Paris Hill, N. Y.

7289. xi. Sally Batcheller, b. at Paris Hill, N. Y., about 1804, d. early of dysentery.

7290. xii. Nancy Batcheller, b. there about 1806, d. early of dysentery.

7280. ii. Elizabeth Batcheller (dau. of Lt. Abraham Batcheller and Rebecca Dwight), m. Dea. Moses Davis, a farmer at Madison, N. Y., and afterwards at Lenox, N. Y., and a deacon in the Bapt. Ch. After her decease he m. for a 2d wife her sister, Rebecca Batcheller. By his first marriage he had 7 children; by his second, none.

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7281. iii. Joseph Batcheller (son of Lt. Abraham Batcheller and Rebecca Dwight), b. June 3, 1778, m. Dorothy Needham. He was a farmer at Pomfret, Chautauqua Co., N. Y. Five children, Nos. 7291-5. Julian; Betsey; Varnum N., a farmer in Casadaga, N. Y.; Joseph E.; and George J.

[Sixth Generation.]

7286. vii. Silence Batcheller (dau. of Lt. Abraham Batcheller and Rebecca Dwight), b. Aug. 9, 1788, in Sutton, Mass., m. March 4, 1814, in Cazenovia, N. Y., John Haseltine, b. Sept. 6, 1791, in Bath, N. H. (son of John Haseltine of Clinton, N. Y., and afterwards (1816) of Hamilton, O., and Elizabeth Haynes, who d. there Sept. 16, 1817. He was a revolutionary soldier for 6 years. He d. at Eaton, O., July 22, 1832). He was a mill-wright, and lived at Oxford, O. (1816-35), at Laporte, Ind. (1835-51), and at Brooklyn, Green Co., Wis. (1851-9), where he d. Jan. 21, 1859, aet. 67. He was a justice of the peace for many years in both Indiana and Wisconsin, and was a great lover of truth and honesty. She is still living at Brooklyn, Wis.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

7296. i. Emmeline Haseltine, b. Feb. 2, 1815, m. Hon. William W. McLaughlin.

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7297. ii. Elizabeth Haseltine, b. May 22, 1816, m. Elisha Rose, and for a 2d husband, Lewis Valentine Baker.

7298. iii. Joseph Willis Haseltine, b. April 25, 1818.

7299. iv. Louisa Haseltine, b. Jan. 30, 1820, m. Gilbert Rose.

7300. v. Charles Millard Haseltine, b. Dec. 5, 1821, d. Aug. 28, 1823.

7301. vi. Elvira Haseltine, b. Jan. 22, 1824, m. Seymour Smith.

7302. vii. John Haynes Haseltine, b. June 4, 1826.

7303. viii. Harriet Haseltine, b. Dec. 8, 1831, m. George Baker.

7296. i. Emmeline Haseltine (dau. of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. Feb. 2, 1815, m. May 30, 1838, Hon. William Wilson McLaughlin, b. Aug. 7, 1807, in Urbana, Champaign Co., O., a farmer in Brooklyn, Wis. (since 1842). He has been twice a member of the Wis. Legislature (1864-5).

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7304. i. Harriet Elizabeth McLaughlin, b. at Laporte, Ind., April 26, 1842, m. June 13, 1866, John White, b. in 1841, in Alabama, Genesee Co., N. Y. (son of James White, now of Minn., and Deborah Winslow), a merchant at Kasson, Minn. They have 2 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Mira May White, b. there Oct. 8, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 2. McLaughlin White, b. July 2, 1873.

7305. ii. Louisa Jane McLaughlin, b. in Brooklyn, Wis., June 16, 1846, m. Oct. 29, 1870, Calvin Hook, b. in Brooklyn, O., April 14, 1841 (son of Stephen Hook and Lydia Fish), a farmer in Brooklyn, Wis. Children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Harriet Bell Hook, b. Aug. 19, 1872.

\*\*\*\* 2. Wilson Emmett Hook, b. Sept. 28, 1873.

7306. iii. Eliza Elmira McLaughlin, b. there Oct. 21, 1847, m. Oct. 15, 1868, Franklin Frisbie, b. in Geneva, Wis., May 9, 1847 (son of Chester Frisbie of Oregon, Wis., and Emmeline Stevens). They have one child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Frederic Earnest Frisbie, b. in Brooklyn, Wis., Jan. 17, 1872.

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7297. ii. Elizabeth Haseltine (dau. of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. May 22, 1816, m. May 11, 1837, Elisha Rose, b. in Broome, Schoharie Co., N. Y., June 1, 1808. He was a teacher. He d. at Laporte, Ind., Sept. 28, 1841, an educated Christian gentleman. She m. March 31, 1842, Lewis Valentine Baker, b. Jan. 22, 1807, in Nine Partners, Dutchess Co., N. Y. (son of Richard and Sarah Baker). He was engaged in milling and lumbering at Buchanan, Mich., where he d. Nov. 10, 1872.

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[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first marriage :*

7307. i. Orange Willis Rose, b. Feb. 8, 1840, in Laporte, Ind., m. Oct. 8, 1868, Alice Lucretia Ross of Gaines, Orleans Co. N. Y. : a merchant in Buchanan, Mich. One child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Myrta May Rose, b. in 1869.

*By second marriage :*

7308. ii. Louisa Jane Baker, b. in Berrien Co., Mich., Dec. 17, 1843, m. April 11, 1866, John Redden, b. May 4, 1835, a merchant and farmer in Buchanan, b. in Kent Co., Del., May 4, 1835. Children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Elsie E. Redden, b. Jan. 15, 1867.

\*\*\*\* 2. Bernice Redden, b. Jan. 11, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 3. Lewis Valentine Redden, b. March 13, 1871.

7309. iii. Florence Idell Baker, b. Oct. 23, 1847, d. March 8, 1852.

7310. iv. John Valentine Baker, b. March 22, 1853, d. April 13, 1868.

7311. v. Lewis Wilson Baker, b. Sept. 28, 1855.

7312. vi. Clyde Haseltine Baker b. Nov. 5, 1857.

[Seventh Generation.]

7298. iii. Joseph Willis Haseltine (son of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. April 25, 1818, at Oxford, O., m. in Oregon, Dane Co., Wis. (of which town Brooklyn, Green Co., Wis., was until within a few years a part), June 3, 1849, Sarah Ann Boyce, b. in Danbury, N. H., Sept. 23, 1819 (dau. of Reuben Boyce and Polly Wadleigh). He is a large farmer (300 acres) at Brooklyn, Wis., where he has lived most of the time since 1839, when he bought the land that he owns of the U. S. Govt.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7313. i. Mary Idell Haseltine, b. in Brooklyn, Wis., May 25, 1852.

7314. ii. Willis Wilson Haseltine, b. there Aug. 17, 1854.

7315. iii. Sarah Louisa Haseltine, b. there Dec. 3, 1855, d. Oct. 2, 1859.

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7299. iv. Louisa Haseltine (dau. of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. Jan 30, 1820, m. July 18, 1841, Gilbert Rose, b. Sept. 27, 1797, in Dover Hollow, Dutchess Co., N. Y. He has been a merchant and farmer for many years in Wakelee, Cass Co., Mich.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7316. i. Orrin De Loss Rose, b. in Laporte, Ind., Nov. 16, 1842, d. there April 1, 1862.

7317. ii. John Walter Rose, b. there Oct. 25, 1844, m. Dec. 31,



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1868, Amanda Hayden, b. in Kentucky in 1850. He is a farmer in Volenia, Cass Co., Mich. Children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Charles Arthur Rose, b. there Jan. 28, 1869.

\*\*\*\* 2. Gilbert Byron Rose, b. there June 16, 1872.

7318. iii. Mary Louisa Rose, b. there April 17, 1848, m. Dec. 30, 1868, William Wallace Roper, b. in Onondaga Co., N. Y., Jan. 13, 1843, a farmer in Marseilles, Cass Co., Mich. They have two sons.

7319. 1. Albert Lester Roper, b. Dec. 28, 1869, in Marseilles, Mich.

\*\*\*\* 2. Ralph Hudson Roper, b. in Mishwaukee, Ind., Oct. 19, 1873.

7320. iv. Gilbert Lester Rose, b. July 21, 1853.

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7301. vi. Elvira Haseltine (dau. of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. Jan. 22, 1824, m. Nov. 5, 1845, Seymour Smith, b. Feb. 21, 1823 (son of Shubael Smith and Lucy Thrall), a farmer in Springville, Ind., and since 1853 in Oregon, Wis. (now Brooklyn). She d. July 1, 1872.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7321. i. Adeline Louisa Smith, b. in Springville, Ind., Aug. 28, 1846, lives unmarried at home.

7322. ii. Eugene Augustus Smith, b. there June 15, 1849, is a farmer in Brooklyn, Wis.

7323. iii. Charles Millard Smith, b. there Dec. 10, 1850, d. there April 9, 1851.

7324. iv. Edgar Wilson Smith, b. in Oregon, Wis., March 6, 1853.

7325. v. Mary Elizabeth Smith, b. there May 6, 1855.

7326. vi. Albert Haseltine Smith, b. there Feb. 28, 1858.

7327. vii. Clayton Willis Smith, b. there May 14, 1863.

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7302. vii. Rev. John Haynes Haseltine (son of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. June 4, 1826, m. June 12, 1848, Sylvia Pierce. She d. suddenly in Springfield, Ind., March 25, 1851. He m. for 2d wife, in Union, Wis., in 1852, Louisa Merrick, b. Oct. 11, 1832, at Deer River, Franklin Co., N. Y. He is a Methodist clergyman at Cawker City, Kansas (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

*By first wife :*

7328. i. Martha Emmeline Haseltine, b. in Ind., Aug. 4, 1849.

*By second wife :*

7329. ii. John Adelbert Haseltine, b. in Delavan, Walworth Co., Wis., April 13, 1853.

7330. iii. Laura Annette Haseltine, b. at Dayton, Green Co., Wis., July 20, 1855.

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7331. iv. Lura Alice Haseltine, b. in Oregon, Wis., Sept. 27, 1861.

7332. v. Annie Josephine Haseltine, b. in Evansville, Wis., March 13, 1867.

[Seventh Generation.]

7303. viii. Harriet Haseltine (dau. of John Haseltine and Silence Batcheller), b. Dec. 8, 1831, m. Feb. 29, 1860, George Baker, b. in Ripley, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., Nov. 27, 1828 (son of Hiram Baker and Sally Maria Camp), a farmer in Buchanan, Mich. formerly but now in Bertrand, Berrian Co., Mich. (1874).

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7333. i. Florence Baker, b. in Bertrand, Mich., April 8, 1861, and d. there Oct. 11, 1862.

7334. ii. Estelle Baker, b. Feb. 8, 1863.

7335. iii. Annie Haseltine Baker, b. there Jan. 11, 1867, d. June 13, 1867.

\*\*\*\* iv. Warren Dwight Baker, b. Jan. 30, 1870.

To Joseph W. Haseltine of Brooklyn, Wis., thanks are due for the account here presented of his father's large family of descendants.

[Sixth Generation.]

7287. ix. Electa Batcheller (dau. of Lt. Abraham Batcheller and Rebecca Dwight), b. April 12, 1799, m. Nathan Cleland, a farmer in Charlotte, Chautauqua Co., N. Y. He has 7 children, said to be all living near him. Nos. 7336-42 : Elvira, Milo, Thankful, John, Nathan, Jane and Electa.

[Sixth Generation.]

6288. x. Charles Batcheller (son of Lt. Abraham Batcheller and Rebecca Dwight), b. at Paris Hill, N. Y., April 23, 1802, m. May 24, 1826, Eliza Ann Johnson, b. Sept. 26, 1809 (dau. of David Johnson of Fairfield, N. Y. and Martha Norton). She d. June 28, 1859, aet. 49. He is a farmer at Victor, Iowa, and was for some 9 years previously such at Fredonia, N. Y.

[Seventh Generation.] Children :

7343. i. Lodoski Batcheller, b. Sept. 5, 1827, m. Jan. 5, 1860, William Henkle, a farmer and grain dealer in Marengo, Iowa (b. at Circleville, O., and son of Salem Henkle and Elizabeth Hawks). No children.

7344. ii. Salathiel Batcheller, b. March 26, 1829, m. Dec. 2, 1851, Marietta Phelps Brown, b. Dec. 3, 1831 (dau. of Samuel Augustus Brown of Jamestown, N. Y. and Prudence Olivia Coates). He is a farmer at Victor, Iowa. He studied law and was admitted to practice. He was a quartermaster in the late war.

They have had two children :

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7345. 1. Eva Batcheller, b. at Iowa City, Dec. 22, 1860.

\*\*\*\* 2. Levant B. Batcheller, b. Dec. 3, 1869.

7346. iii. Mattie Rebecca Batcheller, b. Nov. 26, 1833, m. June 2, 1864, James Yard Elmendorf, b. Jan. 14, 1818 (son of James B. Elmendorf and Elizabeth Yard), a farmer at Millstone, N. J. No children.

7347. iv. Eliza Ann Batcheller, b. Feb. 19, 1831, d. at Fredonia, N. Y., March 9, 1852.

7348. v. Melissa ("Milly") Batcheller, b. Aug. 8, 1836, m. Oct. 15, 1857, Frank Jerome, b. Oct. 15, 1832 (son of Ira Jerome of Pompey, N. Y., and Irene Cross. Ira Jerome was son of John Jerome of Stockbridge, Mass.). He is a farmer at Pompey Hill, Onondaga Co., N. Y. No children.

7349. vi. Ellen Batcheller, b. April 24, 1847, resides unmarried (1874) at home.

Of the descendants of Samuel Dwight of Sutton, Mass. (son of Michael Dwight of Dedham, Mass.), there is here furnished an account of some 600. The descendants of Michael Dwight are almost wholly descendants of Samuel Dwight, his son. Not one of Samuel Dwight's descendants now living bears the old family name.

[Fourth Generation.]

6763. ii. John Dwight (son of Michael Dwight of Dedham and Rachel Avery), b. about 1705, m. Sarah Graves of Needham, Mass. He d. early. His widow, Sarah, had a posthumous child:

7350. 1. Sarah Dwight who m. a Mr. Mills of Needham, Mass.

[Fourth Generation.] See page 947.

6766. v. Rachel Dwight (dau. of Michael Dwight of Dedham, Mass. and Rachel Avery), b. June 17, 1715, m. as his 2d wife in 1732, Dea. Samuel Deane of Norton, Mass., b. Oct. 17, 1700 (son of John Deane, b. in 1639, who d. Feb. 18, 1717, aet 78, and Abigail White of Norton, whom he m. Sept. 19, 1769). He was a blacksmith and kept public house in Dedham (1732-45) and removed to Norton in 1745, where he d. March 30, 1775, aet. 74. She d. prob. about 1760.

His first wife was Mary Avery, and his third one was Margaret King, who survived him. They were married Oct. 22, 1761. [Walter Deane, the settler, came from Chard, near Taunton, Eng., in 1636, to Boston, whence he went to Dorchester, Mass., and removed thence to Taunton, Mass., where he established himself as a tanner. He d. in middle life, leaving a widow, Eleanor, *née* Strong, with four sons and one daughter. Eleanor Strong was sister of Elder John Strong, of Northampton, and if the Deane records, as here quoted, are correct, could not have come over to this country with him as intimated in the History of the Strong Family, by the author, vol. i. p. 16. She must

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have been, accordingly, a good deal older than himself—at least 23 years or more. Elder John Strong was b. in 1605, and if his sister, Mrs. Deane, had a son John who d. in Taunton, Mass., in 1660, aet. 60 (probably 6 here should be 4), that son was b. in England in 1600, and she must have been at least 18 years of age then, or thereabouts.

As the printed record reads (and as the author believes wrongly by 20 years) John Deane, one of Eleanor (Strong) Deane's 4 sons, d. in Taunton, Mass., in 1660, aet. 60 (40?). He had a son, John Deane, Jr., b. in 1639, who m. Abigail White—who were the parents of Dea. Samuel Deane. Dates are so mixed up here and so doubtful, that what is true precisely it is not easy to say].

Dea. Samuel Deane and Rachel Dwight had six children.

[Fifth Generation.] Children :

7350. i. Rev. Samuel Deane, D.D., b. July 10, 1733, d. Nov. 12, 1814, aet. 81.

7351. ii. Josiah Deane, M.D., b. at Dedham, Jan. 21, 1736; a physician at Upton, Mass.

7352. iii. Dea. Elijah Deane of Mansfield, Mass., b. Feb. 19, 1738, d. in 1830, aet. 94.

7353. iv. Ebenezer Deane, M.D., b. May 30, 1741, settled at Plympton, Mass.

7354. v. John Deane, b. June 11, 1743, at Dedham, settled at Standish, Me.

7355. vi. Dea. Daniel Deane, b. June 12, 1745, at Dedham, d. Feb. 7, 1805, aet. 60.

7350. i. Rev. Samuel Deane, D.D., b. at Dedham July 10, 1733, grad. at Harvard in 1760, tutor there in 1763, settled as pastor at Portland, Me. (1764–75). On the destruction of the town, in 1775, he lived retired in Gorham, Me., in a house built by himself, but in 1782 returned to Portland again to his pastoral work. In 1809, when he was 76 years old, Rev. Mr. Nichols was ordained as a colleague pastor with him. He m. in 1766 Eunice, dau. of Moses Pearson, who d. without issue, Oct. 14, 1812, aet. 85. He d. Nov. 12, 1814, aet. 81. He had strong classical and literary tastes and wrote several poems, one of which "Pitchwood Hill," written in 1780, contained 140 lines. His "Georgical Dictionary, or New England Farmer," was the first agricultural work ever published in this country, and was greatly consulted by agriculturists in its day.

He was, beside being a man of talent and reputation, a great wit. When he was tutor at Cambridge he showed a stranger, among other curiosities in the College museum, a long and rusty sword. On being asked its history or significance, he replied: "I believe that that is the sword with which Balaam threatened to kill the ass." "But,"



replied the stranger: "Balaam had no sword, he only wished for one." "Oh, true," said Mr. Deane, "that is the one that he wished for!" His figure was tall, erect and portly; his manners were grave and dignified. He was fond of society, and knew how to make himself always agreeable in it. His style of preaching was calm. His sermons were brief, plain and practical, without ornament or even glow, carefully written, but not adapted to excite fear, or strong desire, or absorbing interest. While unsectarian in spirit himself, and disposed to occupy middle ground, so far as possible, between what is called high Calvinism and the new Unitarian development of his day, and associating freely with the principal clergymen of the times on both sides, he could not be justly described as really Trinitarian in his views or "orthodox" in his ideas of the atonement. He kept a diary for 53 years (1761-1814), in reference principally to his domestic history, in interleaved almanacs, which has been recently published by William Willis (Portland, 1849). From this book, containing also a memoir of him, the facts above stated have been gathered.

[Fifth Generation.]

7355. vi. Deacon Daniel Deane (son of Samuel Deane of Norton and Rachel Dwight), b. June 12, 1745, at Dedham, Mass., m. Sept. 27, 1770, Lydia Whitman (dau. of Ebenezer Whitman of Bridgewater, Mass.). He was selectman for 7 years, assessor 2, and representative one year. He lived on the homestead of his father in Norton, and d. aet. 60, Feb. 7, 1805. She d. by her own hand, Jan. 3, 1813.

[Sixth Generation.] Children:

7356. i. Noah Deane of Fairhaven, Mass., b. Aug. 4, 1771.

7357. ii. Rachel Deane, b. Nov. 24, 1773, m. Oct. 20, 1791, Thomas Forbes of Norton, and afterwards Major Ebenezer Tyler of Pawtucket, but in each case without issue.

7356. i. Noah Deane, b. Aug. 4, 1771, m. Oct. 3, 1797, Hannah Briggs, b. June 23, 1773 (dau. of Dea. Timothy Briggs of Norton).

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

7358. i. Timothy Briggs Deane, b. Sept. 12, 1798, d. unmarried in New Orleans, Jan. 25, 1838.

7359. ii. Rachel Forbes Deane, b. June 11, 1800, d. March 3, 1803.

7360. iii. Daniel Whitman Deane, b. Dec. 26, 1802, d. unmarried at New Orleans, March 19, 1847.

7361. iv. Hannah Briggs Deane, b. Oct. 29, 1806, d. Aug. 11, 1861. She m. Capt. Flavius Delano, Aug. 2, 1832. They had one child:

7362. 1. Marcus Flavius Delano, M.D., a surgeon U. S. N., b. at North Falmouth, Mass., July 15, 1833, m. Jessie Farwell of North

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Leominster, Mass. He has had two children, Nos. 7363-4; Adelia M. and Annie R.

7365. v. Rachel Tyler Deane, b. Aug. 30, 1808, m. John Holliman Potter of Pawtucket, R. I., without issue.

7366. vi. George Robins Deane, b. June 8, 1813, m. July 12, 1837, Deborah Toby Bourne (dau. of John Bourne of East Wareham). He lives at Fairhaven, Mass. They have had 2 children :

7367. 1. Daniel Whitman Deane, b. Jan. 13, 1841.

7368. 2. Helen Caroline Deane, b. May 20, 1847.

[ Mr. Samuel Deane of Norton had 2 daughters, one of which was "Sarah, received into communion Aug. 7, 1757," as the church-records of Norton state.

Mrs. Hannah (Briggs) Deane of Fairhaven, Mass. (widow of Noah Deane; see No. 7356. i.), wrote to the writer in 1865, when she was 92 years old, that, "he had 2 daughters, although she did not know their names, the eldest of which m. Dea. Ebenezer Winslow of Berkeley, without issue, and the other a Mr. Draper of Attleborough, Mass., without issue."

These daughters were doubtless his children by one or both of his two other wives, and not by Rachel Dwight.

The Deane Family is now extinct in Norton. Mrs. Hannah Deane wrote that "all whom she knew of her husband's uncle's family are now dead."

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## THE SHIRLEY DWIGHTS.

(PROBABLY DESCENDANTS OF MICHAEL DWIGHT OF DEDHAM.)

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In connection with the foregoing ascertained facts concerning the Dwights of the land, of all branches and generations, there must be classified, as next in historic value, and as doubtless cognate in blood with the descendants of John Dwight of Dedham, already presented, the family of Dwights found in Shirley, Mass. They have lost all clue to their early ancestry in this country, and have no records back of their ancestor, John Dwight of Shirley, Mass., or even vague traditions that go back of his father of the same name. The author has made thorough search in various directions, to solve, if possible, the doubts that hang over this subject; and he has had various theories at different times, from all of which his mind has invariably reacted after further deliberation, except the one which he will now state, as covering, in his view, all the known facts of the case. It is barely possible that some records now unknown may hereafter come to light somewhere,

which will quite set aside the genealogical nexus with the family here conjectured.

By turning to No. 38. iii., it will be seen that there was a John Dwight (son of Capt. Timothy Dwight of Dedham and Sarah Powell), b. May 31, 1662, who m. Dec. 3, 1696, Elizabeth Harding, and who lived in Medfield, Mass., near Dedham. In the family-records that have floated down in a casual way from that day to ours, it is stated that they had no issue. But such statements are often made in haste, and altogether too strongly by those who make records in one generation of those in a preceding one, if they were personally unfamiliar to them, and they themselves do not happen to know of their having had any children. Ignorance of the existence of facts is thus easily, and, if strangely yet almost or quite unconsciously, converted sometimes into a direct declaration of their actual non-existence.

It may be, therefore, that John Dwight and Elizabeth Harding did have one child, who was afterwards Capt. John Dwight of Boston, and father of John Dwight of Shirley. He may have gone so early to sea as to have been overlooked by those who first, in after years, undertook to make up lists of their personal relatives. These possibilities are all easy to be supposed; and so naturally and completely would they explain to one regarding them as true all the points of difficulty in question that, in the absence of all light from any other quarter, the author would propose them to the family of Dwights most interested in their presentation as amounting, in his view, well-nigh, if not fully, to probabilities.

"Straws show which way the wind blows;" and there is a slight suggestion, which a genealogist would feel enough to notice, of the probability of the supposition made in the names given to his first children. His first child, a daughter, was named after her mother. The next two children seem to have been named—the first by rule, in succession for several generations, John; and the next, a daughter, Sarah, after Sarah Powell, the (supposed) grandmother of Capt. John. The Powell family was an honorable one in Dedham, and was held in honor in the Dwight family of that day. If John Dwight of Medfield was the father of Capt. John Dwight, the fact of his two brothers, Timothy and Seth, having lived in Boston, may account for the fact of Capt. John's having been early drawn there.

It will therefore be at once understood that in connecting Capt. John Dwight, in the fourth generation, as below, with the No. 38. iii., which represents John Dwight of Medfield, in the third generation, the bond thus made has no higher merit than that of a mere good genealogical guess. With these explanations and vindications of the ground assumed, the author will proceed:

[Fourth Generation.]

Capt. John Dwight (supposed son of John Dwight of Medfield), b. about 1705, was a sailor and afterwards a sea-captain, and was lost at sea by shipwreck in 1744—leaving behind him a widow whose maiden name was Foster, and one child only, then four years old, whose name was, like his father's, John. His family it is said resided in Boston. It is further stated that his widow m. for a 2d husband a Mr. Inckley or Inchley. Such were the representations made to the writer in 1866, by Mrs. Priscilla Cowdery, then at the age of 84, his grand-daughter. His only son, John, is said to have been brought up by one of the Gould family in Boston.

[Sixth Generation.] Child:

7369. i. John Dwight, Jr., b. in Boston in 1740, m. about 1770, widow Susanna Moore of Shirley, Mass., *née* Harris, b. 1741 (widow of Jonathan Moore of that place and dau. of Capt. Francis Harris and Susanna Benjamin). By her previous marriage she had 2 children, Abel and Eunice Moore.

John Dwight, was a stone-cutter at Shirley, an honest, industrious man, and in comfortable circumstances. He was partially deaf from the effects of a wound made in his head by a bullet at the battle of White Plains, in the army of the revolution. He d. Oct. 6, 1816, aet. 76. She d. Sept. 6, 1816, aet. 75. Within less than three weeks' time he and his son Francis and wife, Maria, all living under the same roof, d. one after the other—having been poisoned by some corned beef of which they ate that was diseased. These three deaths added to that of Mrs. John Dwight in September, made a fearful change in the family within a very brief period.

[Capt. Francis Harris was a member of the First Provincial Congress in Oct. 1774, and of the Second in 1775. He was b. in Watertown, Mass., Oct. 3, 1721, and was son of Capt. Asa Harris. He resided at Shirley. His wife Susanna was the dau. of Jonathan Benjamin and Susanna Norcross]. John Dwight came it is said from Dorchester, Mass., to Shirley.

[Seventh Generation.] Children:

7370. i. Susanna Dwight, b. Dec. 2, 1771, m. Elisha Dodge, and d. Dec. 22, 1838, aet. 67.

7371. ii. John Dwight, M.D., b. Dec. 22, 1773, d. 1852, aet. 79.

7372. iii. Sally Dwight, b. Feb. 18, 1776, m. Joseph Brown, and d. Nov. 22, 1852, aet. 76.

7373. iv. Betsey Dwight, b. March 1, 1778, m. Edmund Page, and d. Nov. 16, 1867, aet. 89.

7374. v. Francis Dwight, b. June 17, 1780, d. Sept. 29, 1816, aet. 36.



7375. vi. Priscilla Dwight, b. May 31, 1782, m. Sherebiah Cowdery, and d. Jan. 20, 1868, aet. 86.

7376. vii. Pammilla Dwight, b. April 22, 1784, m. David Parker, and d. 1861, aet. 77.

7377. viii. Col. Sullivan Dwight, b. March 29, 1785, d. June 12, 1853, aet. 68.,

7370. i. Susanna Dwight, b. Dec. 2, 1771, m. Jan. 11, 1813, Elisha Dodge, a blacksmith in Shirley, b. in Littleton, Mass., in 1770. He d. Dec. 22, 1838, aet. 68. She d. Dec. 22, 1838. They had one child.

[Eighth Generation.] Child:

7378. i. Susan Dwight Dodge, b. March 3, 1814, m. as his 2d wife, Sept. 29, 1852, Wilder S. Thurston, b. in Lancaster, Mass., in 1806. He is a merchant in Lynn, Mass. (1874). No children. By a former marriage he had 3 children.

[Seventh Generation.]

7371. ii. John Dwight, M.D. (son of John Dwight, Jr. of Shirley and Susanna Moore), b. Dec. 22, 1773, grad. at Harvard, in 1800 (being a classmate of Judge Lemuel Shaw, Washington Allston and Rev. Dr. Charles Lowell). He studied for the ministry but became a physician after studying medicine with the celebrated Dr. John Jeffries of Boston, and established himself in that city.

“He was brought up in the strictest doctrines of Calvinism, against which however his mind reacted afterwards strongly and he became a very decided free thinker. He was exceedingly positive in his political and religious opinions—which is one of the unmistakable Dwight traits wherever found. In politics he was a Hartford federalist of the most conservative type.”

He was a man of superior mechanical genius and was continually inventing and constructing various machines and instruments, as a piano on a peculiar model of his own, a fire-engine and orreries.

He was very temperate in his habits, eating but little and very regularly. He was a man of but moderate means.

He m. May 18, 1812, Mary Corey of W. Roxbury, Mass., who was living in 1866 in Boston: a lady of a very simple, modest, child-like nature, fresh in her feelings and instincts and of a lovely disposition. He d. in 1852, aet. 79.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7378. i. John Sullivan Dwight, b. May 13, 1813, at Boston.

7379. ii. Mary Ann Dwight, b. April 4, 1816, resides unmarried, at Boston.

7380. iii. Frances Ellen Dwight, b. Dec. 13, 1819, resides unmarried at Boston.

Erratum.

[Eighth Generation]

7379. ii. Mary-Ann Dwight, b. April 4.  
1816. m. Dec 24. 1846. John Orris, b.,  
in Ferrisburgh. Vt. Aug 17. 1816. Have  
since resided at Jamaica Plain. Mass.

[Ninth Generation] Children.

Christel Orris. b. Mar. 23. 1848.  
at Jam. Pl.

Helen Dwight Orris. b. June 12,  
1850. at Jam. Pl.

By M. D. Orris. (nee Dwight)



7381. iv. Benjamin Franklin Dwight, b. Sept 5, 1824, an architect in Boston.

7378. i. John Sullivan Dwight, b. at Boston, May 13, 1813, grad. at Harvard in 1832, studied divinity at Harvard, and preached for 6 years—a year and a half of the time at Northampton, Mass.

He had always a great passion for music, “believing that it connects itself in all its relations, large and small, with the destinies of this country, and the higher instincts and sentiments of our common nature, and of all true religion.” He has given several courses of public lectures on music, and published a volume of select minor poems of Goethe and Schiller, translated by himself.

He gave up preaching from sympathy with the socialistic movements of George Ripley and others at “Brookfarm,” where he remained for five years, teaching Latin, Greek, German and music, and took part in several industries, as farming, chopping wood, cultivating trees, etc. In 1848 he returned to Boston, where he devoted himself for some years to the preparation of articles for various papers as, “The Harbinger” (a socialistic paper published first at Brookfarm and afterwards at New York), and “The Dial,” published at Boston; and also to public lecturing, especially in courses of lectures on music, and wrote many articles as a musical critic for different papers.

In 1852 he established “Dwight’s Journal of Music” in Boston, which was for several years the only musical journal in the country and is quite generally regarded, it is believed, as unsurpassed by any other.

He m. Feb. 11, 1851, Mary Bullard (dau. of Silas Bullard of Boston, a merchant and Mary Ann Barrett of New Ipswich, Mass.). She d. of typhoid fever, Sept. 6, 1860, leaving no issue.

[Seventh Generation.]

7372. iii. Sally Dwight (dau. of John Dwight and ~~Susanna~~ Harris), b. Feb. 18, 1775, m. Nov. 4, 1802, Joseph Brown, b. May 16, 1777, a stone-cutter in Westmoreland, N. H. (1802–43). He d. May 10, 1843, aet. 66: she d. Nov. 22, 1852.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7382. i. John Dwight Brown, b. Feb. 12, 1804, m. April 4, 1833, Betsey Wheeler, b. in Westmoreland, Nov. 29, 1806. He was a stone-cutter and farmer there. He d. Sept. 24, 1870, aet. 66. They had 6 children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Frances Ellen Brown, b. Aug. 4, 1834, d. Aug. 3, 1835.

\*\*\*\* 2. Daniel Webster Brown, b. March 23, 1836, a sentinel at the California State Prison in San Francisco, Cal. He d. in 1867.

\*\*\*\* 3. Henry Clay Brown, b. Dec. 12, 1837, m. Lizzie A. Boynton (dau. of John L. and Margaretta S. Boynton of Cambridge, Mass.).



He is a musician at Boston; has had one child, Carrie Langdon Brown, b. in E. Cambridge, Oct. 28, 1864, and d. in Boston, Jan. 18, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 4. Lizzie Victoria Brown, b. Oct. 29, 1842, was a teacher of music, and d. in Westmoreland, July 29, 1873.

\*\*\*\* 5. John Madison Brown, b. Dec. 5, 1844, m. Dec. 5, 1872, Mary Emmeline Shelley, b. in Westmoreland, Nov. 13, 1851 (dau. of Joseph Shelley and Betsey Fuller). He is a hardware merchant in Chicago. They have one child, Ferdinand Kirk Brown, b. in Chicago, Nov. 9, 1873.

\*\*\*\* 6. William Brown, b. March 8, 1847, is a farmer in Westmoreland.

7383. ii. Joseph Brown, M.D., b. Jan. 11, 1806, m. May 13, 1829, Almira Smith of Boston. He is a physician residing formerly at Rockford, Ill., but for some years past at Chicago, Ill.

7384. iii. Mary Longley Brown, b. Feb. 16, 1808, m. Oct. 14, 1833, Levi Woodbury Hodge, b. Sept. 19, 1802, in Francestown, N. H. He was a harness and trunk-maker at New Ipswich, N. H. (1830-1850), where he d. June 28, 1850. His widow resides at Nashua, N. H. (1874). They had seven children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Marietta Hodge, b. Sept. 14, 1834, m. Nov. 6, 1860, Caleb B. White of Chelsea, Mass., a moulder. He has 2 children:

(1). Mary Josephine White, b. Nov. 23, 1861.

(2). Nathaniel Ruggles White, b. May 6, 1868.

\*\*\*\* 2. Frederic William Hodge, b. April, 15, 1836, d. Sept. 26, 1838.

\*\*\*\* 3. Frances Ellen Hodge, b. May 15, 1839, resides unmarried at Nashua.

\*\*\*\* 4. Maria Josephine Hodge, b. Feb. 24, 1842, m. Nov. 6, 1868, Nathaniel Sprague Ruggles, M.D., of Marion, Mass. (son of Charles Ruggles and Violetta Hamlin). They have one child:

(1). Mary Violetta Ruggles, b. March 24, 1870.

\*\*\*\* 5. Luretta Sophia Hodge, b. July 23, 1844.

\*\*\*\* 6. William Henry Hodge, b. May 19, 1847, d. June 28, 1850.

\*\*\*\* 7. Ella Brown Hodge, b. May 7, 1849, d. Sept. 21, 1851.

7385. iv. William Arnold Brown, b. March 20, 1811, d. March 22, 1829.

[Seventh Generation.]

7373. iv. Betsey Dwight (dau. of John Dwight of Shirley and Susanna Harris), b. March 2, 1778, m. Feb. 1, 1806, Edmund Page of Dunstable, Mass., afterwards of Nashua, N. H., b. in Shirley, March 3, 1778 (son of Phineas Page and Hannah Stone). He was a merchant for some years, and afterwards a farmer. He d. 1866 in Nashua. She d. there Nov. 16, 1867, aet. 89.

[Eighth Generation.] Children :

7386. i. Mary Ann Page, b. July 6, 1806, m. May 22, 1831, Isaac Kendall, b. Sept. 22, 1804 (son of Temple Kendall and Prudence Swallow of Dunstable, Mass.), a farmer at Dunstable now (1874), as all his life. She d. there, July 5, 1870, aet. 64. Three children :

\*\*\*\* 1. A son unnamed, b. March 10, and d. March 12, 1840.

\*\*\*\* 2. Mary Jane Kendall, b. Sept. 24, 1841, m. Feb. 14, 1865, Francis F. Woods of Dunstable.

\*\*\*\* 3. Harriet Elizabeth Kendall, b. March 8, 1846, m. Nov. 18, 1869, Herman L. Parker of Dunstable.

7387. ii. Betsey Page, b. April 3, 1809, m. Oct. 30, 1831, James Kendall, b. Oct. 2, 1806, in Dunstable (son of Temple Kendall and Prudence Swallow), a farmer there still (1873). Five children :

\*\*\*\* 1. James Norman Kendall, b. Sept. 18, 1832.

\*\*\*\* 2. Alfred Page Kendall, b. Dec. 19, 1833, m. April 20, 1865, Harriet A. Marsh of Hudson, N. H.

\*\*\*\* 3. Mary Ann Kendall, b. Nov. 5, 1838, m. Jan. 6, 1864, Isaac Newton Cummings of Nashua, N. H.

\*\*\*\* 4. Ellen Frances Kendall, b. Sept. 11, 1845, m. Oct. 6, 1868, Willard E. Tolles.

\*\*\*\* 5. Lewis Howe Kendall, b. Nov. 13, 1851.

7388. iii. Edmund Dwight Page, b. Oct. 11, 1811, a mechanic in Nashua, N. H., m. June 9, 1836, Rebecca Bancroft, b. Aug. 25, 1809 (dau. of Jonathan and Sarah Bancroft of Tyngsboro, Mass.). One child :

\*\*\*\* 1. Frances R. Page, b. Oct. 21, 1839, m. Feb. 25, 1865, Rufus G. Sargent of Nashua, N. H.

7389. iv. Albert Gallatin Page, b. March 13, 1814, m. Aug. 28, 1834, Sarah Cummings Swallow (dau. of Amaziah Swallow of Dunstable and Asenath Cummings), a mechanic at West Fitchburgh, Mass. He d. of pleurisy, March 27, 1871, aet. 57. She resides now (1874) at Fitchburgh, Mass. Children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Sarah Emily Page, b. May 28, 1835, m. Austin Farrar of Springfield, N. H.

\*\*\*\* 2. Eliza Jane Page, b. Nov. 3, 1837, m. Edwin D. Atherton of Conway, N. H.

\*\*\*\* 3. Albert Willis Page, b. Sept. 23, 1839.

\*\*\*\* 4. Frank Dwight Page, b. Feb. 9, 1855.

7390. v. John Page, b. June 22, 1816, a mason at Fitchburgh, Mass., m. Aug. 21, 1844, Sarah Richardson Read, b. in Hawley, June 4, 1821 (dau. of Calvin Read of Dunstable and Catharine Baxter). Two children :

\*\*\*\* 1. Sarah Anjeanette Page, b. May 25, 1848.

\*\*\*\* 2. George Austin Page, b. June 6, 1860, d. Nov. 6, 1860.

7391. vi. Norman Knox Page, b. Dec. 2, 1818, m. Sept. 3, 1856, Mary H. Leavitt (dau. of William B. and Lucy Grace Leavitt). He is a mechanic in Nashua. Two children:

\*\*\*\* 1. Charles Norman Page, b. July 11, 1857 in Nashua.

\*\*\*\* 2. John Dwight Page, b. there Aug. 6, 1860.

7392. vii. Harriet Page, b. Oct. 19, 1822, d. unmarried Jan. 4, 1845.

[Seventh Generation.]

7374. v. Francis Dwight (son of John Dwight of Shirley and Sanna Harris), b. June 17, 1780, m. in 1804, Maria Blanchard, b. Jan. 21, 1781 in Jeffrey, N. H. He was a stone-cutter at Shirley and also a teacher of music and commanded a military company. He d. Sept. 29, 1816, and she d. Oct. 19, 1816. See previous account under No. 7119, i.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7393. i. Thomas Dwight, b. July 10, 1805, was a bookbinder and printer. He is supposed to have died about 1837 in S. America, unmarried.

7394. ii. Sullivan Dwight, b. Aug. 25, 1807, was a seafaring man and after making several voyages was lost at sea.

7395. iii. Rev. John Dwight, b. Jan. 22, 1810, d. Feb. 5, 1869.

7396. iv. Elizabeth Dwight, b. May 23, 1813, m. in 1830 (whom not ascertained). She d. Jan. 26, 1865.

7397. v. Francis Dwight, b. July 10, 1815, is a house-builder at South Acton, Mass. (since 1846), unmarried. From him much of the information here given was obtained.

7398. iii. Rev. John Dwight (son of Francis Dwight of Shirley and Maria Blanchard), b. Jan. 2, 1810, grad. at Amherst in 1835, m. April 14, 1837, Sally Ann Hastings, b. at Boston, Oct. 29, 1815 (dau. of Benjamin Hastings and Sally Jarves). He was ordained at N. Bridgewater, Mass., April 12, 1837, and installed at Plymouth, Mass., July 28, 1841 and June 23, 1853 at N. Wrentham, Mass., from which charge he was dismissed at his own request April 1, 1866. He d. at Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 5, 1869, aet. 59. He studied theology with Rev. Jacob Ide, D.D. of Medway, Mass., where Mrs. Dwight now (1874) resides.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7398. i. Sarah Maria Dwight, b. in N. Bridgewater, Sept. 30, 1838, m. Dec. 7, 1865, William Bradford Davis of Acton, Mass., a farmer.

7399. ii. Ann Eliza Dwight, b. in Medway, July 22, 1840, m. July 22, 1865, Lewis Francis Dupee, a teacher and superintendent of

schools at Beverley, Mass., where he d. April 10, 1871. She resides in New York and teaches drawing.

7400. iii. Mary Elizabeth Dwight, b. in Plymouth, Mass., June 16, 1842, m. Aug. 23, 1865, Jason Eugene Wilson, a manufacturer of thread, batts and wadding at Medway, Mass.

7401. iv. John Francis Dwight b. there Aug. 20, 1844, grad. at Harvard in 1870, is Principal and proprietor of "The Rahway Institute," a classical school at Rahway, N. J. He m. Dec. 18, 1873, Helen ("Nelly") Louise Woodruff, b. Aug. 12, 1852 (dau. of John Woodruff of Rahway and Joanna Randolph Rowland).

7402. v. Celia Adelaide Dwight, b. at Medway, Sept. 3, 1846, m. Dec. 27, 1870, Joseph Baxter Thomas of N. Weymouth, Mass., a dry-goods merchant in Boston.

7403. vi. Ellen Seabury Dwight, b. there Oct. 7, 1848, resides unmarried at Medway.

[Seventh Generation.]

7375. vi. Priscilla Dwight (dau. of John Dwight of Shirley and Susanna Harris), b. May 31, 1782. m. Jan. 2, 1810, Sherebiah Cowdery, b. in Ashby, Mass., Jan 2, 1782 (son of Thomas Cowdery, b. in Reading, Mass. and Lydia Evans, b. in Woburn, Mass.). He was a carpenter and joiner in Westmoreland, N. H., where he d. May 17, 1866, aet. 84. She d. Jan. 20, 1868, aet. 86.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7404. i. John Cowdery, b. in Ashby, Sept. 29, 1810.

7405. ii. Philenia Cowdery, b. April 16, 1813, resides unmarried in Westmoreland, N. H.

7406. iii. Sherebiah Cowdery, b. Dec. 28, 1815, d. July 7, 1816.

7407. iv. Albert Cowdery, b. Feb. 24, 1818, m. Sept. 1842, Caroline Holt of Weston, without issue. He was a carpenter and joiner at Weston, Vt., where he d. April 24, 1846. His widow removed to Boston, Mass. She d. June 13, 1854.

7408. v. George Washington Cowdery, b. July 3, 1821.

7409. vi. James Monroe Cowdery, b. Dec. 31, 1825.

7404. i. John Cowdery, b. Sept. 29, 1810, is a tinsmith in Westmoreland, N. H. He m. May 25, 1835, Amanda Goddard of Royalton, Vt., b. Jan. 11, 1809 (dau. of Henry Goddard, b. March 5, 1778. and Anne Davis, b. Oct. 12, 1776, both of Royalton.

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7410. i. Henry Francis Cowdery, b. Nov. 12, 1837, a farmer in Westmoreland, m. May 8, 1860, Lois Aldrich Knight. One child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Fred. Henry Cowdery, b. Oct. 24, 1869.

7411. ii. Mary Ann Cowdery, b. Sept. 10, 1842, m. June 6, 1865,



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Joseph Henry Brown, b. in Cambridge, Mass., March 17, 1839, a tradesman in Cambridgeport, Mass. They had a child:

\*\*\*\* 1. Major John Brown, b. June 11 and d. June 13, 1871.

[Eighth Generation.]

7408. v. George Washington Cowdery (son of Sherebiah Cowdery and Priscilla Dwight), b. July 3, 1821, a carpenter and joiner at Walpole, N. H., m. Oct. 6, 1845, Fanny Sabin of Westmoreland, N. H., b. Dec. 29, 1818 (dau. of Elisha Sabin, b. in Amherst, Mass., in 1770, and d. July 10, 1863, and Lydia Davenport, b. in Dummerston, Vt., Nov. 14, 1783, and d. April 6, 1866). She d. March 1, 1862, aet. 43, and he m. for 2d wife, Sept. 4, 1862, Salina Putnam, b. in Springfield, Vt., Sept. 13, 1835 (dau. of George Putnam, a wheelwright, b. in Springfield, Vt., and Salina Thayer of Rockingham, Vt.).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

*By first wife:*

7412. i. George Cowdery, b. June 19, 1847, d. July 4, 1847.

7413. ii. Charles Cowdery, b. March 22, 1849, d. June 29, 1849.

[Eighth Generation.]

7409. vi. James Monroe Cowdery (son of Sherebiah Cowdery and Priscilla Dwight), b. Dec. 31, 1825, a carpenter and joiner in Westmoreland, N. H., m. Sept. 26, 1854, Elmina Elizabeth Bemis, b. in Chesterfield, N. H., Feb. 11, 1836 (dau. of Daniel Bemis, b. in 1787 and Polly Sawin, b. in 1795).

[Ninth Generation.] Children:

7414. i. Stella Elmina Cowdery, b. Jan. 15, 1856, m. Nov. 9, 1872, Thomas B. Bemis.

7415. ii. James Washington Cowdery, b. July 3, 1857.

7416. iii. Dwight Bemis Cowdery, b. Aug. 3, 1860, d. Feb. 11, 1861.

7417. iv. Fanny Priscilla Cowdery, b. March 9, 1862.

7418. v. George Daniel Sherebiah Cowdery, b. July 29, 1864.

[Seventh Generation.]

7376. vii. Pammilla Dwight (dau. of John Dwight of Shirley, Mass., and Susanna Harris), b. April 22, 1784, m. Jan. 1, 1805, David Parker of Shirley. She d. Dec. 1861, aet. 77: he d. July 1873.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7419. i. Leonard M. Parker, who m. Jan. 7, 1829, Paulina Thwing. He is a resident of Shirley.

7420. ii. Pammilla Parker, b. June 16, 1807, m. Dec. 11, 1832, Jeremiah C. Hartwell.

7421. iii. Catharine Parker, b. Nov. 22, 1808, m. in 1837 Gilman Roby of Dunstable. She was killed by lightning.

7422. iv. David Parker, b. April 23, 1811, m. Nov. 12, 1835, Eleanor Wetherbee. He is a resident of Lancaster, Mass.

7423. v. Loring Parker, b. July 24, 1813, m. 1858, Pammilla Lawrence. He resides in Shirley.

7424. vi. Harriet Parker, b. Feb. 23, 1816.

7425. vii. George Parker, b. Aug. 29, 1819, resides unmarried at Shirley.

7426. viii. Daniel Parker, b. Jan. 3, 1821, d. Dec. 30, 1825.

7427. ix. Jane Parker, b. July 29, 1824, d. Jan. 7, 1825.

7428. x. Henry Parker, b. about 1826, d. young.

[Seventh Generation.]

7377. viii. Col. Sullivan Dwight (son of John Dwight and Susanna Harris), b. March 29, 1785, removed about 1810 to Thomaston, Me. He m. Aug. 18, 1820, Betsey Marsh of Bath, Me., b. Jan. 21, 1793 (dau. of Caleb Marsh and Rebecca Manning). He was a marble-worker and manufacturer, and colonel of militia. He d. of consumption June 12, 1853. He was a man much respected by all who knew him. She d. at Brooklyn, N. Y., May 22, 1858, aet. 65, and was interred at Thomaston.

[Eighth Generation.] Children:

7429. i. Caroline Fluker Knox Dwight, b. Dec. 12, 1821, m. Edward Calvin Selden, b. at Norridgewock, March 28, 1818 (son of Calvin Selden and ——— Sawtelle). He was a resident at Thomaston. She d. Aug. 24, 1854: he d. April 3, 1862. Had one child:

7430. 1. Edward Dwight Selden, who lived, after their decease, at Portland, Me., with relatives.

7431. ii. Henrietta Larkin Marsh Dwight, b. March 1823, d. of consumption, March 31, 1843, aet. 20.

7432. iii. Francis Sullivan Dwight, b. March 21, 1825, d. of consumption, June 2, 1842, aet. 17.

7433. iv. Helen Maria Dwight, b. Aug. 6, 1830, d. of consumption Feb. 21, 1845, aet. 14.

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The whole number of descendants of Michael Dwight of Dedham, here recorded is (with the Shirley Dwights) 796.

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| I. Those regularly enumerated.....                     | 606 |
| II. Those added afterwards, and therefore starred..... | 103 |
| III. The Shirley Dwights.....                          | 87  |

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796

The entire number of Dwights presented in these pages as the progeny of John Dwight of Dedham, Mass., is 8,105.

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| I. The descendants of Nathaniel Dwight of Northampton.  | 3,050 |
| II. Those of Rev. Josiah Dwight of Woodstock, Ct.....   | 1,450 |
| III. Those of Capt. Henry Dwight of Hatfield, Mass..... | 2,809 |
| IV. Those of Michael Dwight of Dedham, etc.....         | 796   |

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Total..... 8,105

Add to the above number of lineal descendants  $\frac{2}{3}$ ths of the whole as the number of persons added to the family by marriage, and we have in these pages the names of some 11,000 or more of the family.

FAMILIES THAT BEAR THE NAME DWIGHT, WITHOUT  
ANY RIGHT TO IT BY BLOOD.

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I.

THAT OF WILLIAM MONK DWIGHT (ORIGINALLY WILLIAM DWIGHT  
MONK), M.D., OF BERNARDSTON, MASS.

He was made Dwight in name at his own request, by act of the Mass. Legislature in 1845, and apparently for no other reason than as a matter of taste.

The following letter from himself concerning the matter is of sufficient interest to deserve a place here :

“DEAR SIR :

“In reply to your letter of inquiry concerning my connection with the Dwight Family, I must say that I have not that honor. I bear the name by act of legislature, through the wishes of friends of that name residing in Berkshire Co., of this State.

“I fear that I shall be betrayed into egotism, which I thoroughly abhor ; but if you will please excuse me, I will answer your questions as follows : My name was William Dwight Monk ; place of birth, Windsor, Mass. ; date, Jan. 7, 1822 ; names of parents, George and Amy Monk. I was prepared to enter college, but was obliged to abandon it on account of the failure of my health. I received my medical diploma at Pittsfield, Mass., in 1843, and spent the following year in The City Hospital in New York. My name was changed by the Mass. Legislature during the winter session of 1845-6. The reason of the change was the urgent solicitation of friends, as I before stated, and not because I was ashamed of the name ; for (and now for the egotism) I am a lineal descendant of the old cavalier who marched his army from Scotland for the restoration of Charles 2d, and I suppose that the present Governor General of Canada is a relative. I married Aug. 9, 1846, Helen Mary Clarke, b. in 1820 (dau. of Rev. Eber L. Clarke, Cong. clergyman at Richmond, Mass., and Mary Starkweather) b. at Feeding Hills, Ct. She was a teacher at Mr. Wellington Tyler's school at Pittsfield, Mass., for three years (1843-6).

“I was appointed postmaster at Bernardston in 1861, and still hold the office, as also for 14 years past I have held a commission as justice of the peace. I was, during the late war, the enrolling officer for this and another town in this vicinity, and examining surgeon for this and other towns near here. I am also Secretary and Treasurer of ‘The Franklin District Med. Society,’ and have held the office for 4 years past. I believe that this constitutes my history to the present time. Make what use of it you choose.



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"The names of our children are :

"i. Mary Evelyn Dwight, b. in Deerfield, Mass., June 28, 1851. [To which the writer adds that she m. in 1873, Edward Henry Perkins, a banker in Hartford, Ct. (son of Henry Augustus Perkins of that place) ].

"ii. William George Dwight, b. in Bernardston, Sept. 21, 1859.

"I am very respectfully and truly yours,

WILLIAM DWIGHT.

"BERNARDSTON, Dec. 4, 1866.

"P. S. I forgot to mention in its proper place, that I am Prest. and Librarian of 'The Cushman Library' in this town, a library founded by Hon. H. W. Cushman, who built a large two-storied fire-proof building for the town, and made provision in his will for the future prosperity of the library. It contains at present, 2,000 volumes, with a fund which will purchase about 200 additional volumes each year. It is a free library."

In a subsequent letter he states that "it was for pecuniary reasons that he changed his name." He recd. the degree of A.M. from Amherst Coll., in 1866.

### II.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF SERENO DWIGHT OF IRA, N. Y.

This very respectable family has abundant means of information in its own possession, as known to the writer, for being sure that it has no historical connection with the descendants of John Dwight of Dedham, Mass. Its first progenitor bearing the name Dwight, was Sereno Dwight himself of Ira; and how this name came to be given to him by his parents, or what was the previous family-name, does not appear. Their family-record is placed here as a mere matter of personal good will. They will at any rate bear down with us to future times our family name, and let them see that they honor it by their own noble lives. He was b. at Tyringham, Mass. (now Monterey), Dec. 10, 1773. His mother was Elizabeth Wheelock, dau. of Samuel Wheelock, Jr., of Tyringham (b. in Mendon, Mass.), and Hannah Amidon. She d. at Aurelius, N. Y., in 1820, aet. 60. He m. Jan. 27, 1796, Hannah Benedict, b. Sept. 15, 1773 (dau. of Lt. Abel Benedict of Gt. Barrington, Mass., and Hannah, dau. of Hezekiah Benedict). She was the mother of all his children. She d. in Ira, Nov. 17, 1837, and he m. for 2d wife, Oct. 26, 1848, widow Mary Fowler Canfield, *née* Marcy b. at Otis, Mass., April 18, 1798 (dau. of Lawton and Helpa Rosetta Marcy), she has lived since his death at Collinsville, Ct.

Sereno Dwight of Ira, was a farmer and tanner at Monterey, Mass., previously to 1809, when he became a farmer at Homer, N. Y. He removed about 1814 to Scipio, N. Y., and afterwards to Ira, N. Y., where he spent most of his subsequent life. He was an active member of the Methodist Ch. and much respected as a man of thorough uprightness and honor. He d. at Lysander, N. Y., Sept. 11, 1857, aet. 83.

#### Second Generation. Children:

2. i. Samuel Benedict Dwight, b. at Tyringham, March 22, 1797, d. Oct. 21, 1816, at Lysander, N. Y.

3. ii. Hiram Dwight, b. there Oct. 6, 1799, d. (at what time not ascertained).

4. iii. Eliza Dwight, b. there July 21, 1801, m. Andrew B. Squier.

5. iv. Abel Benedict Dwight, b. there Sept. 8, 1804.

6. v. Isaac Dwight, b. at Homer, N. Y., May 14, 1809.

7. vi. Alanson Dwight, b. there March 25, 1812.

8. vii. Almon Dwight, b. in Scipio, Cayuga Co., N. Y., Aug. 23, 1814.

3. ii. Hiram Dwight (son of Sereno and Hannah Dwight), b. Oct. 6, 1799, was a housebuilder and architect for several years in New York City, and is said to have constructed several of its finest buildings. He m. in 1822 Melinda Graves of Ira, N. Y. He d. in New Orleans, La. (date not given). He had 3 children:

1. Lafayette Dwight, who d. in New Orleans, about 1856. 2, Melinda Eliza Dwight. 3, Hannah Maria Dwight.

#### Second Generation :

4. iii. Eliza Dwight (dau. of Sereno Dwight and Hannah Benedict), b. July 21, 1801, m. Nov. 12, 1820, Andrew Brown Squier, b. Aug. 17, 1794 (son of Andrew Squier and Lydia Durkee). He was a farmer in Sherman, Mich., where he d. April 17, 1863. She resides in Muskegon, Mich.

#### Third Generation. Children :

9. i. Fanny Ann Squier, b. Jan. 3, 1824, m. April 14, 1840, Zechariah Umstead, a blacksmith in Homer, Mich. She d. Oct. 2, 1841.

10. ii. Andrew D. Squier, b. April 2, 1832, a farmer in Cedar Creek, Mich., m. June 20, 1838, Susan H. Milsee. Children :

11. 1. A child b. in 1838, that d. soon.

12. 2. Ella Jane Squier, b. in 1862.

13. iii. Hannah Maria Squier, b. March 26, 1834, d. Aug. 26, 1834.

14. iv. Benjamin Franklin Squier, b. Dec. 4, 1835, d. March 30, 1837.

#### Second Generation :

5. iv. Abel Benedict Dwight (son of Sereno Dwight and Hannah Benedict), b. Sept. 8, 1804, was a cabinet-maker. He m. in 1823, Fanny Parish of Van Buren, Onondaga Co., N. Y. (dau. of David Parish and Charlotte Bramer). She d. at Van Buren. He d. at New Orleans, La.

#### Third Generation. Children :

15. i. Charlotte Dwight, b. Nov. 4, 1824, m. Anderson Poor.

16. ii. Emily Dwight, b. about 1827, m. Augustus N. Herrick of Dunkirk, N. Y.

15. i. Charlotte Dwight (dau. of Abel B. Dwight), b. Nov. 4, 1824, m. about 1843, Anderson Poor, b. Aug. 13, 1819 (son of Edward and Sarah Poor of Guilford Co., N. C.), a farmer in Valparaiso, Ind.

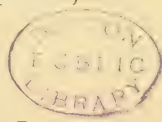
#### Fourth Generation. Children :

17. i. Emily Louisa Poor, b. May 18, 1844.

18. ii. Morris Poor, b. Sept. 10, 1846.

19. iii. Mary Ann Poor, b. Jan. 4, 1848.

20. iv. Frances Amelia Poor, b. April 8, 1850, d. June, 1866.



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- 21. v. Lafayette Dwight Poor, b. June 11, 1852.
- 22. vi. Margaret Elizabeth Poor, b. June 26, 1857.
- 23. vii. Edward Egbert Poor, b. Feb. 22, 1865.

### Second Generation.

6. v. Isaac Dwight (son of Sereno Dwight and Hannah Benedict), b. at Homer, N. Y., May 14, 1809, m. Feb. 19, 1834, Elizabeth C. Hardenbergh of Conquest, N. Y. (dau. of John and Jane Hardenbergh). He has been a farmer near Jefferson City, Mo., since 1857. From 1850 to 1857 he resided at Fulton, N. Y., for the sake of there educating his children. He has long been a member of the Methodist Church, and has held many official positions in it. His son writes of him with honest pride "as a most honorable and upright man in his dealings," and adds that "this trait seems in truth to be inseparable from our family throughout its whole lineage, and I am not aware of a single exceptionable transaction ever having occurred in the history of it."

[John Hardenbergh is the descendant of a noble German family of that name, now represented in Germany by the Baron Hardenbergh. He had 9 children: William, John, Solomon, Margaret, Catharine Elizabeth, Jane, Elsie, Ann and Deborah.]

### Third Generation. Children :

24. i. Sereno Benedict Dwight, b. at Ira, N. Y., July 11, 1837, enlisted in the 10th Missouri Cavalry, for the war, in which he remained for 3 years. He and his brother Francis, in the same regiment, had the reputation of being two of the best and bravest soldiers in the regiment.

25. ii. Jane Hardenbergh Dwight, b. at Ira, Jan. 30, 1840.

26. iii. John Hardenbergh Dwight, b. at Ledyard, Cayuga Co., N. Y., March 21, 1841, enlisted at Hudson, Mich., where he then resided, in Co. C, First Regt. U. S. Sharpshooters, Col. Berdan. After 6 months' service he was transferred to the U. S. Military Telegraph Corps, under the War Department, in which he remained until May, 1865, when he was assigned to duty at the summer residence of Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, Sec'y of War, near Washington, D. C., and became one of his family. He was, while with his Regt., in the battle of Fredericksburgh, Va.

He has been since 1858 a telegraph operator. His residence has been for a few years past (1867-71) Leavenworth, Kansas. Since July, 1871, he has been connected with the Western Union Telegraph Co., in New York, and is the chief manager now (1873) of the night-department of that company there.

He has been a large contributor of the facts here detailed concerning the descendants of Sereno Dwight of Ira, N. Y.

27. iv. Francis Asbury Dwight, b. in Ledyard, N. Y., Aug. 25, 1842, was a soldier in the late war, in the 10th Mich. Cavalry, for 3 years. The 3 brothers returned from their 3 years' service with not a scratch upon their persons from the sword of the enemy.

28. v. Isaac Alanson Dwight, b. in Geneva, N. Y., Sept. 1, 1846.

### Second Generation.

7. vi. Alanson Dwight (son of Sereno Dwight and Hannah Bene-

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diet), b. at Homer, N. Y., March 25, 1812, m. Harriet E. Reynolds of Auburn, N. Y., b. May 11, 1819 (dau. of Henry Reynolds, b. July 2, 1785, and Lydia Russell, b. Aug. 11, 1787). He has been long and largely engaged in the hide and leather trade in Chicago, Ill. (since 1844).

### Third Generation. Children :

29. i. William Benedict Dwight, b. in Auburn, N. Y., April 28, 1840, engaged in mining in California.

30. ii. James Henry Dwight, b. April 7, 1842, d. in Auburn, Oct. 5, 1843.

31. iii. Lydia Eliza Dwight, b. in Chicago, Ill., Aug. 17, 1844, m. Jan. 16, 1866, Henry A. Smith of Cleveland, O., a boot and shoe dealer in Lincoln, Ill.

32. iv. Lucia Ellen Dwight, b. there Jan. 6, 1848, d. March 11, 1866, aet. 18.

33. v. Henry Smith Dwight, b. Jan. 30, 1854, in Chicago.

### Second Generation.

8. vii. Almon Dwight (son. of Sereno Dwight and Hannah Benedict), b. in Scipio, N. Y., Aug. 23, 1814, m. May 1, 1843, Cyria White of Auburn, N. Y., b. at Venice, N. Y., May 8, 1817 (dau. of Lawrence White and Cyria Charge, an English lady). He is a cabinet-maker by trade. He adopted some years since the Millerite doctrines. About 1857 he went to Philadelphia, and there joined a party formed for the purpose of establishing an industrial school in Jerusalem, in the Holy Land. He had charge of the mechanical department of the school, and was in Jerusalem about 4 years. While there he visited many places of historical notoriety on the coasts of the Mediterranean. He accomplished a feat also which was probably never accomplished before. A conduit was made in the days of King Solomon, under the city, connecting the Pool of the Virgins with that of Siloam, being about half a mile in length, and dug for a great part of the way through solid rock. This subterranean passage, unknown for ages, he explored from end to end, although so narrow in some parts as not to allow the passage of his body without great exertion. For most of the way he had to struggle through on his hands and knees—guiding himself by the little stream of water flowing beneath him. The natives, ignorant of any such hidden passage, were greatly amazed at seeing him emerge unharmed at the Pool of Siloam. He has resided since his return at Lawrence, Kansas. Mrs. Cyria Dwight's residence has been for years in Auburn.

### Third Generation. Children :

34. i. Cornelius Wyckoff Dwight, b. Dec. 24, 1844, d. Dec. 7, 1847.

35. ii. Theodore Frelinghuysen Dwight, b. at Auburn, N. Y., June 11, 1846, was for some years a clerk in a wholesale saddlery and hardware house in Auburn, N. Y., and afterwards (1867–71) was a clerk in San Francisco, and active in the Y. M. C. Association of that city. Since 1871 he has been a clerk in the book store of G. P. Putnam & Sons, New York.



SPORADIC INSTANCES OF THE NAME, FOR WHICH THE AUTHOR KNOWS  
NOT HOW TO ACCOUNT.

## I.

*New York.*

1. Stephen Dwight, a carver in New York, who m. Sept. 21, 1757, Martha Glover. He had at any rate two children :

(1.) Ann Dwight, b. Sept. 5, 1759. Her birth is recorded among the baptisms of the First Presb. Ch., of New York.

(2.) Ann Hadden Dwight, b. Dec. 30, 1761.

2. Joseph Dwight, a mariner, whose home was in New York, and who m. Feb. 9, 1760, Margaret Peterson.

## II.

*Pennsylvania.*

Jasper Dwight. In the N. Y. Hist. Soc. Lib. there is, according to the catalogue, somewhere among its archives, a pamphlet thus described on one of its pages : "Dwight Jasper, a letter to George Washington, Prest. U. S.; containing strictures on his address of Sept. 17, 1796, notifying his relinquishment of the Presidential office, 8 vo, pp. 48, Philad., 1796." The writer has several times sought for this pamphlet; but the librarian has hitherto been unable to show it to him. The name is probably an assumed one; or it may be wrongly recorded for Dwight Jasper (as the last name), among the Dwights.

## III.

*New Hampshire.*

Cyrus Dwight (son of Henry Dwight) of Raymond, N. H., was a soldier in the last war. He knows nothing of his pedigree. The family to which he belongs is described as of small means and little culture.

There is no gap known to exist anywhere in the records of the Dwight Family in this country, that this N. H. family has any chance to fill.

## IV.

*Massachusetts.*

## A Boston Family (so-called).

The writer met, Dec. 13, 1873, at Clinton, N. Y., a young man calling himself Edward Dwight, acting as ticket-man at an exhibition given there at the time. He had, he said, a brother William Dwight, a confectioner, in New York.

His father was Henry Isaiah Dwight, a speculator in iron in New York some years since; and his mother, still living, was, before marriage, Margaret Houston. His father died a few years since.

His grandfather Harry Dwight of Boston, a coal dealer, had sons, beside *Henry Isaiah*, named James, who lived in Utica, and was a peddler of tinware, and d. in the late war; George, a lawyer in Boston, who d. of consumption, and Edward.

The writer took his address, and wrote him for further facts, which he had promised to give, but has heard nothing in reply, and knows not what historical importance to attach to the statements made. He believes that they are of little such value at the best.

BRIEF


COLLATERAL GENEALOGIES

OF A

FEW CONNECTED FAMILIES.

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Most of the matter here furnished appears  
now for the first time ;  
or,  
if having  
appeared before in  
print, it came from the  
hands of the author,  
and in not so com-  
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The Families here presented are eleven in number : Stoddard, Edwards, Hooker, Pierpont, Gelston, Woodbridge, Woolsey, Sherman, Breed, Tallmadge and De Forest.

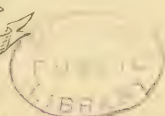
A special feature of this work, and of "The History of the Strong Family," peculiar to themselves, is the incorporation with the text of each of them of a large number of brief collateral genealogies of many connected families. These have generally involved, each of them, a good deal of continued and careful research. They are offered here as tokens of thorough good-will to the many associated families to which they pertain.

They will thus have always at hand the outlines of their family-history in other directions than their Dwight lineage alone, and sufficient hints in them of the directions in which to enlarge, at will, their acquaintance with the lives and fortunes of their sires.

No narrow ideas were allowed to stint the contributions designed to be made in this work to the historical gratifications of its readers.

To the many scores of collateral genealogical sketches scattered throughout the body of this work, the special collection here grouped together is superadded, as a free gift to its possessors, at no one's cost but the author's. The direct outlay by him of two hundred dollars and more, needful for putting it into print in this work, he considers balanced by the pleasure of its preparation, alike, and of its permanent preservation.

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THE COAT OF ARMES OF THE ANTIENT FAMILY OF STODDARD, OF LONDON.

SA. 3, ESTOILES AND A BORDURE GU, CREST OUT A DUCAL CORONET A DEMI-HORSE SALIENT, ERM.

MOTTO :—*Festina Lente.* Be in haste, but not in a hurry.



## THE STODDARD FAMILY.

Concerning the origin of the name and family of Stoddard, there is the tradition, that the first of the family in England, came from Normandy, A. D. 1066, with WILLIAM the Conqueror, and was his relative—that he was standard-bearer to the Viscomte de Pulesdon, a noble Norman, who bore for arms three silver stars on a sable ground. The name is derived from the office of standard-bearer, and was anciently written De La Standard. This office conferred a high rank upon its occupant, and was generally given to a near relative, in whose family it frequently became hereditary. The Office of Heraldry in England confirms the above tradition by giving to the “coat of arms” of the Stoddard Family a very ancient date. This coat of arms is occasionally found joined with that of other families with whom they have intermarried. This is the case in England, Scotland and Ireland, in each of which they had residence. Those families in this country, bearing the name Stoddard, Stoddart, and Stodart, and each claiming the same “coat of arms,” are, so far as is known, from England and Scotland.

When the family emigrated to Scotland is not known, but they have possessed estates in Selkirkshire and elsewhere for above three hundred years.

The manor of Tickenhurst (in Northborne, County of Kent) became the property of the Stoddards about 1430, and so continued till about 1600. The Hamlet of Mottingham, in the Parish of Eltham (County of Kent), about seven miles from London Bridge, also contains a family estate of about 400 acres. This estate came into the family about or before 1490, and so continued till the death of Nicholas Stoddard, a bachelor, in the year 1765. On this estate, in 1560, George Stoddard and Anne, his wife, built the mansion-house called Mottingham Place. In the glass of the old mansion is the date 1560; and also in the glass is the following “coat of arms,” probably belonging to the family of the wife: “Argent, a mullet pierced, sable, on a chief, embattled sable, two mullets pierced, argent, party per chevron embattled, sable and argent, three mullets pierced and counterchanged.” There are also several other residences found. Thomas, William and John Stoddard were each a resident of Royston. John Stoddard was a resident of Grindon; Anthony, Gideon, Anthony, William and Anthony Stoddard, each of different date, were residents of London.

Anthony Stoddard, last above named, and of the Mottingham family, emigrated to Boston, Mass., about 1639. Many of his descendants have honorable mention in their connection with the families of this Genealogy.

An extended genealogy of Anthony Stoddard of Boston, (1639–1873), and his descendants, both sons and daughters, was published in Nov. 1873, by Rev. E. W. Stoddard of Succasunna, Morris Co., N. J. He also published at the same time Genealogies of John Stoddard of Wethersfield, Conn., 1643–1873; and of Ralph Stoddard of Groton, Conn., 1666–1873. He has also nearly ready for publication, John Stoddard of Hingham, Mass., 1638–1874, and Robert Stoddard of Groton, Conn., 1652–1874.

With what motives and for what ends the first generation of pilgrims came to the wild shores of the New World, is made manifest by the following letter, sent March 28, 1631, to the Countess of Lincoln, by Gov. Thomas Dudley of Mass., the ancestor of many whose names are found in these pages :

“ Having some leisure to discourse of the motives for other men’s coming to this place or their abstaining from it—after my brief manner, I say this : that if any come hither to plant for worldly ends, that can live well at home, he commits an error of which he will soon repent him ; but if for spiritual, he may find here what may well content him, viz., materials to build, fuel to burn, ground to plant, seas and rivers to fish in, a pure air to breathe in, and good water to drink till wine or beer can be made ; which, with the cows, hogs and goats brought hither already, may suffice for food. For clothes and bedding—they must bring them with them, till time and industry produce them here. In a word, we yet enjoy little to be envied, but endure much to be pitied, in the sickness and mortality of our people. If any godly men, out of religious ends, will come over to help us in the good work we are about, I think they cannot dispose of themselves or their estates more to God’s glory and the furtherance of their own reckoning. But they must not be of the poorer sort yet for divers years. And for profane and debauched persons, their oversight in coming hither is wondered at, where they shall find nothing to content them. If there be any endued with grace and favored with means to feed themselves and theirs for 18 months, and to build and plant, let them come into our Macedonia and help us, and not spend themselves and their estates in a less profitable employment. For others—I conceive they are not yet fitted for this business.”

Here was no self-seeking, no spirit of self-indulgence, no unholy greed for gold. How little was there to suggest the possibility of any such general breaking away from the religious moorings of a true life on earth, to the praise of God, as is largely prevalent among the descendants of those old Puritans in our day.

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When the author began, in 1861, to prepare the History of the Dwight Family, he laid out for himself, instinctively, a plan which should be equally comprehensive in its scope and complete in its details. His purpose was to traverse carefully all the records and traditions of the past which he could find, that in any decisive way illustrated the real development of the family in this country ; and to gather out of them for permanent preservation whatever was in itself and its relations worthy of being transmitted to posterity. As new collateral connections kept converging, one after another, in his long labor, on the final results of his investigations, he soon found himself engaged in floating down the stream of time a large flotilla of historic

alliances, so far as they served to illustrate effectively the great, main, genealogical adventure upon which he had entered.

He had pursued to a considerable extent both the Stoddard and Edwards genealogies, with the others which are here presented in more detail than they; but on finding that they were each already taken up zealously by other hands, and in a larger way than he had meditated for his purposes, he dropped them at once from all further plans of personal research. The history of the Stoddard Family has been published, in its general outlines on the masculine side of the house, by Rev. Elijah W. Stoddard of Succasunna, N. J. From this brief work much of the condensed account of the family here presented has been prepared. From Jonathan Edwards of New Haven and his son, who have been busy for several years in gathering what facts they can of Edwards family-history, the writer hopes to receive ere long, with many others, the welcome results of the long and wide research needful in such an undertaking.

## I.

## BRIEF OUTLINE OF THE STODDARD FAMILY IN ITS EARLIER RELATIONS AND CONNECTIONS.

The family name (originally De La Standard) is traceable directly back to William Stoddard, a knight who came from Normandy to England in 1066, with William the Conqueror, and was his cousin.

I. Anthony Stoddard, lineally descended from him, came from England to Boston about 1639. He was for 20 years a representative of Boston in the General Council (1665-84). He m. about 1642, Mary Downing, dau. of Hon. Emanuel Downing of Salem, Mass., and Lucy Winthrop, sister of Gov. John Winthrop of Mass. She d. in 1650-1, and he m. twice afterwards. By his three marriages he had 14 children (8 of them sons)—three by the first, two by the second, and nine by the last.

He d. March 16, 1686-7, aet. about 70. His three children by Lucy Downing were Rev. Solomon, Samson and Simeon.

II. Rev. Solomon Stoddard (son of Hon. Anthony Stoddard of Boston and Lucy Downing), b. Oct. 4, 1643, grad. at Harvard in 1662, was the first librarian of Harvard (1667-74). He was pastor at Northampton, Mass., for 57 years (1672-1729). He m. March 8, 1670, widow Esther Mather, *née* Warham, b. in 1644 (widow of Rev. Eleazer Mather, his predecessor at Northampton, and dau. of Rev. John Warham of Windsor, Ct.). He d. Feb. 11, 1729, aet. 85: she d. Feb. 10, 1736, aet. 92.

Prest. Edwards wrote thus of him in a letter to a friend in Scotland, July 1, 1751, from Stockbridge: "Mr. Stoddard, my grandfather, was a very great man, of strong powers of mind, of great grace and great authority, and of a masterly countenance, speech and behavior."

A letter written by Mrs. Esther Stoddard, 170 years ago, to her daughter, Mrs. Esther Edwards, at E. Windsor, just after the birth of her son Jonathan (b. Oct. 5, 1703), has recently come to light and been given to the public by its possessor, Rev. H. C. Hovey of Florence, Mass. It is as follows:

NORTHAMPTON, Dec. 7th, 1703.

DEAR DAUGHTER:—God be thanked for your safe delivery, and raising you up to health again. We are under mixt dispensations; we have a great deal of mercy, and we have smart afflictions. Eliakim is not, and Eunice is not, and it hath pleased God to take away your dear brother Israel, also, who was taken by ye enemy and carried to a place called Brest, in France, and being ready to be transported into England, was taken sick of a fever and died there, as we understand by a letter from the crews-master of the ship, now in London. It is a heavy stroak to us, aded to ye former, and we, David-like, mourn every day. I had not done mourning for ye former, but God hath added grief to my sorrow. What shall I say? It becomes me, Aaron-like, to hold my peace. God grant yt I may, with Job, come as gold out of the fire, when I have been tried. I hope you and ye rest of my children will learn by these awful stroaks so to number your days as to apply your hearts to wisdom. We see by these instances yt our days may be very few here, and when and how we shall be taken out of this world, God only knows. Therefore we had need to be ready, seeing we know not what hour our Lord will come. Ye time is short, and it may be very short to us yt remains, as was to your sister and brother. One day made a great change in my dear daughter's condition. Son Williams is satisfied yt she is now in glory, as you may see by the letter which I now send you, which, when you have perused, I would have you let your sister Mix read and enclose it in a paper, and send to my son Warham, with ye news of my grandson, Steven Williams, arriving safe with some other captives at Boston. But I must be short, least I should miss of an opportunity of sending this. I bid you farewell, and subscribe myself as your sorrowful mother.

ESTHER STODDARD.

P.S.—I would have sent you half a thousand of pins and a porringer of marmalat, if I had an opportunity. If any of your town come up, and would call here, I would send it. Give my love to son Edwards and your children.

III.—Solomon Stoddard had twelve children:

1. Mary Stoddard, b. Jan. 9, 1761, who m. Oct. 2, 1695, Rev. Stephen Mix, grad. at Harvard in 1690, settled at Wethersfield, Ct. Six children.

2. Esther Stoddard, b. June 2, 1672, m. Nov. 6, 1694, Rev. Timothy Edwards, b. May 14, 1669, grad. at Harvard in 1691; pastor at E. Windsor, Ct., for 64 years, and d. there Jan. 27, 1758, aet. 89. She d. Jan. 19, 1771, aet. 98. See Edwards' lineage, on subsequent page.

3, 4, 5. Three—Samuel, Anthony and Aaron, b. and. d. within  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years (1674–6).

6. Christian Stoddard, b. Aug. 23, 1676, m. as his 2d wife, about 1718, Rev. William Williams, b. Feb. 2, 1665 (son of Isaac Williams of Newtown, Mass., and Martha Peck), grad. at Harvard in 1683, settled at Hatfield, Mass., 55 years (1685–1740). He d. Aug. 29, 1741, aet. 75. She d. April 23, 1764, aet. 87. Four children.

7. Anthony Stoddard, b. Aug. 9, 1678, d. Sept. 6, 1760, aet. 82. He was grad. at Harvard in 1697, and was pastor at Woodbury, Ct., 60 years (1700–60). He m. Oct. 20, 1700, Prudence Wells of Wethers-



field, Ct. (dau. of Capt. Robert Wells and Elizabeth Goodrich). She d. May 1714, and he m. May 31, 1715, for 2d wife, Mary Sherman, bapt. March, 1691 (dau. of Dea. John and Elizabeth Sherman of Woodbury). She d. Jan. 12, 1720, without issue. He had 11 children by his first marriage, seven of them sons.

8. Sarah Stoddard, b. April 1, 1680, m. March 19, 1707, Rev. Samuel Whitman, grad. at Harvard in 1696, pastor at Farmington, Ct. He d. in 1751, aet. about 73. Five children.

9. Col. John Stoddard, b. Feb. 17, 1682, grad. at Harvard in 1701, m. Dec. 13, 1731, Prudence Chester of Wethersfield, Ct., b. March 4, 1699 (dau. of Major John Chester and Hannah Talcott, dau. of Hon. Samuel Talcott of that place). He was a lawyer at Northampton, Colonel of a regiment, Judge of probate, Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, one of the Gov.'s council, etc. He was a man of very superior intellect, high character and large wealth. He d. June 19, 1748, aet. 66. His inventory was nearly \$180,000, viz.: real estate, £18,238; personal estate, £17,194. His gold watch, the first one had at Northampton, was appraised at £150. She d. Sept. 11, 1780, aet. 81.

10. Israel Stoddard, b. April 10, 1684, d. in Brest, France, in 1703, aet. 19, a prisoner of war.

11. Rebecca Stoddard, b. in 1686, m. Nov. 16, 1722, Lt. Joseph Hawley of Northampton (son of Capt. Joseph Hawley). They were the parents of Major Joseph Hawley, the cousin of Prest. Edwards, who was so active at first in persecuting him, and afterwards so penitent about his great misconduct in the matter. He m. Mercy Lyman of Northampton, without issue. He had a brother, Elisha, who was killed in battle at Lake George in 1755. As they both died childless, this branch of the family became by their death extinct.

12. Hannah Stoddard, b. April 21, 1688, m. about 1712, Rev. William Williams, b. May 11, 1688 (son of Rev. William Williams of Hatfield, Mass., and Eliza Cotton, his first wife, dau. of Rev. Seaborn Cotton of Hampton, N. H.), grad. at Harvard in 1705, pastor at Weston, Mass. (1709-50) for 41 years. He d. March 6, 1762, aet. 72. She d. Dec. 29, 1745, aet. 57. They had 9 children.

[Rev. John Warham, the father of Mrs. Solomon Stoddard, was too noteworthy a man, in his life and history, not to deserve continued remembrance among his many descendants. He was eminent as a minister in England, and came over to this country as the pastor and head of a religious colony in 1630-1, arriving at Nantasket May 30, and in June beginning a settlement at Dorchester. In 1636 the mass of the Dorchester colonists, with accessions from Newtown (Cambridge) and Watertown, about 100 in all, went through the wilderness in the summer, on a slow march of 14 days, singing and praying as they went, and began, at what is now Windsor, the first white settlement in Connecticut. Thither Mr. Warham soon followed them as their pastor, and was their faithful under-shepherd there for nearly 34 years (Sept. 1636—April, 1670), as he had been at Dorchester for 5 years and more, previously. Rev. John Maverick was settled with him, as colleague at Dorchester, who d. at Boston, Feb. 3, 1635-6. Rev. Ephraim (Huit or) Hewett of Wraxall, Eng., "a man of superior talents and eminent usefulness," who d. at Windsor, Sept. 4, 1644, was his colleague for a few years (1639-44) at Windsor. He d. April 1,

1670. Whether he had other children than his dau. Esther (Mrs. Stoddard) the writer has not discovered, but believes that he had. Rev. Nathl. Chauncey, afterwards of Hatfield, Mass., was his colleague in his last years, and successor at Windsor (1666-78). See *Hist. of Strong Family*, p. 1280. He was a vigorous preacher, and was the first one that preached with notes in New England. He was the first one also in the land who admitted members into the church on the half-way covenant (Jan. 31, 1657)—holding that the children of believers were, as such, at their very birth, members of the visible church, and that the church of God on earth consisted in its constitution of a mixed people, godly and ungodly. In the history of the opinions and preaching of these three men, related to each other as father-in-law, son and grandson, John Warham, Solomon Stoddard and Jonathan Edwards—in a close circuit surely, both of relationship and of residence—the great controversy which shook all New England to its centre a century ago, had its historical beginning, middle and end. None of their many titled descendants in church and state have surpassed in wisdom, eloquence, grace and influence these untitled giants of the elder days of this then rude new world. John Warham was regarded by the whole colony of Connecticut as “the principal pillar and father of the colony,” so long as he lived. He was the victim frequently of most fearful attacks of physical and mental depression. ]

## II.

### EDWARDS LINEAGE IN ITS EARLIER GENERATIONS.

The Edwards family is of Welsh origin; and there is a tradition in the family that it existed in Wales previously to the conquest of that country by England, under Edward I., in 1282.

Rev. Richard Edwards, father of William Edwards, the settler, went from Wales to London in the reign of Queen Elizabeth (somewhere, probably, about 1580), and was settled there as a clergyman of the established church. His widow, Mrs. Anne Edwards, m. for a second husband a Mr. James Cole, who came with her and her son, William Edwards, about 1640, to America, and settled at Hartford, where she d. Feb. 20, 1679. He d. in 1652.

## I.

William Edwards, the settler, b. in London about 1620, was one of the first settlers of Hartford. He m. about 1645, widow Agnes Spencer. Her previous husband, William Spencer, was among the first settlers of Hartford (as early as 1638-9): he was in 1639 a selectman of the town, a deputy to the General Court, and one of a committee of three to prepare the first revisal of the laws for the infant colony in that same year. He d. the next year (1640). For a brief enumeration of some of his earlier descendants by his wife Agnes (afterwards Mrs. William Edwards), see “Goodwin’s Genealogical Notes, pp. 310-27. She became by her two marriages the mother of two noted American families, Spencer and Edwards. It would be a matter of real satisfaction to be able to learn who she was in her maidenhood, and what was her parentage. All honor to her memory as the mother of many noble men and women!

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She is said to have left two brothers behind her in England, both mayors of cities—one of Exeter, and the other of Barnstable.

### II.

William and Agnes Edwards had but one child only—Richard Edwards, b. May 1647. He was a merchant at Hartford (as probably his father was before him), and a man of standing. He m. Nov. 19, 1667, Elizabeth Tuthill, dau. of William and Elizabeth Tuthill of New Haven. She was the mother of 7 children, and d. about 1690. He m. for 2d wife, about 1692, Mary Talcott, b. in 1661 (dau. of Lt. Col. John Talcott of Hartford and Helena Wakeman, dau. of Rev. John Wakeman of New Haven). He d. April 20, 1718, aet. 71. She was the mother of six children, and d. aet. 62, April 19, 1723. His remains rest in the yard of the first church of Hartford.

Among the 7 children born to him by his first wife, his second child and only son was Rev. Timothy Edwards, of East Windsor, Ct.

### III.

Rev. Timothy Edwards, b. May, 14, 1669, grad. at Harvard in 1691, rec'd on the same day in that year (July 4), the degree of A.B., in the morning, and of A.M., in the afternoon—"an uncommon mark of respect paid to his extraordinary proficiency in learning." He was pastor for nearly 64 years at E. Windsor, Ct. (1694-1758), where he d. Jan. 27, 1758, aet. 88, having had a colleague (Rev. Joseph Perry) only from June 1755, less than 3 years before his death. He preached extempore until within a few years of his decease. He was 5 feet 10 inches in height, of a full figure and of fair complexion and very attentive to his personal appearance, and of polished manners. He had 11 children, all of them daughters but his one distinguished son, Jonathan. These all he himself fitted for college—giving to each of his daughters the same careful drill in Latin and other preparatory studies as to his son; and sending them one after the other to Boston, to finish their education, as he did him to Yale, to complete his. In his very quiet rural home at E. Windsor, he formed, and, with delighted zeal filled to the full, the moulds of the future intellectual and moral preëminence of his large and distinguished family. He d. Jan. 27, 1758, aet. 88.

He m. Nov. 6, 1694, Esther Stoddard, b. June 2, 1672, (dau. of Rev. Solomon Stoddard of Northampton and Esther Warham). She d. Jan. 19, 1771, aet. 98. She had strong mental faculties, high personal culture, and great religious attainments. She did not make a profession of religion publicly until 1716, when 44 years of age. Early piety did not abound then. They lived together in wedded life for the remarkable period of more than 63 years.

### IV.

Their eleven children were, in the order of their births, as follows:

i. Esther Edwards, b. Aug. 6, 1695, who m. June 28, 1727, Rev. Samuel Hopkins of W. Springfield, Mass., b. Dec. 27, 1693, (son of John and Hannah Hopkins, of Waterbury, Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1718. He d. Oct. 5, 1755, aet. 61. She d. June 17, 1766, aet. 71.



They had 4 children: *Timothy*; *Rev. Samuel, D.D.*, of Hadley, Mass.; *Hannah*, wife of Hon. John Worthington, LL.D., of Springfield, Mass.; and *Esther*, who d. in childhood.

ii. Elizabeth Edwards, b. April 14, 1697, m. June 30, 1724, Col. Jabez Huntington, of Windham, Ct., b. Jan. 26, 1691 (son of Dea. Christopher Huntington, of Norwich, Ct., and Sarah Adgate). She d. Sept. 21, 1733, aet. 36. He m. again. See Huntington Genealogy. He d. Sept. 26, 1752, aet. 60. They had 4 children: *Elizabeth*, who m. Abraham Davenport, of Stamford, Ct.; *Sarah*, who m. Hezekiah Wetmore, and for a 2d husband Samuel Beers; *Tryphena*, who d. early; and Jerusha, who m. Dr. John Clark, of Lebanon, Ct.

iii. Ann Edwards, b. April 28, 1699, who m. May 8, 1734, Capt. John Ellsworth, a wealthy farmer of E. Windsor, b. Nov. 7, 1697 (son of Lt. John Ellsworth, of Ellington, Ct., and Esther White). He d. Jan. 4, 1784, aet. 86. She d. April 11, 1790, aet. 91. They had 4 children: John, Solomon, Frederic and Ann.

iv. Mary Edwards, b. Feb. 11, 1701, d. unmarried, at E. Windsor, Sept. 17, 1776, aet. 75. She appointed to herself the pleasure of abiding to the end at the old family fireside, to enjoy the company of her venerable parents to the full, and to solace their declining age with her love.

v. Prest. Jonathan Edwards, b. Oct. 5, 1703, d. March 22, 1758, aet. 54. See subsequent page for fuller notice.

vi. Eunice Edwards, b. Aug. 20, 1705, m. Oct. 1, 1729, Rev. Simon Backus, b. Feb. 11, 1700-1 (son of Joseph Backus of Norwich, Ct., and Elizabeth Huntington,—see Huntington Genealogy), grad. at Yale in 1724, was pastor at Wethersfield, Ct., and d. as Chaplain of the Colonial Army at Cape Breton, Feb. 2, 1746, aet. 45. She d. at E. Windsor, June 1, 1788, aet. 83—for 42 years a widow. They had 8 children.

vii. Abigail Edwards, b. Dec. 25, 1707, m. William Metcalf, of Lebanon, Ct., Oct. 25, 1737, a farmer. She d. Sept. 24, 1764, aet. 56. He d. June 15, 1773, aet. 64. They had 5 children.

viii. Jerusha Edwards, b. May 30, 1710, d. Dec. 22, 1729, aet. 19.

ix. Hannah Edwards, b. Feb. 8, 1713, m. Jan. 15, 1746, as his 3d wife, Seth Wetmore, Jr., of Middletown, Ct. He d. of smallpox April 12, 1778, aet. 78: she d. June 7, 1773, aet. 61. They had 3 children: Lucy, who m. Chauncey Whittlesey of Wellingford, Ct.; Oliver, who m. Sarah Brewster of Middletown, where he lived, and d. Dec. 1, 1798, aet. 46; and Hannah, who d. in infancy.

x. Lucy Edwards, b. May 25, 1715, d. Aug. 21, 1736, aet. 21.

xi. Martha Edwards, b. Jan. 5, 1718, m. in 1746, Rev. Moses Tuthill, b. June 25, 1715 (son of John Tuthill, of New Haven, Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1745, pastor at Granville, Mass. (1747-53), preached afterwards for a few years in Wapping Society, E. Windsor. The rest of his history not discovered. He d. at Southold, L. I., Oct. 1785, aet. 70. She d. at E. Windsor, Feb. 1794, aet. 76. Both husband and wife were eccentric and peculiar. See Holland's Hist. of West Mass., vol. 2, p. 65. They had 4 children, all daughters.

v. Prest. Jonathan Edwards (son of Rev. Timothy Edwards of E. Windsor, and Esther Stoddard), b. Oct. 5, 1703, grad. at Yale in 1720, preached in New York city for two years (1722-4), was tutor at Yale for same time (1724-6), and was settled as pastor at Northampton for



23 years (1727-50), the first two years of the time as colleague with his aged father-in-law, Solomon Stoddard. He m. July 28, 1727, Sarah Pierpont, b. Jan. 9, 1709-10 (dau. of Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven, and Mary Hooker, dau. of Rev. Samuel Hooker of Farmington, Ct.). See Pierpont lineage. Both Prest. Edwards and his remarkable wife are so well known throughout the land for their superior excellence of mind and character as to need no special characterization here. They occupied the very summit of human exaltation possible under American institutions or any other. Edwards went, Jan. 1751, to Stockbridge, Mass., and there preached for 7 years as a missionary to the Indians, and the small assembly of whites that could be gathered together with them on the Sabbath, out of "the 12 families" of such a sort then living there among the 100 and more families of Indians living around them. On Jan. 1758 he accepted the appointment which had been tendered to him of the presidency of Princeton College, and went on to enter upon its duties as the successor to Prest. Burr, his son-in-law, who had by his death, the preceding September, vacated the office. He lived only long enough to make all needful preparations for entering effectively upon the duties of his new office when he died (March 22, 1758) aet. 54, of small-pox, with which, as it was then prevalent in Princeton, he had been inoculated, at his own request, as a measure of anticipated protection. She d. at Philadelphia, Oct 2, 1758, aet. 48, of dysentery.

Most of the great works which have immortalized his name, Edwards wrote while at Stockbridge, where, three years since, many of his descendants gathered together as the most fitting place in which to celebrate his praise. He had 11 children, of which 8 were daughters. He and his wife also were buried at Princeton. He was of tall stature and slender form, of about 6 feet in height, of a high, broad forehead, eyes piercing and luminous, and a serene countenance, and of easy and dignified manners. He was graceful in the pulpit, easy, natural and earnest, though having but little action. He rested his left elbow on the pulpit-cushion or Bible, and holding his sermon in his left hand, used his right hand almost only for the purpose of turning over the leaves of his manuscript. The first Puritan preachers who came to this country all preached extempore. Rev. John Warham, of Windsor, Ct., his own great-grandfather, is said to have been the first of them to use notes in preaching; but by Edwards' time the new fashion had come to be quite in vogue. Edwards had not any large flow of animal spirits at any time, but was full, habitually, of deep and satisfying moral joyousness of soul.

How the educated and better men of the land lived in his day will appear from the inventory of his library and family silver at his decease, when the latter had been probably somewhat distributed among the children that had left the paternal roof for homes of their own.

I.

HIS LIBRARY.

| 1. Books.                        | Value. |   |    |
|----------------------------------|--------|---|----|
|                                  | £      | s.  | d. |
| (1). In Folio, 38 vols.....      | 26     | 30  | 0  |
| (2). In quarto, 34 “.....        | 8      | 11  | 9  |
| (3). In octavo, 99 “.....        | 26     | 16  | 6  |
| (4). In duodecimo, 130 vols..... | 8      | 15  | 3  |
| (5). His own works, 25 “.....    | 4      | 16  | 7  |
| 2. Pamphlets, 536.....           | 4      | 13  | 0  |
| 3. Maps.                         |        |   |    |
| (1). 40.....                     | 1      | 4   | 0  |
| (2). 8.....                      | 0      | 13  | 0  |
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|                                  | £83    | 0   | 1  |
| 4. Manuscripts.                  |        |   |    |
| (1). 15 vols. folio,             | }      | On these the world has set a great price. |    |
| (2). 15 “ quarto,                |        |   |    |
| (3). 1074 sermons.               |        |   |    |

II.

HIS SILVER, as inventoried at Stockbridge.

|                             | £     | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|-------|----|----|
| 1. A tankard.....           | 12    | 0  | 0  |
| 2. A can and porringer..... | 9     | 10 | 0  |
| 3. A dish.....              | 3     | 0  | 0  |
| 4. A salyer.....            | 4     | 0  | 0  |
| 5. Nine spoons.....         | 5     | 17 | 0  |
| 6. Seven tea-spoons.....    | 1     | 6  | 0  |
| 7. Tea-tongs.....           | 0     | 14 | 0  |
| 8. Pepper-box.....          | 1     | 6  | 0  |
|                             | <hr/> |    |    |
|                             | £37   | 13 | 0  |

How much the world has moved in this part of it since 1758 will appear at once when the statement is added that, among his other effects, there was inventoried a negro boy, Titus, under the head of “quick stock,” in company with horses, cows and other domestic animals, the valuation set upon him being £30.

V.

The children of Jonathan Edwards and Sarah Pierpont were:

I. Sarah Edwards, b. Aug. 25, 1728, m. June 11, 1750, Elihu Parsons of Northampton, and afterwards of Stockbridge and Goshen, Mass. He d. at Stockbridge, Aug. 22, 1785, aet. 66. She d. at Goshen, May 15, 1805, aet. 76. They had 11 children,

II. Jerusha Edwards, b. April 26, 1730, was engaged to Rev. David Brainerd, the distinguished missionary to the Indians, and d. Feb. 14, 1747–8, aet. 17, but a short time after his own death, which occurred, Oct. 9, 1747. She nursed him tenderly for several weeks in his last sickness, which was very painful.

III. Esther Edwards, b. Feb. 13, 1732, m. June 29, 1752, Rev. Aaron Burr, b. Jan. 4, 1715-16 (son of Daniel Burr of Fairfield, Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1735, pastor at Newark, N. J., for 10 years (Jan. 1737-8 to Nov. 1748), and Prest. of Princeton College (1748-57), afterwards until his death, Sept. 24, 1757. She d. April 7, 1758-9, aet. 26. They had 2 children :

1. Sarah Burr, b. May 3, 1754, who m. Hon. Tapping Reeve, June 24, 1772. He resided at Litchfield, Ct., and was Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Conn. She d. March 30, 1797, aet. 42. He d. Dec. 13, 1823, aet. 79. Had but one child.

2. Aaron Burr, b. Feb. 6, 1756, grad. at Princeton in 1772, a lawyer in New York, V. Prest. of U. S., but totally unlike, in his moral aims and moral habits, both his father and mother, who were each illustrious for their excellence. No personal integrity or private virtue was safe from his attempts to pollute it forever, if he thought that he could gain any, even temporary, advantage to himself as the result. He m. July 2, 1782, Theodosia Prevost, of New York (dau. of Col. Prevost of the British Army). They had but one child, Theodosia Burr, who m. Genl. Joseph Allston of Charleston, S. C., afterwards Gov. of the State. She was lost at sea in 1812; he d. Sept. 10, 1816, aet. 38.

Aaron Burr d. in 1836, aet. 80, honored by none : everybody remembered that he killed Alexander Hamilton.

IV. Mary Edwards, b. April 7, 1734 (dau. of Jonathan Edwards and Sarah Pierpont), m. Nov. 8, 1750, Major Timothy Dwight of Northampton, b. May 27, 1726 (son of Col. Timothy Dwight of Northampton and Experience King), grad. at Yale in 1744, a merchant and a judge of the Court of Common Pleas. He d. at Natchez, June 10, 1776, aet. 52: she d. at Northampton, Feb. 28, 1807, aet. 72. For a full account of their children and children's children, see pp. 120-270.

V. Lucy Edwards, b. Aug. 31, 1736, m. June 7, 1764, Jahleel Woodbridge of Stockbridge, Mass.

They had 9 children, five of them sons. She d. Sept. 18, 1786, aet. 51: he d. Aug. 13, 1796, aet. 58.

VI. Hon. Timothy Edwards, b. July 25, 1738, m. Sept. 25, 1760, Rhoda Ogden, b. Sept. 28, 1741 (dau. of Robert Ogden of Elizabethtown, N. J.). He was a merchant at Elizabethtown, N. J., and after June 1771, at Stockbridge, Mass. He was grad. at Princeton in 1757. He was a member of the Council of Massachusetts 1775-80) and judge of probate (1778-87), and a man of superior intellect and worth. He d. Oct. 27, 1813, aet. 75. She d. at Litchfield, Ct., Nov. 2, 1822, aet. 80. They had 15 children :

1. Sarah Edwards, b. July 11, 1761, m. Benjamin Chaplin of Mansfield, Ct., and for a 2d husband, a Mr. Tyler of Brooklyn, Ct.

2. Edward Edwards, b. Jan. 20, 1763, m. Mary Ballard and had 10 children. He d. in Michigan in 1846. He resided for some years (1810-23) in Newark Valley, N. Y.

3. Jonathan Edwards, b. Oct. 16, 1764, m. Lucy, dau. of Jahleel Woodbridge of Stockbridge, Nov. 20, 1798, and had 10 children.

4. Richard Edwards, b. March 5, 1766, m. a Miss Griffin. She d. in Stockbridge Jan. 1, 1811. They had 4 children.

5. Phebe Edwards, b. Nov. 4, 1768, m. June 11, 1792, Rev. Asabel Hooker of Goshen, Ct., and for 2d husband, Oct. 30, 1814, Samuel

Farrar, Treas. of Andover Theol. Sem. She d. Jan. 22, 1848, aet. 79. She had by her first marriage 3 children, a son and two daughters, one of whom, Mary, was the wife of Rev. Dr. Elias Cornelius, Cor. Sec. of the A. B. C. F. M. He d. Feb. 12, 1832, aet. 37.

6. Col. William Edwards, b. Nov. 11, 1770, m. in 1793 Rebecca Tappan of Northampton (sister of Arthur and Lewis Tappan of New York). He was a tanner at Northampton, and at Hunter, N. Y. He d. at Brooklyn, Dec. 29, 1851. She d. there. They had 9 children.

7. Robert Ogden Edwards, b. Sept. 30, 1772, m. Miss Pomeroy of Northampton, who after his death m. John Tappan, Esq., of Boston.

8. Timothy Edwards, b. July 12, 1774, m. Sarah Haigh of Huddersfield, Eng.

9. Mary Ogden Edwards, b. April 9, 1776, d. Feb. 13, 1777, of a malignant sore throat.

10. Rhoda Edwards, b. May 7, 1778, m. March 3, 1798, Col. Josiah Dwight. He d. March 8, 1821. She d. Nov. 13, 1864, aet. 86. They had 15 children. See, for account of them, pp. 850-67.

11. A son, b. dead, Oct. 16, 1779.

12. Elizabeth Edwards, } d. early.

twins, b. Oct. 11, 1780.

13. Mary Edwards, } m. April 25, 1800, Mason Whiting, a lawyer at Binghamton, N. Y. He d. Jan. 11, 1849. She d. about 2 years since, venerable for her talents and piety. They had 8 children.

14. Anna Edwards, b. Feb. 2, 1784, m. Dea. Ashley Williams of Dalton, Mass.

15. Robert Burr Edwards, b. Sept. 14, 1787, m. Hannah Pomeroy.

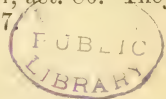
VII. Susanna Edwards (dau. of Jonathan Edwards and Sarah Pierpont), b. June 20, 1740, m. as his 2d wife, Sept. 17, 1761, Hon. Eleazer Porter, Jr., b. June 27, 1728 (son of Justice Eleazer Porter and Sarah Pitkin), grad. at Yale in 1748. His first wife was Anne Pitkin of E. Hartford (dau. of Col. John Pitkin). He lived at Hadley, Mass., and was justice of the peace and judge of probate. He d. May 27, 1797, aet. 69. She d. May 2, 1803, aet. 62. They had 6 children:

1. Major Eleazer Porter, b. June 14, 1762, m. Sarah Keyes of Amherst, Mass., and lived at Hadley and Hartford, Ct., and Sturbridge, Mass., and had 9 children.

2. William Porter, M.D., b. Dec. 9, 1763, was a physician at Hadley. He m. Dec. 9, 1788, Lois Eastman, b. Sept. 27, 1764 (dau. of John Eastman of Hadley and Submit Belding). She d. Dec. 12, 1792, aet. 28; and he m. for 2d wife, June 10, 1794, Charlotte, dau. of Hon. William Williams of Dalton, Mass. He d. Nov. 6, 1847, aet. 88. She d. Nov. 13, 1842, aet. 72. He had 10 children, three of them by his first wife.

3. Jonathan Edwards Porter, b. May 17, 1766, m. Jan. 16, 1793, his cousin Fidelia Dwight, b. Aug. 7, 1768 (dau. of Major Timothy Dwight and Mary Edwards). He d. March 24, 1821: she d. Jan. 22, 1847. See full account of their descendants on pp. 241-4, under head 113. ix.

4. Col. Moses Porter, b. Sept. 19, 1768, m. Aug. 30, 1791, Amy Colt, b. Feb. 7, 1773 (dau. of Lt. Benjamin Colt of Hadley and





Lucretia Ely). He d. May 22, 1854, aet. 85: she. d. Feb. 14, 1843, aet. 71. They had 13 children. He resided at Hadley.

5. John Porter, b. July 27, 1772, d. Aug. 7, following.

6. Pierpont Porter, b. June 12, 1775, m. in 1796 Hannah Wiggins of E. Windsor, Ct., and had 4 children. He d. Jan. 15, 1805, aet. 29. She m. for a 2d husband a Mr. Abbott, and d. a widow in 1846.

VIII. Eunice Edwards, b. May 9, 1743, m. Jan. 1764, Thomas Pollock of Newbern, N. C. He d. in 1777. She m. for a 2d husband, about 1780, Robert Hunt of Elizabethtown, N. J. He d. March 1816. She d. in Newbern, Sept. 9, 1822, aet. 79.

She had by her first marriage five children, and by her second, one. Of the first five, one, Frances, m. in 1790 John P. Devereux of Newbern. They have several representatives now living in N. C. and elsewhere. By her second husband she had a dau., Sarah Pierpont Hunt, b. May 9, 1789, who m. Aug. 30, 1800, John F. Burgwyn of Wilmington, N. C. She d. March 22, 1823. She had 8 children.

IX. Prest. Jonathan Edwards, D.D., b. May 26, 1745, grad. at Princeton in 1765, and tutor there (1767-9), m. Oct. 4, 1770, Mary Porter, b. at Hartford, Sept. 16, 1748 (dau. of Eleazer Porter, Senior, of Hadley, and Sarah Pitkin). She was sister to Hon. Eleazer Porter, who m. his sister Susanna Edwards, as above. She was drowned at New Haven, Ct., June 10, 1782, aet. 33. He m. Dec. 18, 1783, Mercy Sabin, b. in 1759 (dau. of Col. Hezekiah Sabin of New Haven). He was pastor at New Haven, Ct., for 26 years (1769-95), and at Colebrook, Ct. (1796-99), for a short time, when he was appointed Prest. of Union College at Schenectady, N. Y., which office he held, like his illustrious father at Princeton, but a brief time (1799-1801), dying like him on the very threshold of his work. See Sprague's *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. i. pp. 653-60. His wife Mercy d. in Lenox, Mass., Feb. 23, 1823, aet. 64, by whom he had no issue. He had by his first wife three children.

1. Jonathan Walter Edwards, b. Jan. 5, 1772, who m. Elizabeth Tryon (dau. of Moses Tryon, Capt. U. S. N.). He d. April 3, 1831, aet. 59. They had 10 children.

2. Mary Edwards, b. June 22, 1773, m. James Jauncey Hait, a merchant in Schenectady, N. Y. (son of Rev. Benjamin Hait of New Jersey). He d. at Colebrook, Ct., Sept. 30, 1812, aet. 42. They had 4 children.

3. Jerusha Edwards, b. Jan. 30, 1776, m. Feb. 2, 1795, Rev. Calvin Chapin, D.D., of Wethersfield, Ct. She d. Dec. 5, 1847, aet. 71: he d. March 16, 1851, aet. 87. They had 4 children. See, for account of Rev. Dr. Chapin, Sprague's *Annals*, vol. ii. pp. 324-9.

X. Elizabeth Edwards, b. May 6, 1747, d. of dropsy Jan. 1, 1762, aet. 14.

XI. Hon. Pierpont Edwards (son of Jonathan Edwards and Sarah Pierpont), b. April 8, 1750, grad. at Princeton Coll., in 1768, was a lawyer at New Haven, Ct., a soldier in the revolution, a member of the Continental Congress (1777-8), and judge of the U. S. Court for Conn. at the time of his death. He was frequently a member of the Conn. Legislature. He was a zealous opponent of high Calvinism. He was also a zealous Mason, and the first Grand Master of the order in Connecticut. He d. at Bridgeport, Ct., April 1, 1826, aet. 76. He m. May

1769, Frances Ogden (dau. of Moses Ogden of Elizabethtown, N. J.). She d. at New Haven, July 7, 1800, aet. 50. He m. for 2d wife, Mary Tucker of Bridgeport, Ct. By his wife Frances he had, beside 3 who d. in infancy, 6 children that lived to adult years. They were :

1. Susan Edwards, b. Dec. 24, 1771, who m. about 1793 Hon. Samuel W. Johnson of Stratford, Ct. Their son, Wm. Samuel Johnson, b. Dec. 13, 1795, m. Laura Woolsey (dau. of Wm. W. Woolsey of New York and Elizabeth Dwight), see p. 256, under 359. v.

2. Col. John Starke Edwards, b. Aug. 23, 1777, grad. at Princeton Coll. in 1796, M. C. elect, but d. before taking his seat, Feb. 22, 1813, aet. 35. He m. Feb. 28, 1807, Louisa Maria Morris, b. April 13, 1787 (dau. of Major Genl. Lewis Morris and Mary Dwight). For full account of them and their descendants, see under head 110. vi.

3. Gov. Henry Waggenerman Edwards, b. Oct. 1779, grad. at Princeton Coll. in 1797, was a lawyer at New Haven ; M. C. for two sessions (1819-23) ; U. S. Senator (1823-7) ; member of the State Senate (1828-9) ; and Governor of the State in 1833, and from 1835 to 1838. He m. Lydia Miller (dau. of John and Lydia Miller). He d. July 22, 1847, aet. 67. They had 6 children.

4. Hon. Ogden Edwards, b. Aug. 1781, m. Harriet Penfield of N. Y., and had 10 children. He was a lawyer and judge in New York.

5. Alfred Pierpont Edwards, b. Sept. 1784, m. Deborah Glover (dau. of John J. Glover of New York). He had one dau., who m. Elisha Dyer Vinton.

6. Henrietta Frances Edwards, b. June 28, 1786, m. Jan. 6, 1817, Eli Whitney of New Haven, the inventor of the cotton-gin, b. at Westboro, Mass., Dec. 8, 1765. He d. Jan. 8, 1825, aet. 59. They had 3 children.

### III.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF REV. THOMAS HOOKER OF HARTFORD, CT., FOR THE FIRST FEW GENERATIONS.

The Rev. Thomas Hooker, Jr., b. at Marfield, Leicestershire, Eng., July 7, 1586, and graduated at The University of Cambridge (Emmanuel College), preached for some years in London, and was chosen lecturer and assistant to Mr. Mitchell at Chelmsford in 1626. He afterwards kept school, and had John Eliot (afterwards "The Indian Apostle" in America) for his usher. About 1630 he was obliged to flee to Holland, and preached sometimes at Delft and sometimes at Rotterdam, as an assistant to the noted Dr. Ames. He came to Massachusetts Bay Sept. 4, 1633, aet. 47, with Rev. Samuel Stone, and became co-pastor with him at Newtown (now Cambridge) Oct. 11, 1633. In 1636 these two devoted ministerial friends set out with a hundred others for the Connecticut, with no guide but a compass, and, finding a fertile spot of good promise for themselves and their cattle, settled down upon it and called it Hartford. From the rude beginnings that they saw, what grand results have come before the eyes of all men !

For 14 years the two ministers labored together as co-pastors of The First Ch. of Hartford, until separated forever from each other on earth by the death of Mr. Hooker, July 7, 1647, aet. 61. He fell a victim, after but a short sickness, to a violent epidemic.

He was a truly great man in intellect, character and grace. Said

Gov. Winthrop of him: "For piety, wisdom, zeal, learning and what else might make him serviceable in the place and time he lived in, he might be compared with men of greatest note. And he shall need no other praise; the fruits of his labors in both Englands shall preserve an honorable and happy remembrance of him forever."

There is a tradition afloat in the family—the writer knows not of how much historic value—that his wife, Susanna, was a sister of the celebrated Pym. For a sketch of Hooker's life and character, see Sprague's *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. i. pp. 30-7.

[The descendants of Leonard Chester of Wethersfield, Ct., now so numerous in the land under the different names of Chester, Huntington, Mitchell, Noyes, Porter, Russell, Stoddard, Williams and Whiting, will be interested to know that Mrs. Dorothy Chester, wife of Leonard Chester, the settler, was sister of Rev. Thomas Hooker of Hartford. See "*Goodwin's Genealogies*," p. 8.] Rev. Thomas Hooker had 6 children.

#### Second Generation. Children:

2. i. Rev. John Hooker. He went to England to be married, and remained there contrary to his father's preferences, and settled in the established church in Maseworth, Bucks, Eng.

3. ii. Joanna Hooker, who m. as his 2d wife, Rev. Thomas Shepard of Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 1637. "She was remarkable for her intellect, discretion, loveliness and piety." She d. April 1646. They had 3 children, one of whom, Rev. Samuel Shepard, b. Oct. 18, 1641, grad. at Harvard in 1658, was settled in Rowley, Mass. (1665-68), and d. April 7, 1668, aet. 26. See, for a full account of Rev. Thomas Shepard, Sprague's *Annals Am. Pulpit*, vol. i. pp. 59, 68.

4. iii. Mary Hooker, m. Rev. Roger Newton, first pastor of the church in Farmington, Ct. (1645-60), and afterwards of that in Milford, Ct. (1660-83), where he d. June 6, 1683.

5. iv. Sarah Hooker, who m. about 1648, Rev. John Wilson, b. in London, Eng., Sept. 1621 (son of the Rev. John Wilson of Boston), who was settled at Medfield, Mass., for 40 years (1651-91). He d. Aug. 23, 1691, aet. 70. He was grad. at Harvard in 1642, in the first graduating class. They had 8 children.

6. v. A daughter, who lived to be married and to become a widow, but whose name, strange to say, has been wholly lost from the memories, records and traditions of the family.

7. vi. Rev. Samuel Hooker, b. 1635, grad. at Harvard in 1653, m. Sept. 22, 1658, Mary Willett, b. at Plymouth, Mass., May 4, 1643 (dau. of Capt. Thomas Willett of Swansea, N. H., and afterwards of Seekonk, I. I., and Mary Brown). He succeeded Rev. Roger Newton, his brother-in-law, as second pastor of the church at Farmington, Ct. (1661-97). He d. Nov. 6, 1697, aet. 62. She m. for a 2d husband, Aug. 10, 1703, Rev. Thomas Buckingham of Saybrook, Ct. He was called, on account of his earnestness, "the fervent Hooker." He was in the habit of committing his sermons to memory before delivering them. He was a fellow of Harvard. In 1662 he was employed as one of a committee of four to treat with New Haven in reference to an Union with Connecticut under one colonial government. From him also all of the descendants of Rev. Thomas Hooker, who bear the family name, are derived.



Third Generation. Children :

8. i. Thomas Hooker, M.D., b. June 10, 1659, m. 1686 widow Mary Lord, *née* Smith, widow of Richard Lord of Hartford, b. in 1636 (who was lost at sea Nov. 1685, and left, as it was called at that time, "the immense estate of six thousand pounds" to his child and widow), whom she m. April 26, 1672, and dau. of Henry Smith, Esq., of Springfield, Mass., and Ann Pyncheon, dau. of Hon. William Pyncheon. See Pyncheon genealogy, p. 628 of this work. She was b. in 1643 and d. May 17, 1702, aet. 59. They had no issue.

9. ii. Samuel Hooker, b. May 29, 1661, m. June 28, 1687, Mehit-able Hamlin of Middletown, Ct., b. Nov. 17, 1664 (dau. of Capt. Giles Hamlin and Esther Crow). He resided in Hartford, Ct., where he d. in 1730, and she in 1749. His estate was valued at £1,130, and was called "a good estate." They had 7 children, the first six of whom were sons : Samuel ; Giles ; Thomas, b. Feb. 5, 1693 ; William, b. Feb. 25, 1695 ; Roger and Richard—and dau. Esther, who m. a Stiles.

10. iii. William Hooker, b. May 11, 1663, a merchant at Farmington, Ct. He d. in 1689. His wife, Susanna, m. after his death Mr. John Blackleach, a noted merchant. William Hooker had one child : Susanna Hooker.

11. iv. Hon. John Hooker, b. Feb. 20, 1664-5, d. Feb. 1, 1746, aet. 81.

12. v. Hon. James Hooker, b. Oct. 27, 1666, lived at Guilford, Ct. and represented the town in the General Court for 21 years (1702-23). His children were William, Mary, Sarah, Mabel and Hannah.

13. vi. Roger Hooker of Hartford, Ct., b. Sept. 14, 1668, d. unmarried in 1697-8, aet. 30.

14. vii. Nathaniel Hooker, b. Sept. 28, 1671, d. in 1711. He had children: Nathaniel, Mary, Sarah and Eunice.

15. viii. Mary Hooker, b. July 3, 1673, m. as his 3d wife Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven, July 26, 1698. He, b. Jan. 4, 1659, was son of John Pierpont of Roxbury, the settler, and Thankful Stow. It was their dau., Sarah Pierpont, b. Jan. 9, 1710, who became, July 28, 1727, the wife of Rev. Jonathan Edwards of Northampton, Mass., and the mother afterwards of his large family of children. See, under Pierpont Genealogy, in subsequent part of this Appendix, a fuller account of the Hooker-Pierponts.

16. ix. Hezekiah Hooker, b. Nov. 7, 1675, d. in 1686.

17. x. Daniel Hooker, M.D., b. March 25, 1679, grad. at Harvard in 1700, was the first tutor at Yale (1702-3). He was a physician at Wethersfield, Ct. He m. in 1706 Sarah Standley of Hartford. He d. in 1742. They had a dau. Susanna, who m. Oct. 25, 1726, Ephraim Goodrich, b. Sept. 12, 1699 (son of William Goodrich of Wethersfield and Grace Riley).

18. xi. Sarah Hooker, bapt. May 8, 1681, m. Rev. Stephen Buckingham of Norwalk, Ct. No issue.

Third Generation.

11. iv. Hon. John Hooker (son of Rev. Samuel Hooker of Farmington and Mary Willett), b. Feb. 20, 1664-5, m. Nov. 24, 1687, Abigail Standley (dau. of Capt. John Standley). He was eminent for his ability and usefulness. He represented Farmington in the General



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Court for 24 years (1699–1723), during which time he was clerk for 3 sessions and speaker for six. He was “Assistant” for 11 years (1723–34), and during 8 years of the time was judge of the Superior Court. She d. Feb. 21, 1743: he d. Feb. 1, 1746–7, aet. 82.

### Fourth Generation. Children:

19. i. Hezekiah Hooker, b. Oct. 14, 1688, d. Feb. 20, 1756, aet. 67.
20. ii. Abigail Hooker, b. May 25, 1691, d. Sept. 30, 1692.
21. iii. John Hooker, b. Dec. 17, 1693, d. Dec. 26, 1693.
22. iv. John Hooker, 2d, b. March 16, 1694–5, d. in 1766, aet. 71.
23. v. Abigail Hooker, b. Jan. 14, 1697–8, m. in 1719 Nathaniel Hart (son of Capt. John Hart of Farmington).
24. vi. Mary Hooker, b. June 11, 1700, m. Dec. 25, 1723, Samuel Hart (son of Capt. John Hart of Farmington).
25. vii. Sarah Hooker, b. Sept. 11, 1702, m. Jan. 7, 1724–5, Matthew Hart (son of Capt. John Hart).
26. viii. Joseph Hooker, b. Feb. 15, 1704–5, d. Dec. 19, 1764.
27. ix. Ruth Hooker, b. April 16, 1708, m. Capt. Asahel Strong of Farmington.
28. x. Roger Hooker, b. Sept. 17, 1710, d. May 25, 1774.

19. i. Hezekiah Hooker, b. Oct. 14, 1688, m. Dec. 18, 1716, Abigail Curtiss of Stratford. He was a farmer at Kensington, Ct., and afterwards at Bethlehem, Ct., among its first settlers, and was ever one of its leading men. He d. suddenly Dec. 18, 1756.

### Fifth Generation. Children:

29. i. Hezekiah Hooker, b. Oct. 30, 1717, a farmer at Bethlehem, m. Jan. 20, 1746, Elizabeth Stone, and had 7 children.
30. ii. James Hooker, b. Jan. 30, 1720, m. March 31, 1754, Dorothy Parmelee, and had 4 children—a farmer at Bethlehem.
31. iii. Josiah Hooker, b. April 2, 1722—his history not discovered.
32. iv. Abigail Hooker, b. Sept. 25, 1724, d. unmarried Sept. 24, 1750.
33. v. Mary Hooker b. Jan. 8, 1727, m. June 5, 1755, Waitstill Goodrich.
33. vi. William Hooker, b. June 20, 1729, a farmer in Bethlehem, m. March 13, 1754, Rachel Waller. She d. Dec. 10, 1762, and he m. for 2d wife, March 18, 1764, Mary Moseley, dau. of Increase Moseley. He had 5 children, three by the first marriage.
34. vii. Jesse Hooker, b. April 27, 1732, d. unmarried, Sept. 24, 1750—the same day with his sister Abigail.
35. viii. Eunice Hooker, b. Oct. 30, 1734, d. Sept. 17, 1750—a week before her brother Jesse.
36. ix. Asahel Hooker, b. Dec. 13, 1736, m. Feb. 15, 1759, Anne Parmelee, and had 5 children—a farmer in Bethlehem.
37. x. Sarah Hooker, b. May 30, 1739, m. Jan. 26, 1763, Timothy Judson of Woodbury, Ct., b. April 22, 1737 (son of Isaac Judson and widow Rebecca Hollister, *née* Sherman). They removed to Greenville, N. Y., and had 4 children.

### Fourth Generation.

22. iv. John Hooker (son of Hon. John Hooker of Farmington and Abigail Standley), b. March 16, 1694–5, m. about 1727, Mary Hart, dau. of John Hart of Farmington. He was a farmer at Kensington, Ct. and d. in 1766, aet. 71.

Fifth Generation. Children:

38. i. Rev. John Hooker of Northampton, b. March 19, 1728-9, d. Feb. 6, 1777, aet. 48.

39. ii. Seth Hooker of Berlin, Ct., b. in 1731, m. Sarah Burnham. He d. in 1758, leaving one daughter; and she m. for 2d husband Charles Dix of Wethersfield, Ct.

40. iii. Ashbel Hooker of Kensington, Ct., b. in 1737, m. in 1760, Susanna Langdon. He d. leaving one son; and she m. for a 2d husband Moses Dickinson.

41. iv. Elijah Hooker of Kensington, b. in 1746, m. in 1767 Susanna Seymour, dau. of Samuel Seymour. She d. in 1832, aet. 84. He lived on the old homestead: had several children, one of whom was Rev. Horace Hooker.

38. i. Rev. John Hooker, b. March 19, 1729, grad. at Yale in 1751, was settled at Northampton, Mass., as the successor of Prest. Edwards, for 24 years (1753-77). He m. Dec. 10, 1755, Sarah Worthington, b. in 1731 (dau. of Lt. John Worthington of Springfield, Mass., and Mary Pratt). He was of medium size, and of a benignant aspect, and lovely disposition and engaging manners. He was also a man of talent and of graceful elocution as a preacher, and was both earnest and attractive in the pulpit. He d. of small-pox, Feb. 6, 1777, aet. 48: she d. April 5, 1817, aet. 85, a widow for 40 years.

It gives one a little loophole through which to look into the habits of those times, to read in "Breck and Hunt's" Ledger (still preserved at Northampton) concerning Rev. John Hooker, such a summary as this of his trade with them in 1772-3: "Having had some coffee, chocolate and tea—more than most others—not much rum, and many dry goods."

Fifth Generation. Children:

42. i. Mary Hooker, b. Sept. 10, 1756, m. April 22, 1779, Rev. Solomon Williams of Northampton, b. in 1752 (son of Rev. Dr. Eliphalet Williams of East Hartford, Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1770, tutor there (1773-5), settled at Northampton (1779-1834) where he d. aet. 82, Nov. 9, 1834.

43. ii. Sarah Hooker, b. Jan. 30, 1758, m. Nov. 29, 1777, Gov. Caleb Strong of Northampton, b. Jan. 9, 1745 (son of Lt. Caleb Strong of same place and Phebe Lyman). See for full account of their Dwight descendants under heads 126-55, pp. 172-5, and for their Strong and other descendants generally, Hist. of Strong Family, vol. ii., pp. 1187-1206. He d. Nov. 17, 1819: she d. Feb. 12, 1817, aet. 59.

44. iii. Seth Hooker, b. Oct. 26, 1759, m. Abigail Gay of Hinsdale, New Hampshire.

45. iv. Hon. John Hooker, b. Oct. 8, 1761, grad. at Yale in 1782, m. Feb. 9, 1791, Sarah Dwight, b. Dec. 13, 1764 (dau. of Col. Josiah Dwight of Springfield and Elizabeth Buckminster). See for account of their descendants, under heads 5983-6015. pp. 845-8.

46. v. Lucy Hooker, bapt. Aug. 19, 1764, d. June 30, 1766.

47. vi. William Hooker, M.D., b. Nov. 26, 1766 (and bapt. Nov. 30).

48. vii. Thomas Hooker, bapt. May 20, 1770, m. Sarah Brown of Pittsfield, Mass.

49. viii. John Worthington Hooker, bapt. April 12, 1772, d. with-

out issue in Telicho, Tenn., Nov. 15, 1804, aet. 32, superintendent of public stores there.

50. ix. Lucy Hooker, bapt. July 16, 1775, m. Hon. Eli Pease Ashmun of Blandford, Mass., a lawyer of eminence, a member of the Mass. Legislature in both houses at different times, and Senator in Congress (1816-18). He d. at Northampton, Mass., May 10, 1819, aet. 48.

47. vi. William Hooker, M.D. (son of Rev. John Hooker of Northampton, and Sarah Worthington), b. Nov. 26, 1766, m. in 1789 Anna, dau. of Hugh Thompson of E. Windsor, Ct. He was a physician at Westhampton, Mass.

[Sixth Generation.] Children :

51. i. Capt. Henry Hooker, b. May 18, 1786, a farmer in Westhampton, m. Sylvia Wales. Their dau. Emily m. Orrin Kingsley of Northampton.

52. ii. William Hooker, Jr., b. Feb. 15, 1788. History not traced.

53. iii. Hugh Thompson Hooker, b. Sept. 9, 1789. History not known.

54. iv. Almira Hooker, b. Nov. 10, 1792, m. Sept. 6, 1813, Enoch Hale, M.D., b. Jan. 19, 1790 (son of Rev. Enoch Hale of Westhampton, and Octavia Throop). She d. in 1816, and he m. for 2d wife, Sarah Hooker (dau. of Judge John Hooker of Springfield, Mass., and Sarah Dwight). He was a distinguished physician at Boston.

55. v. Charles Hooker, b. April 25, 1797.

56. vi. Anson Hooker, M.D., b. July 17, 1799, grad. at Harvard Med. School in 1822, a physician at E. Cambridge, Mass.

57. vii. Edward Hooker, b. March 20, 1802, a merchant in Rochester, N. Y., and afterwards in Cleveland, O., m. May 18, 1834, Mary Ann Dwight (dau. of Dr. Elihu Dwight of S. Hadley, Mass., and Lydia White). For account of them, see under heads 2501-2.

Fourth Generation.

26. viii. Joseph Hooker (son of Hon. John Hooker of Farmington and Abigail Standley), b. Feb. 15, 1704-5, m. Jan. 23, 1734-5, Sarah Lewis (dau. of Nathaniel Lewis of Farmington). He was a farmer in Farmington, where he d. in 1764, aet. 60.

Fifth Generation. Children :

58. i. Abigail Hooker, b. Feb. 5, 1735-6, m. a Mr. Cowles of Farmington. She d. Feb. 1772.

59. ii. Col. Noadiah Hooker, b. Aug. 29, 1737, m. Jan. 1, 1765, Rebecca Griswold. He was a farmer at Farmington. They had 10 children :

1. Sarah Hooker, b. Oct. 1765, d. soon.

2. John Hooker,     } d. soon.  
                              } twins, b. Oct. 1766.

3. Joseph Hooker,     } d. soon.

4. Sarah Hooker, b. Nov. 16, 1767, m. a Mr. Cooke. She d. in 1823.

5. Lucy Hooker, b. Jan. 16, 1771, d. in 1788.

6. John Hooker, b. June 21, 1774, a lawyer in Columbus, S. C., who d. July 1815.

7. James Hooker, b. Sept. 11, 1777.

8. Abigail Hooker, b. May 23, 1780, m. Sept. 6, 1804, Asahel



Clarke, Jr., b. July 25, 1776 (son of Asahel Clarke of Lebanon, Ct., and Eleanor Strong, dau. of Lt. Caleb Strong of Northampton and Phebe Lyman—sister of Gov. Caleb Strong).

9. Nancy Hooker, } m. a Mr. Cowles, and d. in 1808.  
twins, b. Sept. 1, 1782.

10. Wm. Griswold Hooker, M.D., }

He m. Oct. 20, 1807, Melinda Metcalf. He was a physician at Middlebury, Vt., and afterwards at New Haven, Ct., where he d. Sept. 19, 1851. He had 3 children:

(1.) John M. Hooker, b. in 1809, d. in 1835.

(2.) Nancy Champion Hooker, b. in 1813, who m. in 1837 Edward L. Hart, and had six children.

(3.) Samuel Hooker, b. June 11, 1817, a merchant at New Haven, who m. May 28, 1844, widow Lydia Elizabeth Baldwin, *née* Strong, b. Aug. 16, 1816 (dau. of Shubael Strong of Lebanon, Ct. See Hist. of Strong Family, vol. ii. p. 783).

11. Edward Hooker (son of Noadiah Hooker and Rebecca Griswold), b. April 27, 1785, d. May 5, 1846.

60. iii. Nancy Hooker (dau. of Joseph Hooker and Sarah Lewis), b. Jan. 17, 1741, d. Aug. 1814.

61. iv. Ruth Hooker, b. Feb. 21, 1743, m. a Mr. Langdon. She d. Dec. 31, 1803.

62. v. Anna Hooker, b. Dec. 14, 1749, m. a Mr. Smith. She d. Sept., 1822.

63. vi. Joseph Hooker, Jr., b. March 1757, d. June 1799.

#### Fourth Generation.

27. ix. Ruth Hooker (dau. of Hon. John Hooker and Abigail Standley), b. April 16, 1708, m. Jan. 2, 1729–30, Capt. Asahel Strong, b. Oct. 8, 1702 (son of Asahel Strong of Farmington, Ct., and Margaret Hart), a lawyer at Farmington. He d. March 3, 1751, aet. 49. For the history of their 8 children and their many noteworthy descendants, see Hist. of Strong Family, vol. i. pp. 284–307.

28. x. Roger Hooker, a farmer at Farmington, b. Sept. 17, 1710, m. 1740, Mercy Hart of Farmington, dau. of Josiah Hart. She d. Aug. 26, 1745, aet. 26, and he m. for 2d wife Anna Kellogg, dau. of Martin Kellogg of Newington, Ct. She d. Feb. 17, 1797, aet. 77.

#### Third Generation.

14. vii. Nathaniel Hooker (son of Rev. Samuel Hooker of Farmington, Ct., and Mary Willett), b. Sept. 28, 1671, was a merchant at Hartford, Ct. He m. in 1698 Mary Standley, b. in 1677 (dau. of Nathaniel Standley of Hartford and Sarah Boosey, dau. of James Boosey of Wethersfield, Ct.). He represented Hartford in the General Court (1709–11). He d. in 1811, aet. 40.

#### Fourth Generation. Children:

64. i. Mary Hooker, b. about 1699, d. unmarried.

65. ii. Alice Hooker, b. about 1700, m. Samuel Howard.

66. iii. Sarah Hooker, b. about 1703, m. in 1728 Hon. Daniel Edwards of Hartford, Ct., b. April 11, 1701 (son of Richard Edwards of Hartford and Mary Talcott and half-brother of Rev. Timothy Edwards, father of Prest. Jonathan Edwards), he was judge of the Supreme



Court of Conn. He d. at New Haven, Sept. 6, 1765: she d. July 31, 1775.

67. iv. Abigail Hooker, b. about 1704, m. Rev. Dr. Benjamin Lord of Norwich, Ct.

68. v. Rev. Nathaniel Hooker of West Hartford, Ct., b. about 1706.

69. vi. Eunice Hooker, b. about 1707, m. a Mr. Ellery. There were also 3 others, Nos. 70-2, James, Mary and Horace.

#### IV.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF REV. JAMES PIERPONT OF NEW HAVEN, FOR SEVERAL GENERATIONS.

John and Robert Pierpont, brothers, sons of James Pierpont of England, came to Roxbury, Mass., to live, between 1640 and 1645. The name was originally Pierrepont (the French equivalent for stone-bridge), and is often written wrongly as Pierpoint. In a work entitled "An Architectural Tour in Normandy, by H. G. Knight, Esq., London, 1836," occurs the following passage: "At two leagues distant from St. Sauveur is the hamlet of Pierrepont (Pierrepont derives its name from a stone bridge, with which Charlemagne supplied the place of a ferry, and which in his days was considered a great achievement), the cradle of another ennobled English family. Remembrances of the kind abound in Normandy." Robert De Pierrepont came to England from Normandy with William the Conqueror in 1066. The family is of Norman origin.

James Pierpont, father of John and Robert, who settled in Roxbury, had three daughters, Mary, Anne and Martha, one of whom (it is not certain which) m. Rev. William Eaton of Bridport, Dorsetshire, Eng., one of the ejected ministers in 1662.

The motto of the Pierpont Family, "*Pie reponete*," is an evident imitation of the name in a Latin form.

Margaret, wife of James Pierpont, d. in London in Jan. 1664. He came to this country on a visit to his two sons, while she was yet living, and died here before she did in England, at Ipswich, Mass.; but in what year the writer has not ascertained.

John Pierpont, eldest son of James and Margaret Pierpont, b. in London, Eng., in 1619, m. about 1651 Thankful Stow, dau. of John Stow of Roxbury, and had 10 children, six of them sons: Robert Pierpont, his brother, b. in London about 1622, m. in Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 13, 1656-7, Sarah Lyndes of Charlestown, Mass., dau. of Dea. Thomas Lyndes. They had 13 children, eight of them sons, and several of their children d. young. She d. May 16, 1704.

[A few details of the English pedigree of the Pierpont Family.

#### Evelyn Pierrepont.

I. Robert de Pierrepont held large landed possessions under William Earl Warren, immediately after the Conquest. Among them were the lordship of Hurst Pierrepont, in Sussex, Eng., and other lands of great extent in that county, amounting to ten Knights' fees.

II. Sir Robert de Pierrepont, one of his collateral descendants, fought in behalf of Henry III. in the battle of Lewis.

III. His son and heir, Sir Henry de Pierrepont, m. Annora, only dau. of Michael de Manvers, who d. in 1254, and the sister and heir of Lionel de Manvers—by whom he became possessed of several lordships in Nottinghamshire, amongst them the lordship of Holme, which yet retains the name of Holme Pierrepont.

IV. His son, Sir Robert, etc., a baron, and so a member of parliament, distinguished himself in the battle of Halidown against the Scots.

V. Sir Henry, one of his sons, knighted by Edward IV. for his valor in the battle of Barton, near Tewkesbury, was a staunch adherent of the house of York.

VI. Sir William, his nephew, was in the battle of Stoke, in Newark, in 1486. He was made knight of the sword by Henry Prince of Wales, in 1503, and a knight banneret for his bravery at the sieges of Thewanne and Tournay in 1513.

VII. By his second wife (dau. of Sir Richard Empson), he was father of Sir George Pierrepont who was made a knight of the carpet at the coronation of Edward VI.

VIII. His son, Sir Henry, m. Frances, eldest dau. of Sir William Cavendish, by Elizabeth, afterwards Countess of Shrewsbury, sister to the first Earl of Devonshire.

IX. Robert, Sir Henry's son and heir, recd. the degree of LL.D. at Oxford in 1642, and, being of excellent parts, ample fortune and great reputation, was raised to the peerage by the titles of Baron Pierrepont of Holme Pierrepont, and Viscount Newark of Com. Notts, by patent June 29, 1627; and Earl of Kingston-upon-Hull, July 25, 1628. By his wife Gertrude, daughter and coheir of Henry Talbot, third son of George, Earl of Shrewsbury, he had two sons, Henry and William.

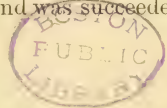
X. Henry, his successor, second Earl of Kingston, having attended Charles I. at his garrison at Oxford, was advanced to the title of Marquis of Dorchester, March 25, 1645. He was eminent for his learning, and was a great reader and well versed in the laws. In 1658 he was made Fellow of the College of Physicians in London, and was held in great honor among them. He died without male issue.

XI. William, his brother, had died before him. He took an active part in public affairs and was called "Wise William."

XII. His youngest son, Gervaise, by Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Harris, Bart., of Yonge Castle, in Shropshire, was made Lord of Aidglass, in Ireland, in 1703, and Lord Pierrepont of Hanslope, in Buckinghamshire, in 1714. As he died childless, these titles became extinct in him.

XIII. Robert, grandson of William, succeeded his great-uncle as third Earl of Kingston. He died unmarried, and was succeeded by his brother,

XIV. William, fourth Earl of Kingston.



The Earl of Manvers.—(See No. III. of Pierrepont Pedigree above.)

"The Rt. Hon. Mary L——, Countess of Manvers is" (copied from *La Belle Assemblée*, Aug. 1827), "the eldest daughter of Anthony H. Eyre of Grove Park, in the county of Nottingham—the representative of a distinguished and very ancient family.

Her ladyship was m. Aug. 23, 1804 to the Rt. Hon. Charles Her-

bert Pierrepont, second Earl of Manvers, Viscount Newark, and Baron Pierrepont. He was b. Aug. 11, 1778, and succeeded his father as Earl, June 17, 1816.

(Capt. Charles Meadows) Pierrepont, first Earl Manvers, an officer of distinction in the navy, was the second son of Philip Meadows, Esq., by Lady Frances Pierrepont, sister of Evelyn, last duke of Kingston, who d. Sept. 23, 1773, all whose titles, as he left no issue, became extinct.

Capt. Charles Meadows, b. Nov. 14, 1737, succeeded as heir-at-law to his uncle's (Pierrepont) estate by royal sign-manual in 1788, and took the name of Pierrepont only. He was created, July 23, 1796, Baron Pierrepont and Viscount Newark, and was advanced, April 9, 1806, to the dignity of Earl Manvers. He m. March 14, 1774, Anne Orton, youngest dau. of John Mills, Esq., of Richmond.

His second son by this marriage, Charles Herbert, afterwards made earl, as above, was educated for the sea, and at an early age distinguished himself in the naval service of his country. On the death of his elder brother, Evelyn Henry Frederic Pierrepont, Oct. 22, 1801, he became representative in Parliament of the County of Nottingham, and continued such until he succeeded to the peerage on the death of his father.

By his marriage to the Countess of Manvers he had four children :

1. Charles Evelyn—Viscount Newark—b. Sept. 2, 1805.
2. Mary Frances, b. March 16, 1819.
3. Anna Charlotte, b. Sept. 11, 1822.
4. Sydney William Herbert, b. March 12, 1825.

The Meadows and Pierrepont families, of which Earl Manvers is the representative now in England, are both of ancient standing. Philip Meadows, Esq., grandfather of Charles Herbert Meadows (Earl of Manvers), was deputy ranger of Richmond Park, and was descended from a family of his own name seated at Winesham (where some of the family now remain), in the County of Suffolk, as early as the time of Richard III." ]

Thus much is gathered and made permanent here concerning the past and present status of the family in England for the gratification in an historical way of any and all concerned.

Here belong historically the following letters, written by James Pierpont, Jr., of New Haven, to Prest. Wheelock of Dartmouth College :

#### Letter No. I.

REV. AND DEAR SIR :—I have long wanted an opportunity of personal discourse with you, principally with a view of craving your kind assistance in an affair of the utmost concern to me and family, viz. :—to obtain the favor of the Right Honorable the Earl of Dartmouth to recommend me to his Grace the Duke of Kingston.

I am encouraged to hope that his Lordship will not refuse this my request, when I am introduced to his knowledge by his own correspondent. But what still strengthens my hope is that his Lordship is Secretary of State for the American Department ; and must needs have its private as well as public interest much at heart ; but what heightens my hope is that I have heard that his Lordship is an eminent Christian, and so has the same godlike disposition to do good to



all as he has opportunity. And I more than partly believe it, inasmuch as his Lordship has taken you and your college under his patronage—which was instituted principally with a view to spread the gospel among the poor savage heathen.

I perceive, dear sir, that it is a point with such great men not to regard recommendations unless they come from those that they have intimacy with, or are near upon a rank with themselves; which I suppose must be the principal reason that my past endeavors to obtain the Duke of Kingston's smiles proved abortive: the message failed because transmitted by unsuitable messengers.

I suppose that you are sensible, at least by common report, that I am the eldest in the male line of the Pierpont Family in New England, which sprang from a younger branch of that honorable family in England. I am credibly assured that his Grace the present Duke of Kingston, by the providence of God, is the only male of the family in England, who is far advanced in life and lately intermarried with the Hon. Miss Chadleigh, late maid of honor to the late dowager of Wales, who was, at the time of marriage, of an age past child-bearing—so it is very improbable that his Grace will have any legitimate offspring.

The Hon. Dr. Johnson, our late agent at the British Court, informs me that his Grace had two natural daughters by Miss Chadleigh before marriage; and that his Grace is attempting to have them legitimated by special Act of Parliament; but he thinks that Parliament will not do it.

I could, Rev. sir, very readily devise a natural and easy way to effect what his Grace desires as to having the honors and estate descending to his own natural issue, viz.:

Would he permit me and my eldest son, Evelyn, to wait upon him, and in person pay our devoirs to his Grace, by acknowledging us to be of the family as well as name, and approve of my son, who is in his 19th year, marrying with one of his Grace's daughters—this would unite the two branches of the family, and prevent the name and the honors sinking into oblivion, and the estate going to strangers.

These things, Rev. and dear sir, are great, but not too great for the great God to effect; and it would undoubtedly afford you no small pleasure and satisfaction to find that you have been an instrument in the hand of God to bring them about. But what pleasure and satisfaction can you conceive that my Lord Dartmouth would have, when he finds that he has prevented a name being obliterated, which hath been honorable in the English annals ever since William the Conqueror, and transplanted a native of his American department into the British Court; whose affection for his native land will incline him to promote its true interests to the utmost in prosecuting those plans of extensive and lasting good to the plantations which his lordship's generous heart has devised, while my lord is enjoying the glorious rewards of his gracious labors.

Thus, Rev. sir, I have briefly hinted to you what I more especially wanted to discourse with you about, and beg you to favor me with an answer and your thoughts, and to advise me in the matter.

I am—wishing you health and prosperity in all things, but especially in the great undertaking of training up for our dear Emmanuel those



who in his name, and with his assistance, shall call his spouse from the lions' den and from the mountains of leopards—Rev. sir,

Your sincere friend and most obedient humble servant,

JAMES PIERPONT.

NEW HAVEN, June 1, 1773.

The foregoing letter was enclosed in the one subjoined, of same date, with same direction :

Letter No. II.

REV. AND DEAR SIR:—In the enclosed letter I haven't apologized for the trouble that I therein put you to, well knowing your disposition of doing good to all, as you have opportunity; especially when therein you may serve the public as well as private interests of mankind. But how you will apologize for troubling his lordship, the Earl of Dartmouth, with my affairs, who am an entire stranger to him, and should not dare to mention the matter to his lordship, but by your mediation—whom I understand that he admits to a free correspondence—I know not. I must leave it to you, who are acquainted with his disposition; and seeing that it is a subject very diverse from what you have been used to write to his lordship about, and also if, to give him an idea of the affair, you should judge it convenient to enclose my letter to you in yours to his lordship, or in any other way to use it for promoting the design, I hereby give you liberty.

This day, sir, is my birthday, when I complete 74 years—a great age, to think of crossing the Atlantic. But if, by prosecuting the plan as above, his Grace the Duke of Kingston should permit me and son to pay our duty to him, I should esteem the call clear to go; yes! and do everything possible to prevent the name and honors of the family from being extinct. I must judge myself unworthy of the name that I bear, as well as wanting to posterity—who might, in that extensive and exalted sphere, do inconceivably more for the glory of God and the good of mankind than I possibly could in the narrow one that Providence has placed me in—if I did not.

I shall not add, but subscribe, with desiring that we may enjoy the blessings of the new and everlasting covenant,

Your sincere friend and humble servant,

JAMES PIERPONT.

NEW HAVEN, June 1, 1773.

P.S.—What you do, do quickly, and consider that I am on the eve of life; and if I am to see England, the sooner the better.

To Rev. Eleazer Wheelock, D.D., Prest. of Dartmouth College, at Hanover, New Hampshire.

Letter No. III.

[Written by the son Evelyn Pierpont, with a postscript added a few days afterwards by the father.]

REV. SIR:—Agreeably to your desire, I sent to Mr. Davenport an account of some steps which have been taken by my father and me to be owned as of the family of his Grace the Duke of Kingston; which I hope that you received and speedily on'd it, as I desired in the margin of the newspaper which I also sent you. But I have not heard a word from you since, and don't know but that my letter lies by you to this

time—which I should be exceedingly sorry of; for you have heard, no doubt, that the duke is dead, and many are claiming what of right belongs to me. If my Lord Dartmouth had but your letter, he had doubtless sent in the claim for me and seen that the records were kept open and that I had a fair chance.

If you sent speedily, I hope it won't be long before that I shall hear something from his lordship, and possibly what may require me to go with all speed to England.

In your letter you say that you have a number of friendly correspondents in England besides his lordship, but do not mention any names. I should be glad to know some of them which would be most likely to assist me in matters that it would be proper to desire of his lordship, who is crowded with such a multiplicity of public business.

Pray, sir, let me know as soon as possible, and you would greatly oblige,

Your assured friend and humble servant,

EVELYN PIERPONT.

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 12, 1774.

P. S. Vertez.

P. S. If you ha'n't sent, I beseech you to do it immediately; for letters which were writ, when I thought that his Grace was alive and in health, with a view that his Grace himself should open the door for me and son to pay our duty to him, will appear better than letters writ after his death. I am sorry that in my narrative I did not mention that my grandfather, John Pierpont, who first came into New England, was the son of James Pierpont, who fell into trade with a partner between London and Ireland, but in the troublous times they were bankrupt—which he hearing sent for his brother, Robert, and offered him part of his farm at Roxbury. He came accordingly, and they lived as brothers. They had 3 sisters, at least, one of whom was married to Mr. Eaton, minister of Bridport, who was silenced for dissenting from the Church of England. James, after he failed, came over here to see his children, and died at Ipswich, in this country. I have heard that my grandfather had often presents sent him by his friends in Derbyshire.

Yours,

JAMES PIERPONT.

Jan. 20, 1774.

The original letters, of which the foregoing are copies, were, previously to his decease, among the private papers of the poet, Rev. John Pierpont, once of Medford, Mass., and afterwards for several years a resident of Washington, D. C.

The writer was kindly permitted by him, and afterwards by his son, John Pierpont, Esq., of New York, to have free access to his papers pertaining to Pierpont genealogy, and to copy what he would. From them many of the dates that follow were gained. ]

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The children of John Pierpont of Roxbury, the settler, and Thankful Stow, were:

1. Thankful Pierpont, b. Nov. 26, 1649, d. Dec. 16, 1649.
2. John Pierpont, b. July 22, 1651, d. July 28, 1651.

3. John Pierpont, 2d, b. Oct. 28, 1652, d. Dec. 30, 1690, without issue.

4. Experience Pierpont, b. Feb. 4, 1654, m. March 12, 1678, John Hayward.

5. A child, b. Aug. 4, and d. Aug. 9, 1657.

6. Rev. James Pierpont, b. Jan. 4, 1659, d. Nov. 22, 1714.

7. Ebenezer Pierpont, b. Dec. 21, 1660, d. Dec. 17, 1696.

8. Thankful Pierpont, 2d, b. Nov. 18, 1662.

9. Joseph Pierpont, b. Aug. 8, 1666, d. in 1686, unmarried.

10. Rev. Benjamin Pierpont, b. July 26, 1668, d. in Charleston, S. C., Jan. 3, 1696-7, without issue.

#### DESCENDANTS OF REV. JAMES PIERPONT OF NEW HAVEN, CT.

I. Rev. James Pierpont (son of John Pierpont of Roxbury, the settler, and Thankful Stow), b. Jan. 4, 1659, grad. at Harvard in 1681, was settled at New Haven, Ct., for 29 years (July 2, 1685—Nov. 22, 1714). He m. Oct. 27, 1691, Abigail Davenport, b. in 1671 (dau. of John Davenport of New Haven and Abigail Pierson, dau. of Rev. Abraham Pierson of Branford, Ct. Her grandfather was the distinguished Rev. John Davenport, the first minister of New Haven). She d. of consumption, Feb. 3, 1691-2, aet. 20—a victim, it is said, of the fashion of the times, of wearing her bridal dress to church on the Sabbath after her wedding. The record of her death reads thus in his diary: "Feb. 3d, between 3 and 4, morning, my dear wife Abigail died of hysteric fits: 4th, at night, buried."

He m. for 2d wife, May 30, 1694, Sarah Haynes, b. Sept. 1673 (dau. of Rev. Joseph Haynes of Hartford and Sarah Lord). She d. Oct. 7, 1696, aet. 23. He m. for 3d wife, July 26, 1698, Mary Hooker, b. July 3, 1673 (dau. of Rev. Samuel Hooker of Farmington, Ct., and Mary Willett, dau. of Capt. Thomas Willett of Seekonk, L. I., and Mary Brown. Rev. Samuel Hooker was the son of Rev. Thomas Hooker of Hartford, Ct., called "the Luther of New England" and "the light of the Western Churches").

He was a man of uncommon prudence, amiable manners and exemplary piety. He with two other ministers formed the plan, in 1698, of founding a college, which resulted in the establishment of Yale in 1700. He, as one of the ten original trustees, all ministers, was very active in promoting its newly begun life and growth. It was largely through his influence that Mr. Yale was induced to make it the object of his liberality.

He was a member of the famous Congregational Synod held in 1708 in Saybrook, Ct.; and "The Articles" adopted at the time, and since well known as "The Saybrook Platform," are said to have been drawn by him.

"In the pulpit he was distinguished among his contemporaries. His personal appearance was quite prepossessing. He was eminent in the gift of prayer. His doctrine was sound and discriminating; and his style was clear, lively and impressive, without anything of the affected quaintness which characterized some of the most eminent men of that day."

He d. Nov. 22, 1714, aet. 55: she d. Nov. 1, 1740, aet. 68—a widow



for 26 years. There are fine portraits of them both to be seen still at New Haven, which were painted in Boston, in 1711, by a superior English artist temporarily sojourning there. In "Hollister's Hist. of Connecticut" he is described as having been "a man lofty and pure in his aspirations, and of the most spiritual temper, whose words, like the live coals from the hands of the angel, touched and purified the lips of those who listened to his teachings. His moral nature was so diffused over his church and people that they appeared to lose themselves in the absorbing element as dark forms seem sometimes in pleasant days to dissolve in an atmosphere of light."

Second Generation. Children:

*By second wife:*

2. i. Abigail Pierpont, b. Sept. 19, 1696, d. Oct. 10, 1768, aet. 72. She m. Rev. Joseph Noyes of New Haven, Ct.

*By third wife:*

3. ii. James Pierpont, b. May 21, 1699, d. June 18, 1776.

4. iii. Rev. Samuel Pierpont, b. Dec. 30, 1700, grad. at Yale in 1718, was settled at Lyme, Ct., Dec. 1722, and was drowned March 15, 1722-3, when crossing the Connecticut at Saybrook, in a canoe, with an Indian. His remains were found and buried on Fisher's Island.

5. iv. Mary Pierpont, b. Nov. 23, 1703, m. Rev. William Russell of Middletown, Ct.

6. v. Joseph Pierpont, b. Oct. 21, 1704, d. in 1748.

7. vi. Benjamin Pierpont, b. July 18, 1706, d. Dec. 17, 1706.

8. vii. Benjamin Pierpont, 2d, b. Oct. 15, 1707, grad. at Yale in 1725, d. at Virgin Gorda, W. I., unmarried, in 1733.

9. viii. Sarah Pierpont, b. Jan 9, 1709-10, m. Prest. Jonathan Edwards, and d. Oct. 2, 1758, aet. 48.

10. ix. Hezekiah Pierpont, b. May 26, 1712, d. Sept. 22, 1741.

i. Abigail Pierpont, b. Sept. 19, 1696, m. Nov. 6, 1716, Rev. Joseph Noyes, b. 1689 (son of Rev. James Noyes of Stonington, Ct., and Dorothy Stanton), grad. at Yale in 1709, and tutor there (1710-15). He succeeded Rev. James Pierpont, his father-in-law, at New Haven (July 4, 1716-1761). He d. June 14, 1761, aet. 72: she d. Oct. 10, 1768, at Wethersfield, Ct., aet. 72. He had two sons:

1. Rev. John Noyes, grad. at Yale in 1753, who d. in 1767, having never been settled in the ministry on account of poor health. He m. Mary, dau. of Rev. Joseph Fish of Stonington, Ct., and had 3 sons, one of whom was Rev. John Noyes, grad. at Yale in 1799, who was pastor at Weston, Ct. (1786-1846), where he d. May 5, 1846, aet. 83.

2. Rev. James Noyes, b. Aug. 4, 1764, grad. at Yale in 1782, was pastor at Wallingford, Ct. (1785-1832), for 47 years. He d. Feb. 18, 1844. He had 14 children.

Second Generation.

3. ii. James Pierpont, Jr. (son of Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven and Mary Hooker), b. May 21, 1699, grad. at Yale in 1718, and tutor there (1722-4), was an apothecary at Boston, and after his 2d marriage at New Haven. He m. in 1727 Sarah Breck, b. Nov. 23, 1710 (dau. of Nathaniel Breck of Boston and Martha Cunnabell) who brought him, it is said, an estate of £20,000. She d. without issue



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Sept. 28, 1753, aet. 43. He m. for 2d wife, March 28, 1754, Anne Sherman. He d. June 18, 1776, at New Haven, where he resided for the last 22 years of his life, aet. 78. His three eldest sons married three Collins sisters.

### Third Generation. Children:

21. i. Evelyn Pierpont, b. at New Haven, March 16, 1755, d. Sept. 30, 1809, aet. 54.

22. ii. Robert Pierpont, b. June 26, 1757, d. Aug. 16, 1835, aet. 78.

23. iii. James Pierpont, b. July 27, 1761, d. April 23, 1840, aet. 78.

24. iv. David Pierpont, b. July 26, 1764, d. Feb. 16, 1826, aet. 61.

25. v. William Pierpont,<sup>b</sup> Jan. 11, 1772, d. Feb. 16, 1841, aet. 69.

21. i. Evelyn Pierpont, b. March 16, 1755, m. about 1784 Rhoda Collins, b. Oct. 5, 1764 (dau. of Charles Collins of Litchfield, Ct., and Ann Huntington). He was a farmer at Litchfield (South Farms). In his later years he lived at New Haven, where he d. Sept. 30, 1809, aet. 54. She d. June 30, 1845. They had 11 children:

1. Sophia Huntington Pierpont, b. in 1785, who m. Nov. 1801, Jacob Goodsell of Fair Haven, Ct., b. Oct. 15, 1778. He d. Aug. 15, 1828. They had 11 children.

2. Philena Pierpont, b. in 1787, who m. Hezekiah Davenport of New Haven. They had 8 children.

3. Anne Sherman Pierpont, b. in 1789, who m. Richard Janes of Rochester, N. Y., who was b. in England. They had 6 children.

4. Evelyn Pierpont, Jr., b. in 1790, was a mariner and unmarried, and was wrecked, Jan. 4, 1814, on the coast of Norway, on board the American privateer "Scourge," in the war of 1812-15.

5. Rev. Hezekiah Beers Pierpont, b. July 28, 1792, m. May 29, 1814, Mary Mulloy (dau. of Edward Mulloy of New York). By his brother Evelyn's death, he became, as the oldest son of the oldest son in successive generations down to his day, the heir presumptive to the estate and the titles of the Duke of Kingston. He pursued his claims for some years with positiveness, but not with any gratifying success. He had 7 children. He was a Presb. clergyman, settled at Hopewell, Ontario Co., N. Y., and Avon, N. Y., and was quite recently living at Watertown, Wis.

6. James Pierpont, b. Aug. 11, 1795, d. unmarried at New Orleans, La., Oct. 14, 1823, killed in a duel.

7. William Pierpont, b. in 1797, settled on a plantation in Texas, which he called "Pierpont Place," was postmaster and member of the legislature one or more times. He m. Sophronia Frisbee of Burlington, Ct., and had 7 children.

8. Frances Edwards Pierpont, b. in 1800, m. Luther R. Laselle of Troy, N. Y. They had 6 children.

9. Frederic Wolcott Pierpont, b. at New Haven in 1802, m. in 1825 Hannah Becker. He was a woolen manufacturer at St. Catharine's, Canada. He had 6 children.

10. Lorenzo Pierpont, b. at New Haven in 1805, d. in the Florida war in 1844, on board "The Cyane," unmarried. He was previously a bookseller at Montpelier, Vt.

11. Elizabeth Collins Pierpont, b. in 1807, m. William McCoy of Livonia, N. Y. They had 3 children.

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22. ii. Robert Pierpont (son of James Pierpont, Jr., and Anna Sherman), b. at New Haven June 26, 1757, m. Oct. 11, 1780, Lois Collins of Litchfield, Ct. (dau. of Charles Collins and Anne Huntington). He was a clothier and afterwards a merchant, and lived successively at Harwinton, Ct., and Manchester, Vt., where she d. May 5, 1826. He d. at Plattsburgh, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1835, aet. 78. They had 5 children.

1. Frances Pierpont, b. May 29, 1782, m. Sept. 18, 1803, Gov. Richard Skinner, b. May 30, 1778 (son of Gen. Timothy Skinner of Litchfield, Ct., and Susanna Marsh), a lawyer at Manchester, Vt., M. C. (1813-15), Gov. of Vermont (1820-2) and Chief Justice of Supreme Court of the State (1824-9). They had 5 children.

2. Nancy Pierpont, b. Oct. 24, 1784, m. June 21, 1801, Dr. Ezra Isham, b. at Colchester, Ct., a physician at Manchester, Vt., b. March 5, 1773, where he d. Feb. 8, 1835. His widow removed to Dunkirk, N. Y., where some of her children resided.

3. Esther Pierpont, b. May 14, 1787, m. Calvin Sheldon, b. in 1788 at Rupert, Vt. (son of Hon. David Sheldon and Sarah Harman), grad. at Middlebury in 1806, a lawyer and State attorney. She d. in Oswego, N. Y., in 1833; and he in 1834.

4. Laura Pierpont, b. Jan. 30, 1791, m. Jan. 9, 1812, Col. Anson J. Sperry, b. Sept. 8, 1784 (son of Philo Sperry of New Milford, Ct., and Mary Peet), a lawyer at Manchester, Vt., and afterwards at Plattsburgh, N. Y. He d. Feb. 17, 1830. Five children.

5. Julia Pierpont, b. March 9, 1793, m. Richard Henry Warne of Mayfield, N. Y., who d. in 1824. She m. for a 2d husband Elias Marks, M.D., Prin. of the Female Coll. Inst. at Barhamville, S. C. Five children.

Third Generation.

23. iii. James Pierpont (son of James Pierpont, Jr., of New Haven and Anne Sherman), b. July 27, 1761, m. Sept. 18, 1782, Elizabeth Collins of Litchfield, Ct., b. Sept. 25, 1755 (dau. of Charles Collins and Anne Huntington). She d. July 28, 1815. He m. Dec. 16, 1817, widow Lucy Crossman, *née* Strong, widow of Rev. Joseph Crossman of Salisbury, Ct., b. June 19, 1778 (dau. of Dea. Benajah Strong of Coventry, Ct., and Lucy Bishop). She d. Feb. 20, 1835. He was a clothier at Litchfield, Ct., and "a most worthy and excellent man." He d. there April 23, 1840, aet. 78. See *Hist. Strong Family* by the author, vol. i. pp. 421-3. He had 9 children:

*By first wife:*

1. Sherman Pierpont, b. June 29, 1783, m. Dec. 1, 1807, Sidney Humiston, b. April 22, 1786, at Plymouth, Ct. (dau. of Jesse Humiston and Abby Blakesley): a farmer at Litchfield and Farmington, Ct., and Avon, N. Y. He was drowned in Lake Erie, May 7, 1836. She d. at Plymouth, Ct., May 16, 1841. They had 2 children:

2. Rev. John Pierpont, D.D., *the poet*, b. April 6, 1785, in Litchfield, Ct., m. Sept. 23, 1810, Mary Sheldon Lord, b. Jan. 30, 1787 (dau. of Lynde Lord and Mary Lyman). She d. Aug. 23, 1855, at Medford, Mass. He m. for 2d wife, Dec. 8, 1857, widow Harriet Louisa Fowler, *née* Campbell, widow of Dr. George W. Fowler (dau. of Archibald Campbell of Pawlings, N. Y.). He was grad. at Yale

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in 1804, studied law (1809-12) and was admitted to the bar in 1812, engaged during the war in mercantile business in Boston and Baltimore; studied theology (1817-19), was settled over the Hollis St. (Unitarian) Ch. in Boston (1819-45). He spent some years in Troy, N. Y., preaching (1845-9), and settled afterwards in Medford, Mass. (1849- ). His latest years he spent in clerical work in one of the department, at Washington, D.C. He d. suddenly at Medford, Mass., Aug. 26, 1866, aet. 81.

He was a very earnest advocate of temperance and anti-slavery reform. He published in 1816 "Airs of Palestine," and afterwards from time to time a large number of scattered poems. He had 6 children.

3. Sarah Pierpont, b. Jan. 14, 1787, d. July 11, 1794.

4. James Pierpont, b. March 2, 1789, d. Nov. 30, 1793.

5. Elizabeth Pierpont, b. May 28, 1792, m. March 5, 1817, Rev. John Langdon, D.D., grad. at Yale in 1809, tutor there (1811-15), preached in Bethlehem, Ct. (1816-25). She d. Sept. 21, 1823. Four children.

6. Sarah Breck Pierpont, b. July 21, 1795, m. Capt. George Coggeshall of Brooklyn, N. Y. She d. Oct. 1, 1822, leaving a child just born that d. soon afterwards.

7. Abigail Pierpont, b. Oct. 13, 1797, m. Dec. 9, 1824, as his 2d wife, Rev. John Langdon, D.D., previous husband of her sister Elizabeth. He d. Feb. 28, 1830. She m. for 2d husband Samuel Church. She d. Nov. 4, 1859. They had 4 children.

8. James Morris Pierpont, b. June 23, 1800, m. Nov. 5, 1823, Sila Harrison (dau. of Roswell Harrison). He lived at South Farms, Ct. He d. Nov. 27, 1839. They had 6 children.

### *By second wife:*

9. Leonard Pierpont (son of James Pierpont and Lucy Strong), b. Oct. 28, 1819, m. Jan. 28, 1841, Cynthia Turner, b. Sept. 20, 1815, (dau. of Isaac Turner of Northfield, Ct., and Cynthia Mason). He is a farmer at Paxton, Ill., where he is also County Treasurer. He was formerly a farmer at South Farms, Ct., and afterwards at Lacon, Ill. He has had 8 children.

### Third Generation.

24. iv. David Pierpont (son of James Pierpont, Jr., of New Haven, and Anne Sherman), b. July 26, 1764, m. June 12, 1787, Sarah Phelps of Litchfield, b. Oct. 4, 1766.

He lived at Litchfield, Ct. He d. Feb. 16, 1826. Nine children:

1. David Pierpont, Jr., b. Dec. 19, 1788, m. Sarah Palms of Litchfield. He lived at Richmond, N. Y.

2. Judge Robert Pierpont, b. May 4, 1791, m. Abby Raymond of Manchester, Vt. He resided at Rutland, Vt., and was Lt. Gov. of the State, and judge of the Supreme Court.

3. Edward Pierpont, b. July 1, 1793, m. April 5, 1815, Olive Blakeslee of Plymouth, Ct., b. May 1, 1789. He lived at Litchfield, Ct., and had 4 children.

4. Warren Pierpont, b. June 7, 1795, m. Mary Blakeslee of Plymouth, Ct. He lived at Richmond, Ct., and had 6 children.

5. Sarah Ann Pierpont, b. Aug. 21, 1797, m. James Greene.

6. William Pierpont, b. July 31, 1800, lived at Litchfield, Ct. He m. Elizabeth Tyrell of New Hartford, Ct. They had 5 children.

7. Charles Pierpont, b. May 22, 1802, lived at Richmond, N. Y. He m. Candace Leach of Torrington, Ct., and had 2 children.

8. John Pierpont, b. Sept. 10, 1805, m. a Miss Lawrence.

9. Laura Pierpont, b. Sept. 12, 1808, m. Warren Bancroft, and for a 2d husband Philip Pope.

She has had 4 children—three by her first husband.

#### Third Generation.

25. v. William Pierpont (son of James Pierpont, Jr., of New Haven, and Anne Sherman), b. Jan. 11, 1772, at New Haven, m. Huldah Ensign of Litchfield, and for a 2d wife widow Abigail Smith. He lived at Torrington, Ct. They had 8 children.

#### Second Generation.

5. iv. Mary Pierpont (dau. of Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven and Mary Hooker, his 3d wife), b. Nov. 23, 1703, m. Aug. 19, 1719, Rev. William Russell, b. Nov. 30, 1690 (son of Rev. Noadiah Russell of Middletown, Ct., and Mary Hamlin, whom he m. Feb. 20, 1689-90), grad. at Yale in 1709, tutor there (1713-14), settled at Middletown, June 1, 1715. He d. there June 1, 1761, aet. 70. She d. July 24, 1740. He was his father's successor in the ministry at Middletown.

#### Third Generation. Children:

26. i. Mary Russell, b. Nov. 30, 1720, m. Col. Matthew Talcott of Middletown.

27. ii. Esther Russell, b. Feb. 10, 1722-23.

28. iii. William Russell, b. July 23, 1725.

29. iv. Samuel Russell, b. July 7, 1727.

30. v. Rev. Noadiah Russell, b. Jan. 24, 1729-30, grad. at Yale in 1750, was settled at Thompson, Ct., for 38 years (1757-95). He d. Oct. 27, 1795, aet. 65.

31. vi. Sarah Russell, b. April 5, 1732.

32. vii. Mehitable Russell, b. Nov. 19, 1734.

33. viii. Hannah Russell, b. March 20, 1736-7.

34. ix. James Russell, b. Dec. 26, 1739, d. April 14, 1740.

[Rev. Noadiah Russell, b. in New Haven, Ct., in 1659, grad. at Harvard in 1681, settled at Middletown for 25 years (1688-1713), d. there Dec. 13, 1713. His wife, Mary Hamlin, b. Feb. 11, 1662, whom he m. Feb. 20, 1689-90, was dau. of Capt Giles Hamlin of Middletown and Esther Crow. See pp. 504-5, under head 2863. x. Their children were:

1. Rev. William Russell, b. Nov. 30, 1690, who m. Mary Pierpont, and so was brother-in-law to Jonathan Edwards. Their dau. Mehitable, b. Nov. 19, 1734, m. Col. Jeremiah Wadsworth of Hartford, Ct., b. July 12, 1743.

2. Noadiah Russell, Jr., b. Aug. 8, 1692.

3. Giles Russell, b. Nov. 8, 1693, d. Jan. 13, 1711-12.

4. Mary Russell, b. Dec. 30, 1695, d. Feb. 27, 1722-3.

5. John Russell, b. July 6, 1697.


6. Esther Russell, b. Aug. 14, 1699, d. March 27, 1720.

7. Daniel Russell, b. June 3, 1702.



8. Mehitable Russell, b. May 27, 1704.

9. Hannah Russell, b. Feb. 23, 1705-6, m. Joseph Pierpont, b. Oct. 21, 1704 (son of Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven and Mary Hooker.)

 Mehitable Hamlin, b. Nov. 17, 1664, who m. in 1687 Samuel Hooker of Hartford, b. May 29, 1661 (son of Rev. Samuel Hooker of Farmington, Ct., and Mary Willett), was sister of Mary Hamlin, wife of Rev. Noadiah Russell. ]

#### Second Generation.

6. v. Joseph Pierpont (son of Rev. James Pierpont and Mary Hooker), b. Oct. 21, 1704, m. about 1728, Hannah Russell, b. Feb. 23, 1705-6 (dau. of Rev. Noadiah Russell of Middletown and Mary Hamlin, and sister to Rev. William Russell of Middletown). He was a farmer in North Haven, Ct., where he d. 1748, aet. 44.

#### Third Generation. Children:

35. i. Samuel Pierpont, b. April 16, 1729, who had 3 children.

36. ii. Joseph Pierpont, b. Sept. 13, 1730, m. Oct. 21, 1756, Lydia Bassett. He was grad. at Yale in 1751. He lived at North Haven, Ct., where he d. aet. 93, Feb. 8, 1824. He had 4 children.

37. iii. James Pierpont, b. Oct. 2, 1732, had 4 children.

38. iv. Benjamin Pierpont, b. Jan. 7, 1734.

39. v. Hannah Pierpont, b. Nov. 12, 1736.

40. vi. Giles Pierpont, b. in 1738. He d. Jan. 16, 1832, aet. 94. He had 3 children: 1. Joel. 2. A child unnamed that d. soon. 3. Giles Pierpont, Jr. He m. a Miss Munson (dau. of Jonathan Munson of New Haven, Ct.). Judge Edwards Pierpont of New York is their son.

41. vii. Abigail Pierpont, b. June 6, 1743.

42. viii. Hezekiah Pierpont, b. Sept. 27, 1745.

43. ix. Sarah Pierpont, b. about 1747.

44. x. Mary Pierpont, b. about 1749.

#### Second Generation.

9. viii. Sarah Pierpont, b. Jan. 9, 1709-10 (dau. of Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven, and Mary Hooker), m. July 20, 1727, Rev. Jonathan Edwards of Northampton, the great metaphysician of America. For an account of their immediate descendants, see under the brief view of Edwards' lineage on previous pages.

10. ix. Hezekiah Pierpont (son of Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven, and Mary Hooker), b. May 26, 1712, m. in 1737, Lydia Hemenway, b. in 1715 (dau. of Rev. Jacob Hemenway of East Haven, Ct., and Lydia Ball). He lived in New Haven, in the old family mansion. He d. Sept. 22, 1741, aet. 29; and she m. for a 2d husband, Theophilus Morgan of Killingworth, Ct., to whom she bore two children, afterwards known as Capt. William Morgan, and Mrs. Aurelia (Morgan) Wheeler, M.D., of Salisbury, Ct. He had two sons.

#### Third Generation. Children:

45. i. Jacob Pierpont, b. in 1738, d. at Crown Point, while in the army, March 1760, without issue.

46. ii. John Pierpont, b. at New Haven, June 1, 1740, m. Dec. 29, 1767, Sarah Beers, b. Oct. 29, 1744 (dau. of Nathan Beers of New Haven and Hannah Nichols). He was a large landholder and lived in

the old family-mansion at New Haven. He d. Oct. 7, 1805; she d. April 15, 1835, aet. 90.

Fourth Generation. Children:

47. i. Hezekiah Beers Pierpont, b. Nov. 3, 1768, d. Aug. 11, 1838.
48. ii. Sarah Pierpont, b. June 22, 1770, d. Nov. 11, 1772.
49. iii. Sarah Pierpont, 2d, b. Feb. 27, 1773, d. March 3, 1773.
50. iv. Sarah Pierpont, 3d, b. April 30, 1774, d. Feb. 12, 1788.
51. v. Hannah Pierpont, b. Sept. 20, 1776, m. Rev. Claudius Her-  
rick, and d. July 10, 1859, aet. 82.
52. vi. Polly Pierpont, b. Sept. 20, 1776, d. Sept. 22, 1776.
53. vii. Polly Pierpont, 2d, b. April 3, 1778, m. Edward J. O'Brien,  
and for a 2d husband Eleazer Foster, and d. Jan. 29, 1852.
54. viii. John Pierpont, b. Aug. 8, 1780, resided in New York, and  
d. April 12, 1836, aet. 55.
55. ix. Nathan Pierpont, b. Oct. 18, 1782, d. in 1801.
56. x. Henry Pierpont, b. Jan. 19, 1785, d. Aug. 8, 1790, from the  
kick of a horse.

47. i. Hezekiah Beers Pierpont, b. Nov. 3, 1768, m. Jan. 21, 1802, Anna Maria Constable, b. March 10, 1783 (dau. of William Constable of New York and Ann White, dau. of Townsend White of Philadelphia). He was a merchant in New York, and the inheritor and holder of half a million of acres of land of great value in Northern New York, which were purchased originally for but eight cents an acre. He d. Aug. 11, 1838, aet. 69.

Fifth Generation. Children:

57. i. William Constable Pierpont, b. Oct. 3, 1803, is a large land-holder at Pierpont Manor, Jeff. Co., N. Y. He m. June 1, 1830, Cornelia Ann Butler (dau. of Benjamin Butler of Oxford, N. Y.). Has had 7 children.

58. ii. Anna Constable Pierpont, b. March 17, 1805, m. March 17, 1835, Gerrit G. Van Wagenen, grad. at Columbia Coll. in 1821, a lawyer in New York, and Treas. Columbia Coll. (1849-58). He d. Sept. 1858. She d. May 16, 1839.

59. iii. Caroline Theresa Pierpont, b. Feb. 28, 1807, d. Aug. 17, 1823.

60. iv. Henry Evelyn Pierpont, b. Aug. 8, 1808, m. Dec. 1, 1841, a Miss Jay, b. Sept. 12, 1819 (dau. of Peter A. Jay of New York and Mary R. Clarkson). He is the proprietor of immense landed estates in Northern New York, in developing which he has made more than 300 miles of road and executed more than 2,000 deeds. He has had 6 children.

61. v. Emily Constable Pierpont, b. Feb. 10, 1810, m. May 21, 1834, Joseph Alfred Perry, b. May 1807.

62. vi. Frances Matilda Pierpont, b. July 6, 1812, m. Oct. 23, 1849, Rev. Frederic S. Wiley, an Episcopal clergyman at Boston. He d. in Florence, Italy, Jan. 1864.

63. vii. Robert Fulton Pierpont, b. March 7, 1814, d. Oct. 27, 1814.

64. viii. Harriet Constable Pierpont, b. July 17, 1818, m. Nov. 13, 1838, Edgar John Bartow, of Brooklyn, a merchant in New York. She d. July 6, 1855: he d. Sept. 6, 1864.

65. ix. Mary Montague Pierpont, b. June 8, 1821, d. unmarried, Feb. 17, 1853.

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66. x. Theresa Pierpont, b. June 7, 1823, m. May 17, 1848, Joseph J. Bicknell, of Yonkers, N. Y.

67. xi. Julia Evelyn Pierpont, b. March 14, 1825, m. July 9, 1844, John Constable, of Constableville, N. Y.

68. xii. Ellen Isaphene Pierpont, b. May 2, 1828, m. Oct. 26, 1847, James Munroe Miner, M.D., of Petersburg, Va.

### Fourth Generation.

51. v. Hannah Pierpont (dau. of John Pierpont of New Haven and Sarah Beers), b. Sept. 20, 1776, m. about 1802 Rev. Claudius Herrick, b. 1775 (son of Henry Herrick of Southampton, L. I.), grad. at Yale 1798. He was settled for a short time at Woodbridge, Ct., and conducted for more than 20 years a very successful school for young ladies at New Haven (1808-31). He d. there May 26, 1831. She d. July 10, 1859, act. 82.

### Fifth Generation. Children :

69. i. Rev. Henry Herrick, b. at Woodbridge, March 5, 1803, grad. at Yale in 1822, m. Feb. 19, 1835, Sarah Maria Wright, b. at Windsor, Mass., July 29, 1814 (dau. of Asahel Wright and Lydia Worthington). Has had 9 children.

70. ii. John Pierpont Herrick, M.D., b. at Woodbridge in 1805, grad. at Yale in 1824, m. in 1856 Esther P. Foster, dau. of James Foster of Southampton, L. I., where he was a practising physician. He d. Jan. 28, 1848. He had 3 children.

71. iii. Sarah Maria Herrick, b. at New Haven in 1809, d. Sept. 18, 1813.

72. iv. Edward Claudius Herrick, b. Feb. 24, 1811, d. unmarried June 11, 1862. He was the librarian of Yale for 15 years (1843-58), and its treasurer for 10 (1852-62). He was a man of versatile genius, and ready wit, and comprehensive scholarship, and very genial qualities.

### Fourth Generation.

53. vii. Mary ("Polly") Pierpont (dau. of John Pierpont of New Haven and Sarah Beers), b. April 3, 1778, m. Nov. 11, 1796, Edward J. O'Brien. He d. May 18, 1799, and she m. for 2d husband, Jan. 12, 1806, Eleazer Foster of Union, Ct., grad. at Yale in 1802, a lawyer. He d. May 1, 1819. She d. at New Haven, Jan. 29, 1852, act. 73—for 34 years a widow. She had by the first marriage 2, and by the second 8 children.

### [Fifth Generation.] Children :

#### *By first marriage :*

73. i. Henry O'Brien, b. Oct. 15, 1797.

74. ii. Eliza Maria O'Brien, b. Nov. 25, 1799, m. July 8, 1822, Eli Whitney Blake, b. Jan. 27, 1795 (son of Elihu Blake and Elizabeth Whitney, sister of Eli Whitney, inventor of the cotton-gin), grad. at Yale in 1816, a manufacturer of hardware at Whitneyville, Ct., and author of some useful inventions. They had 12 children.

#### *By second marriage :*

75. iii. Mary Ann Foster, b. Oct. 24, 1806, resides unmarried at New Haven.

76. iv. Edward William Foster, b. June 12 and d. Aug. 9, 1808.



77. v. Pierpont Beers Foster, b. Sept. 8, 1809, m. July 16, 1838, Stella Law Bishop (dau. of Abraham Bishop of New Haven), who d. April 11, 1845, leaving one child, William Law Foster, b. April 26, 1841, grad. in 1865 at Yale Law School. He m. for a 2d wife, Dec. 20, 1849, Cornelia Augusta Miller, who d. without issue, Sept. 29, 1860. He m. for 3d wife, Oct. 22, 1863, widow Elizabeth A. Hugins. He resides at New Haven.

78. vi. Jane Newell Foster, b. Aug. 16, 1811, resides unmarried at New Haven.

79. vii. Eleazer Kingsbury Foster, b. May 20, 1813, m. Jan. 2, 1838, Mary Codrington (dau. of William Collins Codrington of Jamaica, W. I., and Sarah Smith). He is a lawyer in New Haven, and has had 4 children. He was grad. at Yale in 1834.

80. viii. Harriet Smith Foster, b. March 4, 1815, resides unmarried at New Haven.

81. ix. Caroline Hooker Foster, b. April 2, 1817, resides unmarried at New Haven.

82. x. Edward William Foster, b. March 28, 1819, m. Nov. 16, 1843, Harriet Maria Partridge, b. Feb. 12, 1822 (dau. of Samuel Partridge of Potsdam, N. Y., and Abigail Ladd), a merchant at Potsdam. Two children.

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V.

THE DESCENDANTS OF JUDGE HUGH GELSTON OF SOUTHAMPTON, L. I.

Rev. Samuel and Hugh Gelston, brothers, came from Belfast, Ireland, to Southampton, L. I. Samuel was settled as a Presb. clergyman there (1717-27), as colleague pastor with Rev. Joseph Whiting. Their father is said to have owned mills on the river of Belfast, and to have had a large family of children.

Judge Hugh Gelston, b. in Belfast in 1697, came with his brother in 1717 to Southampton, where he became a merchant. He was an Irish Presbyterian. In his later years he was for 21 years judge of the Court of Common Pleas for Suffolk Co., L. I. (1752-73), having been first appointed to that office, when 55 years old, in 1752, and reappointed in 1764 and 1771, under the colonial government. He m. in 1717 Mary Maltby, b. about 1698 (dau. of John Maltby, Jr., of Southampton, L. I., and Susanna Clark). She d. July 23, 1737, and he m. about 1745, for a 2d wife, Mrs. Mary, widow of Francis Pelletreau, and herself the 2d wife of Mr. Pelletreau, whose daughter Hannah, by her, b. Nov. 12, 1735, m. in 1757 Rev. Edward White of Southampton, L. I. (son of Rev. Sylvanus White), and d. March 1, 1810. Mrs. Mary (Pelletreau) Gelston d. Sept. 1, 1775, aet. 68. Judge Gelston d. Sept. 13, 1775, aet. 78.

[John Maltby, Senior, came to New Haven, Ct., about 1670, from Yorkshire, Eng., as is believed, with his brother William. They had the rank of gentlemen and were merchants. He m. about 1671 Mary Bryan of Milford, Ct., dau. of Richard Bryan, who was son of Hon. Alexander Bryan, who came from Ashton, Clinton, Bucks, Eng. She was b. at Milford, Ct., in 1654. He was lost at sea in 1676, as is supposed, and his widow m. about 1680 Rev. Joseph Taylor of South-



ampton, L. I., who d. aet. 31, April 4, 1682. She m. for a 3d husband, Jan. 30, 1690, John Howell, Jr., of Southampton, who d. aet. 44, March 8, 1692, and she was thus left 3 times a widow when but 38 years old. She had by her first marriage two children, twins: 1. John Maltby, Jr., and 2. Mary Maltby, b. at New Haven June 1, 1673. At the time of his mother's second marriage to Rev. Joseph Taylor, John Maltby, Jr., went with her to Southampton, where he m. Susanna Clark, and where he d. June 27, 1706, aet. 33. They had 2 children: 1. Mary Maltby, b. about 1698, who m. Judge Hugh Gelston, and 2. Sarah Maltby, b. in 1705, who d. Sept. 8, 1723.

Mary Maltby (twin with John Maltby, Jr., b. in New Haven, June 1, 1673, m. Dec. 5, 1689), Major Joseph Fordham (son of Rev. Robert Fordham of Southampton), and had 6 children: Mary, Joseph, Phebe, Alexander, John and Hannah. For some few further details concerning the Maltby family, see article by the author in the N. Y. Geneal. and Biog. Record, vol. ii, (1871) p. 131.

Judge Hugh Gelston had in all 13 children:

Second Generation. Children:

*By first marriage:*

2. i. Mary Gelston, b. Jan. 19, 1718, d. unmarried, aet. 22, Oct. 9, 1740.

3. ii. Susanna Gelston, b. March 28, 1721, m. Col. Josiah Smith of Moriches, L. I.

4. iii. Dea. Maltby Gelston, b. March 20, 1723, d. Sept. 22, 1783.

5. iv. Sarah Gelston, b. March 10, 1725, d. April 14, 1784. She m. Elias Pelletreau.

6. v. Samuel Gelston, M.D., b. March 24, 1727, was a physician at Nantucket, Mass. His wife was a Miss Oliver of Boston.

7. vi. Jane Gelston, b. April 13, 1729, m. Rev. Joseph Strong, and d. Sept. 21, 1811, aet. 82.

8. vii. Hugh Gelston, b. July 19, 1730, d. May 19, 1734.

9. viii. John Gelston, b. July 17, 1732, d. Feb. 26, 1734.

10. ix. Thomas Gelston, b. May 15, 1734, d. April 1, 1752.

11. x. Hugh Gelston, 2d, b. Sept. 13, 1735, d. Dec. 1, 1815, aet. 80.

*By second wife:*

12. xi. Mary Gelston, 2d, b. Aug. 10, 1746, m. Dr. Israel Ashley, Jr., and d. March 31, 1816, aet. 69.

13. xii. Jerusha Gelston, b. Aug. 28, 1748, m. Capt. Howell, and for a 2d husband Capt. Thomas Sanford. She d. Jan. 1837, aet. 88.

14. xiii. Thomas Chatfield Gelston, b. about 1750, d. aet. 16.

4. iii. Dea. Maltby Gelston, b. March 20, 1723, had a wife Mary Jones (dau. of Dr. Thomas Jones of New York and Margaret Livingston). He lived at Bridgeton, L. I., and was a deacon in the church, and was much esteemed for his piety. He d. Sept. 22, 1783, aet. 60. She d. Feb. 28, 1785. Mrs. Gelston's sister, Catharine, was the wife of Gov. Dewitt Clinton.

Third Generation. Children:

15. i. He had a dau. Phebe Gelston, who m. Nicoll Floyd (only son of Genl. William Floyd of Mastic, L. I., one of the signers of The

Declaration of Independence and Hannah Jones), b. Oct. 4, 1762. Their children were :

- (1.) William Floyd, who m. Julia Wolcott.
- (2.) David Gelston Floyd.
- (3.) Augustus Floyd.
- (4.) Hon. John G. Floyd, M. C. (1839-43 and 1851-3). He m. Sarah Kirkland, dau. of Genl. S. Kirkland of Utica.
- (5.) Catharine Floyd, who d. early.
- (6.) Julia Floyd, who m. Edward Delafield, M.D. of New York.
- (7.) Mary Floyd, who m. John Ireland of New York.

2. He had a son, Maltby Gelston, who was Prest. of the Manhattan Bank. He had several children, one of whom was a daughter ; but none of them were married.

16. ii. Elizabeth Gelston, b. Nov. 3, 1746, m. David Pierson of Sag Harbor, L. I.

17. iii. Jane Gelston; b. Aug. 9, 1748, m. David Sayre, and d. Jan. 4, 1832, aet. 83.

18. iv. John Gelston, b. Aug. 1, 1750, m. about 1778 Mrs. Phebe Morehouse, *née* Foster, widow of Nathan Morehouse. He was a grocer in New York, and for 20 years storekeeper of the port of N. Y. She d. and he m. for a 2d wife Phebe Herrick of Southampton, L. I. He d. in 1831, aet. 81. He had a son, John Gelston, b. June 24, 1779, who d. July 22, 1779, at East Haddam, Ct. He had also a son James, and a dau. Betsey, who both d. unmarried.

19. v. Thomas Gelston, b. April 7, 1752, m. Mary, dau. of David Corwith of Bridgehampton, L. I. They had 3 children :

- (1.) Sarah Gelston, who m. David Cook, and had 6 children.
- (2.) John Gelston, who m. and left no children.
- (3.) Richard Gelston, who m. twice and left 3 children. § 1. Laura Gelston, who m. Capt. Jeremiah Ludlow of Bridgehampton. § 2. Thomas Gelston, a merchant in St. Louis, Mo. § 3. Leander Gelston, a merchant in St. Louis.

20. vi. Hugh Gelston, b. Nov. 19, 1754, m. Puah, dau. of David Corwith of Bridgehampton. He was a merchant at Sag Harbor, and d. without issue April 26, 1828.

21. vii. William Gelston, b. Sept. 3, 1756, d. June 24, 1840, aet. 83.

22. viii. Mary Gelston, b. July 29, 1758, m. James Green of East Haddam, Ct., who was a mariner and lost at sea. She m. for a 2d husband Caleb Rogers of Bridgehampton.

23. ix. Abigail Gelston, b. Sept. 28, 1763, d. Jan. 2, 1781, aet. 17.

17. iii. Jane Gelston (dau. of Dea. Maltby and Mary Gelston), b. Aug. 9, 1748, m. about 1771 David Sayre of Bridgehampton, b. May 1, 1747 (son of Benjamin Sayre, b. in 1706, who d. aet. 84, in 1790). He was a carpenter and farmer. He d. Sept. 11, 1830, aet. 83: she d. Jan. 4, 1832, aet. 83.

#### Fourth Generation. Children :

24. i. Stephen Sayre, b. March 9, 1772, m. Sophia Rysam. He was a merchant and farmer at Bridgehampton. He d. July 2, 1822, aet. 50. His children were Mary, Fanny, David, William and Caroline.

25. ii. Gelston Sayre, b. Oct. 28, 1773, d. Jan. 27, 1786.

- 26. iii. Elizabeth Sayre, b. June 10, 1775, d. Oct. 31, 1831, aet. 56.
- 27. iv. Mary Sayre, b. Jan. 8, 1778, d. Jan. 10, 1778.
- 28. v. Phebe Sayre, b. Sept. 24, 1779, d. Dec. 4, 1783.
- 29. vi. Jane Sayre, b. Dec. 6, 1781.
- 30. vii. Francis Sayre, b. Jan. 5, 1784, d. in 1868, aet. 84.
- 31. viii. Maltby Gelston Sayre, b. May 5, 1786, was a shipmaster. He d. unmarried at St. Catharine's, W. I., Dec. 10, 1825, when homeward bound on a whaling voyage.
- 32. ix. Phebe Sayre, b. Aug. 2, 1787, was living very recently at a great age at Bridgehampton.
- 33. x. David Sayre, b. Aug. 5, 1789, d. Sept. 29, 1792.
- 34. xi. Hugh Sayre, b. April 15, 1791, d. Oct. 11, 1793.

30. vii. Francis Sayre (son of David Sayre and Jane Gelston), b. Jan. 5, 1784, m. Feb. 15, 1810, Susan Taylor of Catskill, N. Y. (dau. of Capt. George Taylor). He was a tin and stove dealer at Catskill, and an active Christian; and lived to a hale old age. He was the fireman on board the first steamboat on which Robert Fulton went up the river Hudson. The writer has heard him describe the singular, and even humorous, experiences of the trip. She d. Oct. 5, 1861; he d. in 1868, aet. 84.

#### Fifth Generation. Children:

- 35. i. Jane Gelston Sayre, b. Dec. 2, 1810, lives unmarried at Catskill.
- 36. ii. Sophia Sayre, b. Oct. 5, 1812, d. Oct. 24, 1819.
- 37. iii. James Maltby Sayre, b. March 4, 1814, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1834, is a merchant at Catskill, where he lives unmarried.
- 38. iv. Samuel Penfield Sayre, b. Oct. 12, 1815, d. Oct. 4, 1816.
- 39. v. Mary Sayre, b. June 4, 1817, m. about 1839, Charles B. Pinckney, b. June 20, 1813 (son of James Pinckney, Esq., and Louisa Bellamy), a merchant in Catskill. She d. May 31, 1855, aet. 38. They had 3 children:
  - 1. Francis Sayre Pinckney, b. Oct. 14, 1840.
  - 2. A daughter, unnamed, b. and d. in 1844.
  - 3. Mary Agnes Pinckney, b. Sept. 3, 1848.

#### Third Generation.

21. vii. William Gelston (son of Dea. Maltby Gelston of Bridgehampton), b. Sept. 3, 1756, m. July 1781, Scena Sears, b. July 11, 1760 (dau. of Matthew Sears and Martha Warner). He was a farmer at East Haddam, Ct. He d. June 24, 1840, aet. 83. She d. March 7, 1846, aet. 85.

#### Fourth Generation. Children:

- 40. i. Abigail Gelston, b. Sept. 3, 1781, m. Joseph Sluman Brainerd (son of Amasa Brainerd and Jedidah Osborne), b. Sept. 5, 1776, a resident of New York. He d. at E. Haddam, Ct., Dec. 24, 1840. No issue.
- 41. ii. Matilda Gelston, b. Feb. 14, 1783, m. Jan. 10, 1821, Timothy Wright. No issue.
- 42. iii. Larissa Gelston, b. April 15, 1785, m. a Mr. Welles of East Haddam, without issue.
- 43. iv. William Gelston, Jr., b. April 22, 1787, resided at East Haddam, Ct.

44. v. Hugh Gelston, b. June 8, 1789, d. Sept. 30, 1790.

45. vi. Hugh Gelston, 2d, b. Aug. 30, 1794, m. Rebecca Durham of Baltimore, Md., where he was a merchant, and where he d. Aug. 6, 1873, aet. 79, having resided in that city for more than 50 years, and having been "one of its most influential and wealthy citizens."

46. vii. Maltby Gelston, b. Nov. 23, 1797, d. at Charleston, S. C., March 23, 1828.

47. viii. Richard D. Gelston, b. June 21, 1800, m. Sept. 16, 1821, Carile D. Palmer, b. Dec. 17, 1802 (dau. of William Palmer of East Haddam, Ct., and Dorothy Smith).

48. ix. Henry Gelston, b. Feb. 26, 1803, m. in 1832 Ann M. Howell. He is a merchant in New York. Has had 4 children: Helen, Emma A., Jessie and William.

49. x. George Sears Gelston, b. Aug. 13, 1805, m. Miss Minell. He resides at Fort Hamilton, N. Y.

43. iv. William Gelston, Jr., b. April 22, 1787, m. Oct. 21, 1821, Lucy Bigelow. He was a farmer at East Haddam, Ct.

Fifth Generation. Children:

50. i. Larissa Gelston, b. Nov. 3, 1822, d. March 10, 1825.

51. ii. Abby Ann Gelston, b. Jan. 16, 1825, m. June 9, 1846, Henry E. West of New London, Ct.

52. iii. Maltby Gelston, b. Dec. 2, 1826, a jeweller in New York.

53. iv. Mary Jane Gelston, b. Sept. 26, 1829, d. Aug. 3, 1839.

54. v. John Bigelow Gelston, b. July 14, 1834, a farmer at East Haddam, m. Oct. 29, 1862, Sarah Brainerd Ackley, b. April 14, 1840 (dau. of Isaac Ackley and Rebecca Cone).

55. vi. Lucy Gelston, b. Nov. 8, 1838, resides at East Haddam unmarried.

Second Generation.

5. iv. Sarah Gelston (dau. of Hugh Gelston and Mary Maltby), b. March 10, 1725, m. Dec. 29, 1748, Elias Pelletreau, b. May 31, 1726 (son of Francis Pelletreau and Jane Osborne).

Third Generation. Children:

56. i. Jane Pelletreau, b. May 13, 1750, m. Judge Pliny Hillyer of Connecticut.

57. ii. Francis Pelletreau, b. May 15, 1752, d. Sept. 29, 1765.

58. iii. John Pelletreau, b. July 29, 1755, d. Aug. 26, 1822, aet. 77.

59. iv. Elias Pelletreau, b. Aug. 29, 1757.

60. v. Hugh Pelletreau, b. Nov. 25, 1762, d. July 30, 1771.

58. iii. John Pelletreau (son of Elias Pelletreau and Sarah Gelston), b. July 29, 1755, m. April 9, 1785, Mary Smith, dau. of Dr. William Smith. She d. Dec. 2, 1817. He d. Aug. 26, 1822, aet. 77.

Fourth Generation. Children:

61. i. William Smith Pelletreau, b. June 8, 1786, d. March 15, 1842, aet. 52.

62. ii. Nathaniel Pelletreau, b. Sept. 18, 1787, d. Jan. 5, 1823, aet. 35.

63. iii. Sarah Pelletreau, b. July 19, 1789, d. April 15, 1839, aet. 49.

64. iv. Charles Pelletreau, b. Dec. 19, 1791, d. Feb. 27, 1863, aet. 71.

65. v. Edwin Pelletreau, b. Jan. 11, 1795, d. in 1840, aet. 45.

66. vi. John Smith Pelletreau, b. Feb. 15, 1804, d. Dec. 1, 1824.



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61. i. William Smith Pelletreau, b. June 8, 1786, m. May 23, 1810, Nancy Mackie (dau. of David Mackie). She d. and he m. for a 2d wife, June 26, 1834, Elizabeth Wells (dau. of Col. Isaac Wells of Westfield, Mass.).

### Fifth Generation. Children:

#### *By first wife:*

- 67. i. Albert Pelletreau, b. July 30, 1811, d. May 19, 1843.
- 68. ii. George Pelletreau, b. Oct. 9, 1812, d. Dec. 21, 1832.
- 69. iii. Jane Pelletreau, b. May 14, 1815, m. Oct. 1, 1835, Lyman Lewis, and d. May 20, 1842, aet. 27.
- 70. iv. Mary Smith Pelletreau, b. April 1818, d. Oct. 9, 1819.
- 71. v. Gilbert Pelletreau, b. Dec. 7, 1819, m. May 14, 1849, Hannah Westbrook.
- 72. vi. Hugh Gelston Pelletreau, b. Jan. 29, 1822, d. Feb. 24, 1826.
- 73. vii. Alexander Pelletreau, b. March 24, 1824.
- 74. viii. Mary Gelston Pelletreau, b. Dec. 18, 1826.
- 75. ix. Francis Pelletreau, b. Aug. 29, 1829.

#### *By second wife:*

- 76. x. Helen Pelletreau, b. June 1, 1835.
- 77. xi. William Smith Pelletreau, b. July 19, 1840.
- 78. xii. George Wells Pelletreau, b. July 3, 1842.

### Second Generation.

7. vi. Jane Gelston (dau. of Judge Hugh Gelston of Southampton, L. I., and Mary Maltby), b. April 13, 1729, m. June 7, 1753, Rev. Joseph Strong, b. March 19, 1728-9 (son of Capt. Joseph Strong of Coventry, Ct., and Elizabeth, dau. of Preserved Strong of Coventry, and Tabitha Lee), grad. at Yale in 1749, pastor at Granby, Ct., for 27 years (1752-79), and at Williamsburgh, Mass., for 22 (1781-1803). He d. Jan. 1, 1803, aet. 75. She d. Sept. 21, 1811, aet. 82. For full account of him and his kindred and family, see "Hist. of Strong Family" by the author, vol. i.

### Third Generation. Children:

79. i. Jane Strong, b. Oct. 5, 1754, m. in 1779, Rev. Reuben Holcombe, b. Feb. 11, 1752 (son of Reuben Holcombe of W. Granby, Ct., and Susanna Hayes), grad. at Yale in 1774, settled at Sterling, Mass., for 35 years (1779-1814). She d. April 11, 1822, aet. 66. He m. again. He had a daughter Susan, who d. before it was a year old. He adopted two children. See Hist. of Strong Family.

80. ii. Rev. Joseph Strong of Heath, Mass., b. April 7, 1756, grad. at Yale in 1784, m. May 20, 1786, Sophia Woodbridge, b. Oct. 16, 1761 (dau. of Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley, Mass., and Martha Clark, his 2d wife). See, for full account of his descendants, subsequent pages, under account of descendants of Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley.

81. ii. Gelston Strong, b. Nov. 15, 1758, m. in 1782 Deborah Rowe of Granby, Ct., b. April 8, 1754 (dau. of Abijah Rowe and Deborah Forward). He was a farmer and speculator at Granby. He d. about 1804: she d. Sept. 30, 1808. He had 8 children, for account of whom and their posterity see Hist. of Strong Family.

82. iii. Elizabeth Strong, b. April 27, 1760, m. Dec. 1, 1793, Loth-

rop Mayhew, a farmer in Williamsburgh, Mass., and afterwards, for a 2d husband, Sherebiah Butts, a farmer in S. Hadley, Mass. She d. in Goshen, Mass., Feb. 13, 1849, aet. 89. See Hist. of Strong Family.

83. iv. Mary Strong, b. May 24, 1762, m. Oct. 11, 1781, Perez Clapp of Southampton, Mass., b. June 14, 1757 (son of Roger and Anna Clapp), a merchant and taverner. She d. Oct. 31, 1802, aet. 40. He d. April 4, 1818. Had 7 children.

84. v. William Strong, b. Jan. 11, 1766, m. Oct. 14, 1792, Rhoda (dau. of John Skinner of Hartford, Ct.): a farmer at Williamsburgh, Mass. He d. April 8, 1849, aet. 83. She d. April 11, 1853, aet. 83. Had 6 children. See Hist. of Strong Family.

85. vi. Hannah Strong, b. March 19, 1768, m. Dec. 30, 1790, Seth Dwight of Williamsburgh, Mass., b. Dec. 15, 1769 (son of Josiah Dwight of that place, and Tabitha Bigelow), a merchant there and afterwards at Utica, N. Y., and Buffalo, N. Y. She d. at Utica, April 15, 1813, aet. 45. He m. again. He d. at Buffalo, April 3, 1825, aet. 55. They had 7 children:

1. Harriet Dwight, b. Feb. 21, 1792, m. May 7, 1812, James Dana, a hardware merchant at Utica, N. Y.—the parents of Prof. James D. Dana of Yale College, and eight other children. She d. Sept. 13, 1870, aet. 78.

2. Delia Jane H. Dwight, b. March 8, 1794, m. Jan. 1, 1817, Rev. John White of Dedham, b. Dec. 2, 1787, grad. at Harvard in 1805, an Unitarian clergyman; and, for a 2d husband, May 25, 1859, Benjamin D. Emerson. Two children.

3. Emily Olcott Dwight, b. July 1796, d. Aug. 1803.

4. Mary Ann Dwight, b. in 1798, d. Aug. 1807.

5. Cornelia Strong Dwight, b. Dec. 8, 1801, m. about 1832, William Justus Buck of New York, and d. there June 5, 1846, aet. 44. One child.

6. Rev. Harrison Gray Otis Dwight, D.D., b. Nov. 22, 1803, the distinguished missionary to Constantinople; had nine children by two marriages. He d. Jan. 25, 1862, aet. 58.

7. Maria Matilda Dwight, b. June 5, 1806, d. July 1, 1806.

For a full account of this family of Dwights, see pp. 794–807.

86. vii. Susanna Strong (dau. of Rev. Joseph Strong and Jane Gelston), b. March 18, 1770, m. May 5, 1793, Thomas Mayhew, b. Nov. 12, 1767 (son of Payne Mayhew and Margaret Wass), a merchant at Williamsburgh, Mass. He d. March 26, 1843: she d. Sept. 12, 1842, aet. 72. Five children.

87. viii. Sarah Pelletreau Strong, b. Sept. 11, 1772, d. Sept. 24, 1772.

For a full account of the Gelston-Strongs, here briefly presented, see Hist. of Strong Family, vol. i. pp. 354–406.

#### Second Generation.

11. x. Hugh Gelston (son of Judge Hugh Gelston of Southampton, L. I., and Mary Maltby), b. Sept. 13, 1735, m. Nov. 1763, Phebe Howell, b. in 1739 (dau. of David Howell and Phebe —). She d. Sept. 18, 1772, and he m. for 2d wife, Nov., 1773, Mary Foster, b. in 1730 (dau. of Hachaliah Foster and Mary Culver). She d. April 1803, aet. 73. He was a farmer at Southampton, L. I., on the old fam-

ily homestead, but removed 9 years before his death to Sherman, Ct., where he d. Dec. 1, 1815, aet. 80. He had but one child, and that by his first marriage.

#### Third Generation. Child:

88. i. Rev. Maltby Gelston, b. July 17, 1776, studied theology with Rev. Jonathan Edwards, D.D., of New Haven, Ct., afterwards Prest. of Union Coll., N. Y. He preached in various places, as W. Granville, Mass., Roxbury, Ct., and W. Rupert, Vt., and at Sherman, Ct., for 45 years (April 26, 1797-1842), "on a salary of £100 and a few cords of wood." He was the only officer of the church for some years, performing the duties of both pastor and deacon. Under his ministry 249 persons were added to the church. He was a man of feeble bodily constitution, but of energetic and regular habits. He m. July 17, 1798, Jane Mills Bordwell, b. April 24, 1773 (dau. of Rev. Joel Bordwell of Kent, Ct., and Jane Mills). He was a man of prudence and patience, and was much valued as a presiding officer and counsellor in ecclesiastical meetings. She d. April 26, 1850, aet. 77: he d. Dec. 15, 1856, aet. 90.

#### Fourth Generation. Children:

89. i. Hugh Gelston, b. Dec. 17, 1799, m. May 21, 1828, Cornelia Gaylord, b. Feb. 28, 1803 (dau. of David Gaylord of New Milford, Ct., and Armida Giddings). He is a farmer at Sherman, Ct., and a deacon in the Cong. Ch. They have had 5 children:

1. Mary Eliza Gelston, b. March 27, 1829, d. Aug. 5, 1834.
2. Jane Armida Gelston, b. Nov. 9, 1830.
3. Betsey Gelston, b. March 5, 1833, m. Sept. 21, 1859, Ferris Leach, a farmer at Sherman.
4. Paulina Wildman Gelston, b. Oct 3, 1835.
5. Maltby Gaylord Gelston, b. Feb. 9, 1847, a farmer at Sherman.

90. ii. Betsey Gelston, b. March 7, 1801, m. Dec. 27, 1831, Hiram Fairchild, a farmer at Brookfield, Ct. Three children:

1. Sidney Hawley Fairchild, b. Nov. 3, 1835.
2. Sarah Lucia Fairchild, b. Aug. 18, 1837.
3. Eliza Gelston Fairchild, b. Feb. 11, 1839.

91. iii. Phebe Gelston, b. Sept. 15, 1803, m. Dec. 11, 1821, James Addison Potter of Lansing, Mich. She d. April 29, 1841. Nine children:

1. Clark Potter, b. Sept. 23, 1822.
2. Addison Potter, b. Feb. 8, 1825, d. Feb. 10, 1825.
3. Maltby Gelston Potter, b. March 23, 1826, d. Dec. 14, 1826.
4. Maltby Potter, b. Dec. 11, 1827.
5. Betsey Potter, b. July 23, 1830.
6. George Washington Potter, b. March 20, 1833.
7. Henry Martin Potter, b. Sept. 1, 1835.
8. James Addison Potter, b. Jan. 4, 1838, d. Oct. 22, 1860.
9. Phebe Jane Potter, b. Feb. 15, 1841, d. May 8, 1841.

92. iv. Rev. Maltby Gelston, b. April 30, 1805, grad. at Yale in 1827, and at the New Haven Theol. Sem. in 1830, m. Oct. 20, 1834, Marcia H. Merwin.

He was pastor (Presb.) at Clyde, N. Y. (1831-5), Rushville, N. Y.

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(1835-55) and Albion, Mich. (1855-61). Since 1864 he has resided at Ann Arbor, Mich., and preached at South Saginaw, Au Sable and Plymouth, Mich., as a home missionary. Seven children :

1. Antoinette Brackett Gelston, b. Dec. 29, 1837.
2. Adelaide Merwin Gelston, b. May 9, 1840, d. July 5, 1850.
3. Gratia Mary Gelston, b. Aug. 9, 1842, d. Feb. 20, 1844.
4. Sarah Green Gelston, b. July 7, 1844.
5. Joseph Maltby Gelston, b. and d. Feb. 11, 1846.
6. Joseph Mills Gelston, b. June 27, 1847.
7. Henry Wisewell Gelston, b. March 18, 1850.

93. v. Jane Gelston, b. Feb. 7, 1808, m. Sept. 18, 1827, Daniel Waldo Northrop, M.D., of Sherman, Ct., b. March 6, 1802 (son of Levi Northrop and Abigail Cable), grad. at Yale Medical School in 1825. They have had one child :

1. Charlotte Northrop, b. May 16, 1832, who m. Sept. 21, 1858, Nelson William Northrop, a merchant at Sherman.

94. vi. Mary Gelston, b. May 3, 1812, m. March 1, 1864, Samuel Curtiss Conn of Kent., Ct., a druggist.

95. vii. Rev. Mills Bordwell Gelston, b. Aug. 27, 1817, grad. at Yale in 1843, and at New Haven Theol. Sem. in 1846. He has preached as stated supply at Albion, Mich. (1847-55), and since 1855 at Naples, N. Y. He m. Sept. 10, 1851, Caroline Elizabeth Fanning, b. at Rushville, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1827 (dau. of William Fanning and Catharine —). Children :

1. Mary Catharine Gelston, b. May 4, 1853.
2. William Fanning Gelston, b. June 21, 1855.
3. Anna Bordwell Gelston, b. Aug. 15, 1857.
4. Arthur Mills Gelston, b. July 29, 1859.
5. Caroline Louise Gelston, b. Aug. 13, 1866.

### Second Generation.

12. xi. Mary Gelston (dau. of Judge Hugh Gelston and Mary Pelletreau), b. Aug. 10, 1746, m. in 1774 Dr. Israel Ashley, Jr., of Westfield, Mass., b. June 15, 1747 (son of Dr. Israel Ashley of Westfield and Margaret Moseley), grad. at Yale in 1767. He d. March 26, 1814, aet. 66 : she d. March 31, 1816, aet. 69. For Ashley genealogy see p. 822.

### Third Generation. Children :

96. i. Israel Gelston Ashley, b. Aug. 13, 1776, d. May 29, 1800.
97. ii. Mary Ashley, b. Aug. 21, 1778, m. Elijah Bates of Westfield, and d. July 10, 1845, aet. 67.
98. iii. Margaret Ashley, b. Nov. 11, 1780, m. Lyman Lewis of Westfield, and d. Nov. 18, 1833.
99. iv. Harriet Ashley, b. in 1783, m. Jesse Farnam, without issue. She d. April 2, 1855.
100. v. Thomas Ashley, b. March 16, 1787.

97. ii. Mary Ashley, b. Aug. 21, 1778, m. June 15, 1800, Hon. Elijah Bates, b. July 27, 1770 (son of Nathaniel Bates of Granville, Mass., and Hannah Church), grad. at Yale in 1794, a lawyer and State Senator, and in his later years a farmer. She d. July 10, 1845, aet. 67. He d. Feb. 4, 1850, aet. 79, at Westfield, Mass., where he resided.



## Fourth Generation. Children :

101. i. William Gelston Bates, b. Nov. 17, 1803, m. Oct. 30, 1830, Jane Pelletreau Ashley of Sheffield, Mass., b. Jan. 21, 1808 (dau. of Major William Ashley [son of Major Genl. John Ashley and Mary Ballantine], and Jane Hillyer, dau. of Judge Hillyer of Granby, Ct., and Jane Pelletreau, dau. of Elias Pelletreau of Southampton, L. I.) He was grad. at Yale in 1825, and is a lawyer at Westfield, Mass., and has been a member of the Gov.'s Council. They have had eight children, all but three of whom died in childhood. The three surviving ones have been :

1. Jane Ashley Bates, b. Feb. 24, 1835, m. Nov. 27, 1860, James Caruthers Greenough, a teacher in the State Normal School in Westfield. Their children are :

(1.) Jeanie Grace Greenough, b. June 8, 1863.

(2.) William Bates Greenough, b. Nov. 22, 1866.

2. Frances Buhler Bates, b. March 4, 1845.

3. Elizabeth Gelston Bates, b. in 1848.

102. ii. Mary Ashley Bates, b. May 29, 1809, m. as his 2d wife, Horatio Lane Warner of Sheffield, Mass., b. Dec. 10, 1795, a trader and manufacturer at Waterloo, N. Y., where he d. and where she still resides. They had one child :

1. Margaret Warner, b. Oct. 9, 1847.

103. iii. Henry Webster Bates, b. July 25, 1811, m. Dec. 14, 1836, Elizabeth R. Everughin. She d. and he m. for a 2d wife Augusta Concklin of Rensselaerville, N. Y. He is a merchant in New York. He had a son by his first wife :

1. Joseph Delaplaine Bates, who m. Hannah Lewis of Brooklyn. He resides in New York.

## Third Generation.

98. iii. Margaret Ashley (dau. of Dr. Israel Ashley, Jr., and Mary Gelston), b. Nov. 11, 1780, m. as his 2d wife, Jan. 20, 1805, Lyman Lewis, b. April 17, 1776 (son of Samuel Lewis of Plymouth, Ct., and Sarah Curtis), a merchant at Westfield. He d. Oct. 26, 1822, aet. 46. She d. Nov. 18, 1835, aet. 55. [By his first wife, Elizabeth Clapp, whom he m. Jan. 23, 1801, and who d. Aug. 26, 1803, he had a son, Samuel Clapp Lewis, b. July 26, 1803, a shipping merchant in Boston and Rio Janeiro.]

## Fourth Generation. Children :

104. i. Israel Ashley Lewis, b. Dec. 12, 1805, was a merchant at Westfield, and d. there April 5, 1831.

105. ii. Henry Lewis, b. Sept. 18, 1807, d. March 5, 1827.

106. iii. Lyman Lewis, b. May 2, 1801, m. Oct. 7, 1835, Jane Pelletreau of Southampton, L. I. She d. May 27, 1842, and he m. June 13, 1843, Jeanette Wells of Greenfield, Mass. He has been a merchant in New York and Westfield. *Children :*

1. Margaret Ashley Lewis, m. Jason R. Hanna of Rahway, N. J. ; 2. Lyman Lewis, Jr. ; 3. Elizabeth Mackie ; 4. Jane Pelletreau ; and, by second marriage, 5. Samuel Clapp.

107. iv. Frederic Lewis, b. June 23, 1812, a merchant in New York, d. Jan. 7, 1842.

108. v. Mary Gelston Lewis, b. Sept. 13, 1815, m. Aug. 30, 1843, Robert Colt of Pittsfield, Mass. (son of Samuel D. Colt), a wool dealer there. He d. Jan. 12, 1864. Three children: 1. Cornelia Gelston. 2. Robert Ashley. 3. Margaret Clapp.

109. vi. Thomas Ashley Lewis, b. March 25, 1818, m. July 20, 1841, Maria Seymour of Hadley, Mass. Six children: 1. Maria Seymour. 2. Thomas Ashley. 3. Orville B. 4. Frederic. 5. Henry S. 6. Charles B.

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100. v. Thomas Ashley (son of Dr. Israel Ashley and Mary Gelston), b. March 16, 1787, m. about 1834, Dolly Celestia Ives, b. Dec. 6, 1806 (dau of Major Matthew Ives). He was a merchant and banker in Westfield.

Fourth Generation. Children:

110. i. Thomas Ashley, b. April 26, 1836, a merchant at Bloomington, Ill., m. June 3, 1863 (whom not stated). His children:

1. George Whitman Ashley.

2. Lucy T. Ashley.

111. ii. Sarah Hale Ashley, b. April 26, 1841, m. Sept. 11, 1861, George R. Whitman, a merchant in Chicago, Ill.

112. iii. Lucy Thorpe Ashley, b. Feb. 6, 1844.

113. iv. Susan Celestia Ashley, b. June 14, 1848.

Second Generation.

13. xii. Jerusha Gelston (dau. of Judge Hugh Gelston and Mary Pelletreau), b. Aug. 28, 1748, m. about 1768, Capt. Arthur Howell of Portland, Me., who came from Long Island. He d. in Holland in 1772-3 (the news reaching Portland, March 29, 1773). She m. about Sept. 1773, for a 2d husband, Capt. Thomas Sandford, who administered upon his estate, b. Aug. 7, 1744, a sailing master in Portland, originally from Long Island. He d. Feb. 19, 1811, aet. 66. She was a member of Rev. Dr. Edward Payson's church. She d. in Springfield, Mass., Jan. 1837, aet. 88.

Third Generation. Children:

*By first marriage:*

114. i. Francis Howell, b. March 30, 1769, who d. March 28, 1807, aet. 38.

115. ii. John Gelston Howell, b. in 1771, who d. in 1772.

*By second marriage:*

116. iii. Mary Sandford, b. July 8, 1774, m. Sept. 21, 1794, James Scutt Dwight of Springfield, Mass. For their numerous and honorable descendants, see pp. 868-880, under heads 6115-6205.

117. iv. Sophia Sandford, b. March 13, 1776, m. Thomas Hovey of Portland: she d. in 1832.

118. v. Frances Sandford, b. July 20, 1778, m. May 18, 1806, James Waller Head of Warren, Me.

119. vi. Thomas Gelston Sandford, b. Jan. 17, 1781, d. Feb. 15, 1832.

120. vii. Laura Sandford, b. May 20, 1783, m. Dec. 30, 1805, Thomas Cross of Portland, Me.

121. viii. Delia Sandford, b. March 23, 1786, m. Joseph Swift of Portland.

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122. ix. Nathaniel Sandford, b. April 29, 1788, d. at Brookline, Mass., July 1821, unmarried.

119. vi. Thomas Gelston Sandford, b. Jan. 17, 1781, m. about 1813, Maria Halsey Head, b. April 22, 1796 (dau. of James Waller Head of Warren, Me., and Sarah Olney of Providence, R. I.). She d. Feb. 15, 1832. He lived at Topsham, Me. He d. Feb. 15, 1832, aet. 51.

### Fourth Generation. Children :

123. i. James Head Sandford, b. Aug. 13, 1814, m. about 1839, Dorothy Y. Burton. She d. and he m. for 2d wife Arabella ———. He resides at Mazeppa, Ill. He has had 3 children :

#### *By the first marriage :*

1. James Sandford, }  
2. Capt. Edward T. Sandford, } twins, b. Aug. 23, 1840.

He was a Captain of Cavalry in the late war, and a brave and efficient soldier.

#### *By the second marriage :*

3. George Dwight Sandford.

124. ii. Thomas Hovey Sandford, b. April 11, 1816, was a merchant for many years in New York City. He resides now (1873) in Pownal, Vt. He m. Sept. 6, 1837, Caroline Mary Bond, 2 children :

1. Adelaide McKenzie Sandford, b. Dec. 18, 1841.  
2. Lucretia Bond Sanford, b. May 4, 1844.

She d. Jan. 11, 1853; and he m. May 3, 1854, Ellenore Waller Head, his cousin, b. Jan. 11, 1832 (dau. of James Head of Portland, Me., and Jerusha Gelston Dwight). See previous page under head No. 6120, vi. Three children :

1. Edith Dwight Sandford, b. June 4, 1857.  
2. Frederic Swift Sandford, b. May 16, 1862.  
3. Parker Boyd Sandford, b. Dec. 7, 1865, d. Oct. 13, 1868.  
125. iii. Frances Head Sandford, b. Nov. 12, 1817.  
126. iv. William Sandford, b. June 30, 1819, drowned July 4, 1827.  
127. v. Joseph Head Sandford, b. Sept. 17, 1820.  
128. vi. Gelston Sandford, b. Oct. 12, 1826, drowned Nov. 30, 1837.  
129. vii. Maria Head Sandford, b. Dec. 30, 1829.

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## VI.

### THE DESCENDANTS OF REV. JOHN WOODBRIDGE OF SOUTH HADLEY, MASS.

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Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley was the son of Rev. John Woodbridge of W. Springfield, Mass., and Jemima Eliot, and grandson of Rev. John Woodbridge of Killingworth and Abigail Leete, dau. of Gov. William Leete of Conn. The parents of the last-named Rev. John Woodbridge were Rev. John Woodbridge of Newbury, Mass., the settler, b. in 1613, and grad. at Oxford, Eng., who came to this country first in 1634, and Mercy Dudley, b. in England, Sept. 27, 1621, dau. of Gov. Thomas Dudley of Mass. For a succinct account of the American Woodbridges, as descendants of Rev. John Woodbridge of Stanton, England, and a dau. of Rev. Robert Parker, one of the chief

scholars and non-conformists of his day, see notes by the author in his *Hist. of the Strong Family*, vol. i. pp. 358–61.

Rev. John Woodbridge of W. Springfield, b. June 10, 1678, d. June 10, 1718. His wife, Jemima Eliot, b. Nov. 14, 1679, was dau. of Rev. Joseph Eliot of Guilford, Ct., and Mary Brenton, dau. of Gov. William Brenton of R. I., and Martha Burton, dau. of Thomas Burton of Boston. Rev. Joseph Eliot of Guilford, b. Dec. 2, 1638, was a son of Rev. John Eliot of Roxbury, Mass., “the Indian Apostle,” and Ann Mountfort, a lady remarkable alike for her talents and her piety. He was grad. at Harvard in 1658, and settled at Guilford for 30 years (1664–94), where he d. May 24, 1694, aet. 55.

Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley (son of Rev. John Woodbridge of W. Springfield and Jemima Eliot), b. Dec. 25, 1702, grad. at Yale in 1726, was settled at S. Hadley for 41 years (1742–83), where he d. Sept. 10, 1783, aet. 80. He m. Nov. 24, 1729, his cousin, Tryphena Ruggles,\* b. June 22, 1707 (dau. of Rev. Benjamin Ruggles of Suffield, Ct., and Mercy Woodbridge, dau. of Rev. John Woodbridge of Killingworth and Abigail Leete). She d. Jan. 10, 1749, aet. 41, and he m. for 2d wife in 1750, widow Martha Strong, *née* Clark, b. April 10, 1726 (dau. of Samuel Clark, Jr., of Northampton, Mass., and widow Mary Davis, previous wife of John Davis, b. in 1690, who d. April 10, 1726, on the day of the birth of her daughter Martha). Her previous husband was Daniel Strong of Northampton (son of Nathaniel and Penelope Strong of that place). She d. Aug. 20, 1783, aet. 57.

Second generation. Children :

*By first wife :*

2. i. Tryphena Woodbridge, b. July 31, 1731, m. Samuel Preston of S. Hadley, and d. Aug. 18, 1777, aet. 46.

3. ii. Major John Woodbridge, b. July 24, 1732. He was the first one of the eldest sons of ten successive generations, each bearing the name John, that failed to become a minister. He d. Dec. 27, 1782, aet. 50.

4. iii. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge, b. Oct. 16, 1733, d. soon.

5. iv. Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge, M.D., b. March 5, 1739, d. unmarried March 8, 1819, aet. 80, a man of talent, energy, refinement, property, piety and public spirit, and much in public life, and for many years a member of the Mass. Legislature. He commanded a regiment at the battle of Bunker Hill, with which he covered the retreat of the continental army across Charlestown Neck. He told the writer's informant, Prof. Theodore Strong, LL.D., of Rutgers Coll., N. J., his uncle, who was nephew to Col. Woodbridge and the chief heir to his property, that “he was marching his men in good order across the Neck to the battle-field while the British were firing ineffectively at them, when Genl. Putnam, riding up hastily to him, said: ‘Col. Woodbridge, run with your men ! God curse you ! run !’”—in doing which, against his better judgment, under the orders of his superior officer, he lost several of his men, as he would otherwise not have done, and brought his troops in utter confusion to the field of action.

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\* She used to say sportively, now and then :

“Ruggles and Woodbridge came I from,  
From Ruggles to Woodbridge changed I am.”



From this and some kindred facts he came to feel that the General's military qualities were quite overrated.

Says Dr. J. G. Holland, editor of *Scribner's Monthly*, of him (*Hist. of West Mass.*, vol. ii. p. 274). "The name of Ruggles Woodbridge is among the proudest associations of the town. He was a man of great wealth and a Colonel in the Revolution, and for many years exercised a commanding influence in the town." A fine portrait of him is in possession of Hon. Maltby Strong, his nephew, of Rochester, N. Y.

*By second wife :*

6. v. Jahleel Woodbridge, b. Sept. 13, 1751, was at first a trader at S. Hadley and afterwards a farmer there, on the old homestead, where he d. unmarried, Dec. 31, 1825, æt. 74. His epitaph reads thus: "He was a man of much more than ordinary presence and dignity, a gentleman universally respected, a man of excellent judgment—not brilliant."

7. vi. Æneas Woodbridge ("old uncle Enos"), b. Sept. 29, 1752, d. Jan. 6, 1832, æt. 79, was a farmer at S. Hadley. He was a shrewd and quaint old bachelor, who always spoke of himself as "your uncle I." In dress, speech and conduct he was humorously peculiar. For all his familiar relatives and friends he had special names of his own that were notably suggestive of some striking point in their persons or characters, their employments or their names. His epitaph is that "he was the oddest man that ever lived, and of uncommon shrewdness. He never said, yes or no, or used ordinary names from about his 15th year of age."

8. vii. Dr. Sylvester Woodbridge of Southampton, Mass., b. May 10, 1754.

9. viii. Caroline Woodbridge, b. Dec. 14, 1756, m. Ithamar Goodman of S. Hadley, b. Feb. 1, 1757 (son of Noah Goodman and Abial Smith). She d. without issue Feb. 27, 1785, æt. 28. He was a farmer. The date of his death was not ascertained.

10. ix. Sophia Woodbridge, b. Oct. 16, 1761, m. Rev. Joseph Strong.

2. i. Tryphena Woodbridge (dau. of Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley and Tryphena Ruggles), b. July 31, 1731, m. about 1758, Samuel Preston, b. Oct. 29, 1715 (son of John Preston of S. Hadley and Mary Smith, dau. of Luke Smith) a farmer in S. Hadley. She d. Aug. 18, 1777, æt. 46: he d. Jan. 18, 1799, æt. 83. They had 5 children.

Third Generation. Children:

11. i. Samuel Preston, b. April 21, 1759. Nothing farther known of him.

12. ii. Emereniana Preston, b. Dec. 5, 1760, d. young.

13. iii. Tryphena Preston, b. Nov. 29, 1762, d. young.

14. iv. John Preston, b. Dec. 26, 1764.

15. v. Mary Preston, b. Sept. 21, 1767.

Second Generation.

3. ii. Major John Woodbridge (son of Rev. John Woodbridge and Tryphena Ruggles), b. July 24, 1732, was a trader at S. Hadley. He was a captain for 8 years in the French war, and was a major in the

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revolutionary war. He m. June 10, 1762, Mary Whitney of Watertown, Mass. He d. of apoplexy Dec. 27, 1782, aet. 50 : she d. Aug. 1805.

Third Generation. Children :

16. i. Dorothy Woodbridge, b. May 2, 1763, d. unmarried at S. Hadley.

17. ii. Lucy Woodbridge, b. Jan. 6, 1765, m. James Doane.

18. iii. John Woodbridge, b. July 12, 1769, was a farmer at S. Hadley, where he d. Dec. 2, 1835, unmarried.

19. iv. Martha Woodbridge, b. Jan. 8, 1771, m. John Dunlap and d. July 12, 1830.

20. v. Rev. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge, b. June 1, 1775, grad. at Dartmouth in 1795, was settled as a clergyman at Norwich, Mass. (now Huntington), for 32 years (1799-1831). In 1832 he returned to S. Hadley where he lived, unmarried, to his death, May 8, 1844, aet. 68.

17. ii. Lucy Woodbridge (dau. of Major John Woodbridge and Mary Whitney), b. Jan. 6, 1765, m. Sept. 27, 1790, James Doane, Jr., of W. Springfield, b. May 13, 1763, a blacksmith at S. Hadley, Mass. He d. May 28, 1838, aet. 75. She d. Dec. 29, 1835, aet. 70.

Fourth Generation. Children :

21. i. Allen Doane, b. at S. Hadley Dec. 18, 1791, m. in 1816 Melissa Squires. He d. Jan. 23, 1835.

22. ii. Martha Ruggles Doane, b. July 7, 1793, m. Nov. 20, 1840, Ezra Wood, who d. June 12, 1841.

23. iii. Louisa Doane, b. Jan. 3, 1799, d. unmarried Dec. 11, 1855.

24. iv. Lucy Woodbridge Doane, b. Aug. 14, 1800, m. Bardin Damon.

25. v. William Doane, b. April 20, 1802, at S. Hadley.

26. vi. Mary Whitney Doane, b. March 3, 1804, d. Oct. 18, 1804.

27. vii. James Doane, b. at Hadley, March 2, 1806, m. Jan. 21, 1831, Cordelia B. Sanford. He is a farmer at Hawley, Mass. He has had 5 children :

1. Martha A. Doane, b. June 20, 1832, m. in 1858 George W. Jourdain of Lafayette, O.

2. J. William Doane, b. Sept. 26, 1833, m. May 1864 a Miss Butler of Cold Spring, N. Y. He is a farmer.

3. Helen C. Doane, b. Jan. 10, 1838, m. Dec. 1857, Frank Beals.

4. Sylvia E. Doane, b. Dec. 24, 1847.

5. George Woodbridge Doane, b. May 4, 1848.

Third Generation.

19. iv. Martha Woodbridge (dau. of Major John Woodbridge and Mary Whitney), b. Jan. 8, 1771, m. in 1794 or 5 John Dunlap, b. in Jaffray, N. H., Jan. 19, 1768, a farmer at Huntington, Mass. He d. Nov. 26, 1847, aet. 79. She d. July 12, 1830, aet. 59.

Fourth Generation. Children :

28. i. Polly Dunlap, b. Jan. 5, 1796, m. Feb. 7, 1827, Ephraim Smith of S. Hadley, b. March 6, 1783 (son of Ephraim Smith and — Nims). She d. Dec. 16, 1856. They had a dau., Nancy Hooker Smith, b. Sept. 17, 1828, who m. Sept. 11, 1849, Charles Addison Bardwell of S. Hadley, b. Oct 8, 1826 (son of Alonzo Bardwell of that place and Harriet White), a farmer at S. Hadley.

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29. ii. George Dunlap, b. Oct. 31, 1798, m. Dec. 8, 1831, Electa Edwards of Southamptton, Mass. He was a farmer and trader. She d. at S. Deerfield, Mass., April 1838. He d. Nov. 5, 1838. They had a son:

1. George Edwards Dunlap, b. Nov. 1832, grad. at Amherst Coll. in 1855, a teacher for some years, and afterwards in the insurance business in Boston. He m. Nelly Clapp of Worcester, Mass.

30. iii. Samuel Dunlap, b. March 6, 1801, m. Sarah Field of Sunderland, Mass. He is a trader and farmer in Sunderland.

31. iv. Sumner Dunlap, b. Oct. 28, 1802, m. March 14, 1833, Mary Clapp of Worthington, Mass. He is a farmer at S. Deerfield, Mass. She d. July 1, 1861.

32. v. John Woodbridge Dunlap, b. July 17, 1806, m. May 3, 1837, Juliette Judd of Westhampton, Mass., b. 1809 (dau. of Eleazer Judd and Dorothy Lyman). She d. at S. Hadley, Aug. 19, 1841, leaving one child that d. soon. He m. for 2d wife, Jan. 16, 1844, Rhoda Barber Phelps of Windsor, Ct., b. July 28, 1810 (dau. of Roger Phelps and Rhoda Barber). He is a farmer at S. Hadley, living on the old Woodbridge homestead. He has had by his last marriage 2 children:

1. George Woodbridge Dunlap, b. Aug. 19, 1845, d. April 1, 1847.

2. Edward Phelps Dunlap, b. March 5, 1848.

Here ends the account of the descendants of Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley, by his first wife, Tryphena Ruggles. Of the children by the second marriage, a descendant of one them, himself now 77 years of age, says: "They were all above the ordinary standard of talents, and especially fond of theological disputation, in which it was always difficult to conquer them." "They were hard nuts to crack," he says. "They were all members of congregational churches."

### Second Generation.

8. vii. Sylvester Woodbridge, M.D., b. May 10, 1754 (son of Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley and Martha Clark, his 2d wife), was a physician of note at Southamptton, Mass. He m. (pub. Sept. 6), 1777, Mindwell Lyman, b. Nov. 1749 (dau. of Elias Lyman of Northampton and Hannah Allen). He d. 1824, aet. 70.

### Third Generation. Children:

33. i. Rev. John Woodbridge, D.D., b. Dec. 1784.

34. ii. Mindwell Woodbridge, b. Nov. 26, 1787, m. Rev. Vinson Gould.

35. iii. Rev. Sylvester Woodbridge, D.D., b. Nov. 11, 1790.

33. i. Rev. John Woodbridge, D.D., b. Dec. 2, 1784, grad. at Williams Coll. in 1804, m. in 1814 Mary Ann Seymour of Hartford, Ct. (dau. of Thomas Y. Seymour). He was pastor at Hadley, Mass. (1810-30), and afterwards of several churches in different places, as in New York, Bridgeport, Ct., and New Hartford, Ct., and in 1842 was settled again at Hadley (The Russell Society), which charge he retained until 1857, after which he continued to reside for some years at Hadley, and in the end removed to Chicago, Ill., where he d. His wife, Mary Ann, d. Jan. 16, 1858.

### Fourth Generation. Children:

36. i. Mindwell Woodbridge, b. March 20, 1815, m. Oct. 5, 1847, George A. Gibbs of Chicago. She d. Oct. 3, 1849, aet. 34.



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36. ii. Mary Ann Woodbridge, b. July 13, 1817, m. Aug. 11, 1840, Aaron Hawley, who d. Aug. 19, 1847. She m. for 2d husband Rev. Parsons Cook, D.D., of Lynn, Mass., July 20, 1850.

37. iii. Susan Augusta Woodbridge, b. Aug. 30, 1819.

38. iv. Emmeline Woodbridge, b. Nov. 23, 1821, m. Feb. 2, 1848, William P. Dickinson of Chicago.

39. v. Charlotte Woodbridge, b. March 6, 1824, m. Aug. 4, 1842, Elisha S. Wadsworth of Chicago.

40. vi. Rebecca Woodbridge, b. March 22, 1826, m. Oct. 2, 1850, Erastus S. Williams of Chicago.

41. vii. John Woodbridge, b. March 3, 1829, a lawyer in Chicago, m. July 10, 1851, Elizabeth Butler.

42. viii. Louisa Christmas Woodbridge, b. Sept. 10, 1831.

43. ix. Elizabeth Octavia Woodbridge, b. Jan. 10, 1836, m. Sept. 10, 1853, Rev. Richard H. Richardson, D.D., then of Chicago, now of Trenton, N. J.

### Third Generation.

34. ii. Mindwell Woodbridge (dau. of Dr. Sylvester Woodbridge of Southampton, Mass., and Mindwell Lyman), b. Nov. 26, 1787, m. Sept. 9, 1808, Rev. Vinson Gould, b. Aug. 1, 1773, at Sharon, Ct. (son of David Gould and Mary Brewster), grad. at Williams Coll. in 1797, in the first graduating class of the college, tutor there (1799–1801). He was settled at Southampton, Mass., for 31 years (1801–32), and preached at Bernardston for a short time (1833–6). He d. at Southampton, April 6, 1841, aet. 67. She d. Oct. 1, 1839, aet. 52. Under his ministry 715 additions were made to the church, and 46 young men in that small farming town acquired a collegiate education, chiefly under his influence and that of his talented and well-educated wife. She was a superior scholar and teacher, and herself prepared students for admission to college. Said Prof. Bela B. Edwards of Andover Theol. Sem., one of the 46 young men alluded to: "Her intellectual character was of a high order. Most of the 46 youth who went to college from Southampton, were indebted to the friendly assistance and thorough training of her husband. In his absence she frequently took his place, and with much readiness and ability heard recitations in Cæsar, Virgil, Cicero and the Greek Testament—devoting much of her time and strength to a cause which she ever had greatly at heart, the preparation of young men for the gospel ministry." Prof. Edwards A. Park of Andover also said of her: "Her praise is in all the churches." They had six children.

[David Gould was the son of Job Gould, b. in Milford, Ct., and Sarah Prindle. Mary Brewster was the dau. of James Brewster and Faith Ripley, dau. of Joshua Ripley of Windham, Ct., and Hannah Bradford, who was dau. of Gov. William Bradford, Jr., and so granddaughter of William Bradford, Gov. of Plymouth Colony.]

### Fourth Generation. Children:

44. i. Mary Brewster Gould, b. Dec. 23, 1810, m. Dec. 25, 1832, Rev. Alexander Wilson McClure, D.D., b. at Boston, Mass., May 8, 1808 (son of Thomas and Mary McClure), grad. at Amherst in 1827, and at Andover Theol. Sem. in 1830. He was stated supply at Malden, Mass. (1830–2), and pastor there (1832–43). He preached at



St. Augustine, Fla. (1844-6); and was editor of *The Christian Observatory* at Boston (1847-50); returned to Malden, Mass. (1848-51); was settled over Dutch Ref. Ch. in Jersey City (1851-4); was Sec. Am. and For. Ch. Union (1855-7), and went afterwards to Rome, Italy, as chaplain; and secured the erection at Paris, France, of the American Chapel there. He suffered from asthma greatly. He d. at Canonsburg, Pa., Sept. 20, 1865, aet. 56. His widow has resided at Middletown, Del., since his death. They had 8 children:

1. Thomas Vinson McClure, b. April 27, 1834, d. Aug. 17, 1841.
2. Mary Mindwell McClure, b. June 11, 1835, m. Nov. 7, 1855, N. Delaplaine Danforth of Jersey City, N. J., who d. in 1860, and she m. for a 2d husband, Aug. 15, 1865, S. H. Emory of Quincy, Ill.
3. Alexander Wilson McClure, b. May 21, 1839, was a Major of U. S. Cavalry in the late war. He m. 1865, Jeanie W. Patton, his cousin (dau. of Rev. John Patton, D.D.).
4. Agnes Moorehead McClure, b. Feb. 7, 1843, m. June 8, 1865, William L. Alden (son of Rev. Joseph Alden, D.D., Prest. of Jefferson Coll., Pa.)
5. Edward Woodbridge McClure, b. in 1847.
6. Anna Eliza McClure, b. in 1849.
7. John Eliot McClure, b. in 1851, d. in 1852.
8. Margaret McClure, b. in 1854, d. in 1854.

45. ii. Mindwell Lyman Gould, b. in 1812, m. as his 2d wife, Sept. 1, 1842, Rev. John Patton, D.D., b. in Cecil Co., Md., 1808 (son of John Patton and Eleanor Campbell), grad. at Jeff. Coll. in 1826, and at the Union Theol. Sem., Va. (at Hampden Sidney, Va.). He was pastor at Philadelphia of "The Western Presb. Ch." (1835-43), and of the Logan Square Presb. Ch. (1855-65). He was, in the interval between, Secretary of the Philadelphia Education Society. Since 1866 he has been pastor of the First Presb. Ch. of Middletown, Del. Children:

1. John Woodbridge Patton, b. July 13, 1843, grad. at Princeton Coll. in 1864, is a lawyer in Philadelphia.

2. Thomas Chalmers Patton, b. May 19, 1847, d. Nov. 1847.

46. iii. David Gould, b. July 8, 1814, grad. at Amherst Coll. in 1834, was a teacher at Washington, D. C., for several years, in the classics and natural sciences. In 1839 he was admitted to the N. Y. bar, and practised law in New York until 1863, residing most of the time in Jersey City. He was an earnest active member of the Dutch Ref. Ch. In 1866, his health having greatly failed, he was commissioned (May 18th) U. S. Consul to Leith, Scotland. For a year and more he filled successfully and honorably the duties of that office, and d. of disease of the heart at Edinburgh, Scotland, July 22, 1867, aet. 53, with a heart full of sweet rest in Christ. He m. June 19, 1843, Mary Catalina Vroom of New Brunswick, N. J., b. Oct. 11, 1821 (dau. of Guysbert Bogert Vroom and Catalina Maria Delamater). She d. aet. 37, at Jersey City, N. J., June 19, 1859. He m. Aug. 1, 1860, Julia Cantine De Witt, b. at Albany, N. Y., April 3, 1831 (dau. of Ephraim De Witt and Ann Walsh). There was no issue by this marriage. By his first wife he had one child:

1. Georgine Vroom Gould, b. at Brooklyn, L. I., Aug. 23, 1848.

47. iv. Rachel Gould, } resides at Norfolk, Va., unmarried.  
                                      } twins, b. about 1818.

48. v. Sarah Gould, } resides unmarried at Norfolk, Va.

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49. vi. Margarette Gould, b. in 1822, m. Sept. 4, 1845, Orloff Mather Dorman, b. in Wilbraham, Mass., in 1809 (son of Stephen Dorman and — Mather), grad. at Amherst Coll. in 1831, a lawyer at St. Augustine, Fla. At the breaking out of the late war he came north, and was appointed paymaster in the U. S. A., holding the office until March 1866. He removed afterwards to Norfolk, Va.

### Third Generation.

35. iii. Rev. Sylvester Woodbridge, D.D. (son of Dr. Sylvester Woodbridge of Southampton and Mindwell Lyman), b. Nov. 11, 1790, m. in 1812, while in Williams Coll., Elizabeth Gould, b. July 14, 1786 (dau. of David Gould of Sharon, Ct., and Mary Brewster, and sister to Rev. Vinson Gould, his brother-in-law). He went from Andover Theol. Sem. in 1814: was settled in Greenfield, Mass. (1817–23), and at Greenville, N. Y. (1824–31): was agent of the Am. Tract Soc. (1831–8), and afterwards of Auburn Theol. Sem., and of Oakland Coll., Miss.: stated supply at Westhampton, L. I. (1841–8), and was pastor of the Second Presb. Ch. of New Orleans, La. (1852–60). He d. there June 30, 1863, aet. 72. She d. in Woodville, Miss., Nov. 1851, aet. 65. They had seven children, one of whom, Almira, b. about 1817, d. in early childhood.

### Fourth Generation. Children:

50. i. Rev. Sylvester Woodbridge, b. June 15, 1813, at Sharon, Ct., grad. at Union Coll. in 1830, and at Princeton Theol. Sem. afterwards, m. May 8, 1836, Mary Foster, b. Aug. 3, 1816 (dau. of Cephas Foster of Quogue, L. I., and Abby Rogers. The parents of Cephas Foster were Josiah Foster and Esther Post. Josiah Foster was son of John Foster, who was son of Christopher Foster, one of the first settlers of Southampton, L. I.). He was pastor of the Presb. Ch. of Westhampton, L. I. (1836–7), of Hempstead, L. I. (1837–48), went Nov. 1848 to California as a missionary, and March 11, 1849, held the first worship ever had on the North side of San Francisco Bay, in California, at Benicia, where he soon organized a Presb. Ch., over which he was formally installed as pastor, Feb. 21, 1850, which relation he maintained until 1867. He has been for some years past editor of "The Occident," a religious newspaper (Presb.), published at San Francisco, Cal. His children, eleven in all, have been:

1. Sylvester Woodbridge, M.D., b. Feb. 26, 1837, asst. surgeon in the U. S. Marine Hospital in San Francisco.

2. Mary Emma Woodbridge, b. April 19, 1839, m. June 25, 1863, Prof. Paul Pioda, teacher in the High School of San Francisco.

3. Willie Woodbridge, b. Dec. 1, 1841, d. Aug. 13, 1842.

4. Grace Elizabeth Woodbridge, b. Jan. 5, 1843, m. May 13, 1865, Frank H. Skinner of San Francisco.

5. Rebecca Woodbridge, b. July 11, 1845.

6. Cephas Foster Woodbridge, b. Feb. 24, 1848, d. Aug. 25, 1849.

7. Lucy Abby Woodbridge, b. Feb. 23, 1854.

8. Alfred Foster Woodbridge, b. Sept. 29, 1855.

9. Fanny Woodbridge, b. June 26, 1858.

10. John Dudley Woodbridge, b. June 25, 1860.

11. Governor Bradford Woodbridge, b. Oct. 30, 1863.

51. ii. Rev. Jahleel Woodbridge, b. Feb. 19, 1815, grad. at Union

Coll., N. Y., in 1832, and at Princeton Theol. Sem. afterwards, was settled as a Presb. clergyman at Baton Rouge, La. (1840-54), and at Henderson, Ky. (1854-68?), and is now (1874) at Wesson, Miss. He m. April 30, 1840, Martha Jane Witherspoon of E. Feliciana, La., b. Jan. 15, 1824 (dau. of Samuel James Calvin Witherspoon and Margaret J. D. Gordon). She d. March 13, 1850, and he m. for 2d wife, March 2, 1852, Louisa Caroline Ligon of Lafourche Interior, La., b. at Watkinsville, Ga., Feb. 10, 1824 (dau. of Robert Ligon and Wilhelmina Ware Fulwood). He has had by both marriages nine children:

*By first marriage:*

1. Calvin Witherspoon Woodbridge, b. Aug. 13, 1841, m. Dec. 18, 1862, Mary Frances Cabell (dau. of John Cabell and Martha Posey), b. Nov. 13, 1845.
2. Jahleel Woodbridge, b. Sept. 15, 1843, d. May 21, 1846.
3. William Gould Woodbridge, b. July 23, 1845.
4. Sylvester Woodbridge, b. June 4, 1847, d. July 25, 1852.

*By second marriage:*

5. Jahleel Ligon Woodbridge, b. May 6, 1853.
6. George Grant Woodbridge, b. Sept. 26, 1854.
7. Samuel Isett Woodbridge, b. Oct. 16, 1856.
8. Louise Woodbridge, b. Sept. 25, 1860, d. Nov. 19, 1860.
9. Mina Caroline Woodbridge, b. Jan. 12, 1866.
52. iii. Rev. Samuel Merrill Woodbridge, D.D., b. at Greenfield, Mass., April 5, 1819, grad. at N. Y. University in 1838, m. Feb. 4, 1845, Caroline Bergen (dau. of Michael Bergen of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Sarah Vanderbilt). She d. May 1, 1861. He m. Dec. 20, 1866, Anna Whitaker Dayton, b. March 18, 1841 (dau. of Charles P. Dayton, of New Brunswick, N. J., and Elizabeth B. Arrowsmith). He has been since 1857 Prof. of Ecc. Hist. and Govt., and Pastoral Theology, at Rutgers Theol. Sem. (Dutch Reformed) at New Brunswick, N. J. Child:

*By first wife:*

1. Caroline Woodbridge, b. Dec. 2, 1845.

53. iv. Fanny Coleman Woodbridge, b. at Greenfield, Mass., Sept. 3, 1822, m. Rev. Charles Beach, b. at Newark, N. J., April 9, 1819 (son of Isaac Newton Beach and Mary Meeker), grad. at Woodward Coll., Cincinnati, O., and at Princeton Theol. Sem. in 1845, pastor of the Woodville Presb. Ch., Miss. (1846-57), of the Presb. Ch. of South Plains, in Charlottesville, Va. (1857-), and is now (1873) settled at Darnesville, Md. Children:

1. Charles Woodbridge Beach, b. at Woodville, Miss., Dec. 2, 1848, grad. at The University of Virginia.
2. William Baldwin Beach, b. there Sept. 24, 1850.
3. Sylvester Woodbridge Beach, b. there July 24, 1852.
4. Edwin Meeker Beach, b. there April 15, 1854.
5. Mary Gould Beach, b. at Woodville, Oct. 30, 1855, d. Nov. 1, 1855.
6. Fanny Eliza Beach, b. there Jan. 8, 1859.
7. Emma Virginia Beach, b. in South Plains, Virginia (Albermarle Co.), Dec. 29, 1858.
8. Elizabeth Gould Beach, b. March 23, 1860, d. April 1862.
9. John Newton Beach, b. Dec. 18, 1861.
10. Annie Lee Beach, b. June 14, 1863.



54. v. Rev. John Woodbridge, D.D., b. May 9, 1824, grad. at Union Coll. in 1842, m. March 8, 1850, at Hempstead, L. I., Mary Lavinia Musereau, b. May 3, 1830 (dau. of Samuel Musereau and Hannah Raynor). She d. Jan. 24, 1860. He m. Sept. 11, 1861, at Ballston Spa, Helen Freeman, b. Nov. 1, 1824 (dau. of Samuel Freeman, M.D., of Saratoga Springs, and Helen Van Rensselaer Woodruff). He was settled at Greenport, L. I., and at Saratoga, over the Presb. Ch. (1851- ), and since has been pastor of the Presb. Ch. of New Brunswick, N. J. Has had 6 children:

*By first wife :*

1. Elizabeth Woodbridge, b. Sept. 1, 1851.
2. An infant, that d. soon.
3. John Eliot Woodbridge, b. Aug. 14, 1855.
4. Samuel Musereau Woodbridge, b. April 26, 1857.
5. Gertrude Doe Woodbridge, b. March 10, 1859.

*By second wife :*

6. Freeman Woodbridge, b. June 2, 1866.
55. vi. Mary Rebecca Woodbridge, b. Oct. 29, 1828.

Second Generation.

10. ix. Sophia Woodbridge (dau. of Rev. John Woodbridge of S. Hadley and Martha Clark, his 2d wife), b. Oct. 16, 1761, m. May 20, 1786, Rev. Joseph Strong, b. April 7, 1756, at Granby, Ct. (son of Rev. Joseph Strong of Williamsburgh, Mass., and Jane Gelston—for full account of Strong pedigree, see Hist. of Strong Family by the author, vol. i. pp. 1-375), grad. at Yale in 1784, settled at Heath, Mass. (1790-1803), and at Eastbury, Ct. (1806-17), was a Home Missionary in Maine for some years, and preached last of all in Preble, N. Y. He d. at Clinton, N. Y., while on a visit, Dec. 19, 1823, aet. 67 : she d. there June 27, 1832, aet. 72.

Third Generation. Children :

56. i. Hon. Joseph Strong, b. Aug. 28, 1787, was a gentleman-farmer at S. Hadley, Mass., on the fine estate which he inherited from his uncle, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge (see No. 5. iv.), 1819-30 ; and a miller at Rochester, N. Y. (1830-47), where he d. Aug. 1847, aet. 60. He was several times a member of the Mass. Legislature. He m. in 1812 Harriet Whitney of Boston (whose parents resided at Watertown, Mass.). She resided, after his death, at Boston. No issue.

57. ii. Prof. Theodore Strong, LL.D., b. at S. Hadley, Mass., July 26, 1790, d. Feb. 1, 1869, aet. 78.

58. iii. Sophia Woodbridge Strong, b. Jan. 1, 1793, m. Benjamin Woolsey Dwight, M.D., and d. Dec. 3, 1861, aet. 68.

59. iv. Woodbridge Strong, M.D., b. Aug. 24, 1794, grad. at Yale in 1815, m. June 27, 1826, Elizabeth F. Wheaton, b. April 13, 1795 (dau. of Hon. Laban Wheaton of Norton, Mass., b. in 1754, who d. aet. 92, March 23, 1846. He was grad. at Harvard in 1774, and was M. C. for 4 successive terms [1809-17] ). She d. without issue March 25, 1834, aet. 39. He m. for 2d wife, May 28, 1840, widow Harriet Torrey, *née* Atwood, b. Nov. 18, 1813, an amateur artist, widow of M. C. Torrey, an artist in Boston, who d. Sept. 24, 1837. He was a physician at Boston for 40 years and more. He was fond to the end



of classical studies, and of philosophical and theological speculations. He was once a member of the Mass. Legislature. She d. Dec. 28, 1851. He d. March 29, 1861, aet. 66. One child:

1. Harriet Elizabeth Strong, b. March 2, 1849, who d. March 25, 1859.

60. v. Hon. Maltby Strong, M.D., b. Nov. 24, 1796, grad. at Yale in 1819, m. Sept. 9, 1835, Eliza Bartlett Sprague of Salem, Mass., b. Oct. 1, 1810 (dau. of Hon. Joseph E. Sprague and Eliza Bartlett). He has been a resident for some 35 years past of Rochester, N. Y., of which he was once mayor. No issue.

61. vi. Elbridge Strong, b. June 13, 1798, d. July 31, 1800.

62. vii. Delia Strong, b. May 18, 1800, m. Prof. Charles Avery.

63. viii. Horatio Elbridge Strong, b. May 19, 1802, d. Jan. 24, 1803.

64. ix. Amanda Strong, b. Jan. 12, 1804, m. Dr. Stephen V. R. Bogert.

57. ii. Prof. Theodore Strong, LL.D. (son of Rev. Joseph Strong and Sophia Woodbridge), b. July 26, 1790, m. Sept. 23, 1818, Lucy Dix, b. at Littleton, Mass., April 3, 1798 (dau. of John Dix and Huldah Warren). He was grad. at Yale in 1812, and was Prof. of Mathematics and Nat. Philos. at Ham. Coll., Clinton, N. Y., for 11 years (1816-27), and at Rutgers Coll., N. J., for 35 years (1827-62). He was the author of "A Treatise on Algebra," and of a very able work on "The Differential and Integral Calculus," which he wrote at Clinton, N. Y., when on a summer's visit there in 1867, when 76 years old. He d. at New Brunswick, N. J., Feb. 1, 1869, aet. 78. His widow resides (1874) at Piermont, N. Y.

#### Fourth Generation. Children:

65. i. Mary Dix Strong, b. July 1, 1819, m. Oct. 7, 1841, Hon. John Van Dyke, b. April 3, 1807 (son of Abraham Van Dyke of Lamington, N. J., and Mary Honeyman), a lawyer formerly in New Brunswick and Trenton, N. J., and since 1868 in Wabasha, Minn. He was M. C. (1847-51) and Judge of the Superior Court of N. J. (1859-66). Nine children:

1. Theodore Strong Van Dyke, b. July 19, 1842, grad. at Princeton, N. J., in 1863, a lawyer in Wabasha, Minn.

2. John Van Dyke, b. Feb. 15, 1844, d. July 28, 1845.

3. Abraham Van Dyke, b. May 25, 1847, d. March 23, 1848.

4. John Van Dyke, 2d, b. March 30, 1849, d. Oct. 28, 1850.

5. Frederic Wm. Van Dyke, b. Jan. 12, 1852.

6. Robert Van Dyke, b. Jan. 29, 1854.

7. John Charles Van Dyke, b. April 21, 1856.

8. Mary Augusta Van Dyke, b. Jan. 17, 1859, d. Jan 10, 1860.

9. Woodbridge Strong Van Dyke, b. Aug. 26, 1862.

65. ii. Sophia Woodbridge Strong, b. April 5, 1821, m. Oct. 12, 1839, Richard Hasluck, Jr., b. in 1812 (son of Richard Hasluck of Birmingham, Eng.), a merchant in New York. She d. May 13, 1842, aet. 21. He d. in England, April 30, 1859, aet. 47. One child:

1. Richard Hasluck, b. Nov. 1840, who d. one week old.

66. iii. Sarah Bowers Strong, b. Nov. 18, 1823, d. May 23, 1839, aet. 15.

67. iv. Harriet Strong, b. Feb. 18, 1825, m. Sept. 18, 1850, Hon.

John William Ferdon, b. Dec. 13, 1826 (son of William Ferdon of Piermont and Elizabeth Perry), grad. at Rutgers Coll. in 1847, a member of the N. Y. Assembly in 1854 and of the State Senate in 1855, and an elder in the Dutch Ref. Ch. He resides in Piermont, N. Y., where he has a large estate. Five children:

1. Lucy Dix Ferdon, b. April 23, 1852, m. Dec. 1872 Hoffmann Rogers of New York, b. July 9, 1846 (son of Benjn. Woolsey Rogers and Helena Hoffmann).

2. William Ferdon, b. Jan. 14, 1854, now (1873) a member of Ham. Coll., N. Y., class of 1877.

3. Elizabeth Perry Ferdon, b. Dec. 4, 1858.

4. Mary Van Dyke Ferdon, b. June 29, 1859.

5. Theodore William Dwight Ferdon, b. Jan. 13, 1869.

68. v. (Benjamin Ruggles) Woodbridge Strong, b. Feb. 21, 1827, m. Aug. 4, 1852, Harriet Annie Hartwell, b. Oct. 25, 1827 (dau. of Jonathan Hartwell of Littleton, Mass., and Elizabeth Briad), grad. at Rutgers Coll. in 1847, a lawyer in large practice at New Brunswick, N. J. Has had 3 children:

1. Edward Woodbridge Strong, b. Dec. 7, 1853.

2. Allan Hartwell Strong, b. March 5, 1856.

3. Joseph Maltby Strong, b. Dec. 8, 1857, d. Jan. 22, 1858.

69. vi. Lucy Dix Strong, b. Jan. 1, 1832, d. May 3, 1833.

70. vii. Theodore Strong, Jr., b. April 7, 1838, grad. at Rutgers in 1857, was First Lieut. in the 30th N. J. Regt. in the late war, and d. of typhoid fever at Belle Plain, Va., Feb. 24, 1863.

#### Third Generation.

58. iii. Sophia Woodbridge Strong (dau. of Rev. Joseph Strong and Sophia Woodbridge), b. at Heath, Mass., Jan. 1, 1793, m. May 7, 1815, Benjamin Woolsey Dwight, M.D., b. Feb. 10, 1780 (son of Prest. Timothy Dwight of Yale College and Mary Woolsey, dau. of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., and Esther Isaacs), grad. at Yale in 1799, a merchant for many years at Catskill, N. Y. (1817-31), and afterwards a gentleman farmer at Clinton, N. Y., where he was also Treasurer of Hamilton College (1831-50). He d. May 18, 1850: she d. Dec. 3, 1861, aet. 68. For an account of their descendants, see previous pages (180-98).

#### Third Generation.

62. vii. Delia Strong (dau. of Rev. Joseph Strong and Sophia Woodbridge), b. at Heath, Mass., May 18, 1800, m. Oct. 1, 1822, Prof. Charles Avery, LL.D., b. July 29, 1795 (son of Gardner Avery of Munson, Mass., and Amy Newell), grad. at Ham. Coll., N. Y., in 1820, and Prof. of Chemistry and Nat. Philosophy there for 35 years (1834-69). Since 1871 he has been Prof. of Chemistry in the Homeopathic College of New York City, and in the fall of 1872-3 became Prof. also of the same in The Female Med. College of New York, beside giving lectures in several leading schools in the city. In the winter of 1872-3 he gave in these different ways 270 lectures of an hour in length each with experiments—all extempore, and each specially prepared for the given occasion.

#### Fourth Generation. Children:

71. i. Delia Avery, b. March 17, 1824, m. Sept. 6, 1843, Hon. Oth-

niel Samuel Williams, b. Nov. 27, 1814 (son of Othniel Williams and Mary Eliot, descended from Rev. Joseph Eliot of Guilford, Ct., by his 2d wife, Mary Wyllis), grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1831, a lawyer at Clinton, N. Y.; judge of probate for two terms (1847-56); Treasurer (since 1850) of Ham. Coll., and Prest. (since 1868) of the Clinton and Waterville R. Road. Three children:

1. Eliot Strong Williams, b. July 5, 1845, grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1867, m. July 22, 1868, Rachel Wood Squiers, b. at Troy, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1846 (dau. of Gordon Newell Squiers of Geneva, N. Y., and Ruth Wood). He is a farmer at Clinton, and coal-dealer; was supervisor in 1870-2. Two children.

2. Mary Delia Williams, b. May 28, 1847, m. June 30, 1869, Henry Everett Case Daniels, b. at Cayuga Bridge, N. Y., June 15, 1846 (son of John Horton Daniels now of Chicago, Ill., and Frances Louisa Pomeroy), grad. at Ham. Coll., N. Y., at first a banker at Wilmington, Ill., but since 1871 a manufacturer of doors, sash, blinds and house-finishings at Chicago, Ill. Two children:

3. Sophia Louisa Williams, b. April 18, 1852, m. July 25, 1872, Rev. Abel Grosvenor Hopkins, b. Dec. 5, 1845 (son of Prof. Samuel Miles Hopkins, D.D., of Auburn, N. Y., and Mary Jane Heacock), grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1866, and at Auburn Theol. Sem. in 1869, and since 1871 Prof. of Latin in Hamilton College.

72. ii. Hon. Joseph Strong Avery, b. at Fairfield, N. Y., Aug. 27, 1826, grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1848, a lawyer at Clinton; postmaster for 3 years (1857-60), and Surrogate of Oneida Co. since 1864. He m. May 8, 1856, Jenny Maria Wilcox, b. Nov. 25, 1835 (dau. of Charles Wilcox and Louisa Benedict). One child:

1. Isabella Sumpter Avery, b. April 11, 1861.

73. iii. Charles Dwight Avery, b. March 25, 1830, grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1850, m. Oct. 12, 1859, Elizabeth Crittenden Richey, b. at Perth, C. W., May 8, 1837 (dau. of Josias S. Richey from Belfast, Ireland, and Anna Matheson of Sussex, Eng.). He resides at Chicago, Ill. She d. there March 29, 1874. Four children:

1. William Henry Avery, b. Nov. 21, 1860.

2. Charles Herbert Avery, b. March 26, 1862.

3. Edward Woodbridge Avery, b. Oct. 29, 1863.

4. Delia Elizabeth Avery, b. March 4, 1866.

74. iv. Theodore Avery, b. at Clinton, N. Y., Dec. 28, 1832, m. Jan. 8, 1858, Elmina Melissa White, b. Oct. 15, 1840 (dau. of Elias Gilmore White of Clinton and Melissa Europa Moore). He was grad. at Ham. Coll., in 1855, a lawyer in Clinton; and Secretary and Treas. of the Manchester Iron Works (2 miles from Clinton). Four children:

1. Alice Delia Avery, b. Nov. 22, 1858, d. Jan. 31, 1872.

2. Mary Lincoln Avery, b. Oct. 29, 1863.

3. Grace Elizabeth Avery, b. Jan. 11, 1867.

4. Theodora Ermina Avery, b. June 24, 1873.

75. v. Sophia Woodbridge Avery, b. May 25, 1835, d. April 26, 1836.

76. vi. Henry Newell Avery, M.D., b. April 30, 1838, grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1858, and at the N. Y. Homœopathic Coll. in 1866. He practised medicine in Morristown, N. J. (1867-8), at New York (1868-9), at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. (1870-3), and has very recently es-



established himself at Winona, Minn. He m. June 17, 1868, Catharine Sebring Fowler, b. Dec. 17, 1844 (dau. of Jacob Van Benschoten Fowler of Newburg, N. Y., and Sarah Jane Brinkerhoff). Three children:

1. Henry Brinkerhoff Avery, b. June 30, 1869.
2. Edward Woodbridge Avery, b. in 1871.
3. Fowler Brinkerhoff Avery, b. Feb. 1873.

77. vii. Edward Woodbridge Avery, M.D., b. Jan. 1, 1841, grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1863, and at the Coll. of Physicians, etc., New York, in 1866, was Asst. Surgeon in the late war, Surgeon U. S. A. at Fort Sanders, Dacotah Territory (1866-7), a homœopathic physician at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. (1868-70). Since 1872 he has been settled at Mankato, Minn., as a lawyer and money-lender. He m. Oct. 9, 1873, at Leedsville, N. Y., Martha (E.) Adams, b. April 12, 1842, at Marlborough, N. Y. (dau. of Abel Adams and Phebe Hallock).

#### Third Generation.

64. ix. Amanda Strong (dau. of Rev. Joseph Strong and Sophia Woodbridge), b. Jan. 12, 1804, m. March 7, 1826, Stephen Van Rensselaer Bogert, M.D., b. March 14, 1804 (son of John Bogert of Albany and Christiana Vought), a physician for several years at Geneva, N. Y., and for some 35 years past the physician of "The Sailors' Snug Harbor," at Staten Island, N. Y.

#### Fourth Generation. Children:

78. i. John Shankland Bogert, b. Dec. 7, 1826, d. Aug. 24, 1828.

79. ii. Mary Christiana Bogert, m. Samuel Day Flagg, M.D. (son of Samuel D. Flagg of Buffalo, N. Y.), a physician at St. Paul, Minn. No children.

80. iii. Harriet Sophia Bogert, m. Aug. 1859, William Minugh Whittemore (son of John Whittemore and Mary Minugh), a gold broker in New York. No children. They reside on Staten Island.

81. iv. Stephen Augustus Bogert, d. Dec. 1833.

82. v. Edward Strong Bogert, M.D., a surgeon in the U. S. Navy on board "The Congress." He m. June 6, 1866, Helen Hart of Brooklyn, N. Y. Two children:

1. Edward Strong Bogert, b. April, 30, 1867.

2. Rosalie Bates Bogert, b. Jan. 10, 1870.

83. vi. Grandin Augustus Bogert, d. Feb. 1838.

84. vii. Henrietta Evelina Bogert, resides unmarried at home.

85. viii. Catharine Eliza Bogert, m. June 4, 1868, Capt. Thomas Melville (son of Allan Melville, a N. Y. merchant and Maria Gansevoort of Albany, N. Y.), Governor of "The Sailors' Snug Harbor" at Staten Island.

86. ix. Isabella Lee Bogert, m. June 5, 1873, Rev. Francis Herbert Bagley of Buffalo, N. Y., grad. at Ham. Coll. in 1870, and at Union Theol. Sem., N. Y. in 1873.

87. x. Amanda Strong Bogert, lives unmarried at home.

#### VII.

#### THE WOOLSEY FAMILY.

George Woolsey, the settler, b. at Yarmouth, England, Oct. 27, 1610, resided, it is believed, for some time in Holland, with his father,



Benjamin Woolsey, son of Thomas. He came to this country, while yet a mere boy, with Dutch emigrants, in 1623. He was engaged in trade for several years, in New Amsterdam, with Isaac Allerton, who came as a passenger in the *Mayflower*.

He purchased, Aug. 10, 1647, a plantation at Flushing, L. I. He m. Dec., 1647, at New York, his wife Rebecca (Cornell?). He probably resided at New York as a trader until 1664, and may have used his house and estate at Flushing during a part or all of the time as a summer home. He became possessed of land at Jamaica, L. I., Feb. 15, 1664, by deed from the town, whither it is believed that he soon removed as one of its first settlers, and where he d., after a supposed residence of some thirty years and more, Aug. 17, 1698, aet. 87. In the year 1673 he was chosen town-clerk there, and his handwriting is still freshly legible upon the town records. His will bears date Nov. 2, 1691, and was proven Feb. 22, 1698-9, and reads as follows, as recorded in Queens Co. Records, Fol. A, p. 132, "George Woolsey, of Jamaica, weak of body, gives his oldest son George his land at Beaver Pond; to son Thomas, the 15-acre lot west of Anton Waters' home-lot; to his son John, his 30-acre lot by the Little Plains, and 2 oxen after his decease, and all his wearing apparel; to his daughter Mary, 1 feather-bed and bolster, 2 pillows, 1 pr. sheets, and 2 coverlets, to be delivered at her day of marriage, or when she attains the age of 18, and 1 cow; to his wife Rebecca, the remainder of his lands and tenements, goods and chattels, during life. At her decease, the lands and tenements not already given he gives to his 3 sons, George, Thomas and John, to be equally divided, and his goods and chattels to his 3 daughters, Sarah (Hallett), Rebecca (Wiggins), and Mary Woolsey, equally."

The order of his children is believed to have been this, or like it: Sarah, b. Aug. 7, 1650, George, Thomas, Rebecca, John, Mary. His son Capt. George (made Capt. in 1696), b. Oct. 10, 1652, d. at Dosoris, L. I., Jan. 19, 1740, where his tomb is to be found to this day. Thomas Woolsey, b. in 1655, had a wife Ruth. He removed in his later years (not probably until after 1712) to Bedford, Westchester Co., N. Y. See Bolton's Hist. West. Co. for anything further known of him. John Woolsey (brother to Capt. George and Thomas) had wife Abigail, who d. about 1729. He appears in the Jamaica Records as a resident there as late as 1711.

In 1722 Capt. George Woolsey, with wife Hannah, sold, as per Jamaica Records, "to Benjamin Woolsey of Southold for £300, the land at Beaver Pond, Jamaica, on which he (Capt. George) now lives." Capt. George and Hannah Woolsey had two sons:

I. George Woolsey, b. Oct. 10, 1682, d. aet. 79, in 1762.

II. Rev. Benjamin Woolsey, b. Nov. 19, 1687, who d. Aug. 15, 1757, aet. 69.

[George Woolsey, 3d, b. Oct. 10, 1682, removed about 1710-12 to Hopewell, N. J., and settled on a farm of about 218 acres there (now Pennington, N. J.)—his original homestead being still (1874) in possession of his great-grandson, Dea. George Woolsey. His will, executed Feb. 1, 1761, was proved March 11, 1762. He had 4 sons, *Daniel*, *Jeremiah*, *Henry* and *Joseph*, and a daughter Jemima, who m. Noah, son of Major Ralph Hart, and cousin of John Hart, signer of the Declaration

of Independence. She had 4 children: Jerusha; Dr. Noah; Hannah; and Elizabeth. *Daniel Woolsey*, had a son Benjamin, who had a son Henry, and a dau. Nancy who d. unmarried. *Henry Woolsey* (son of George) m. Mary Titus (dau. of Ephraim Titus and Mary Armitage), and lived in Pennington. He had a dau. Martha, who m. Philip Van Cleve of Lawrence, N. J., who had by her 2 children, Henry and Nancy, whose descendants now live in that locality. *Joseph* (son of George, Woolsey, 3d) m. a Miss Montgomery and removed to Maryland. *Jeremiah Woolsey* (son of George), b. about 1722, m. Dec. 15, 1753, Mary, dau. of Joseph Hart. He lived on the old homestead. He had 6 children: 1. Hannah, b. in 1755, and d. unmarried in 1788. 2. Ephraim, b. in 1757, who m. in 1791 Nancy Johnson, and had 5 children. He lived on the old homestead. 3. Mary, b. in 1759, m. Lewis Perrine of Freehold, N. J., and had 3 sons and 2 daughters. 4. Jemima, b. in 1761, d. unmarried in 1789. 5. Susanna b. in 1763, d. single. 6. Jeremiah Woolsey, Jr., M.D., b. June 16, 1769, grad. at Princeton Coll., lived at Allentown, N. J., and d. in Cincinnati, Feb. 10, 1834.]

i. 1. Rev. Benjamin Woolsey (son of Capt. George Woolsey of Jamaica, L. I., and Hannah —), b. at Jamaica, L. I., Nov. 19, 1687, grad. at Yale in 1707, preached in different places until 1720, when he became pastor for 16 years of the First Cong. Ch. in Southold, L. I. He m. in 1714 Abigail Taylor, b. in 1695 (dau. of John Taylor of Oyster Bay, L. I., and Mary Whitehead, dau. of Daniel Whitehead). She was but 15 when married to Mr. Taylor, and m. for a 2d husband Joel Barrow and had a dau. by him who m. Brinley Sylvester. She inherited from her father the valuable estate at Glen Cove, L. I., of 300 acres, upon which they went to reside after his decease in 1735, and to which he gave the name Dosoris (dos uxoris, the wife's dowry) that it bears to this day. This estate, which has belonged for many years to the descendants of Nathaniel Coles, has been enlarged in recent years beyond its original ample dimensions. He was a man of superior intellectual powers, and of generous ideas and of dignified mien and bearing. For a fuller account of him and of his descendants than these pages allow, see successive articles by the author in "The N. Y. Geneal. and Biog. Record," vols. iv. and v., beginning with the July number, p. 143 of vol. iv. (1873). While living at Dosoris he preached gratuitously as he had opportunity (1736-56). He d. Aug. 17, 1756, aet. 68: she d. at Stamford, Ct., March 29, 1771, aet. 76.

Second Generation. Children:

2. i. Col. Melancthon Taylor Woolsey, b. June 8, 1717, d. Sept. 28, 1758, aet. 41.

3. ii. Sarah Woolsey, b. April 17, 1719, m. John Lloyd of Lloyd's Neck, L. I., and d. Sept. 3, 1760, aet. 41.

4. iii. Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., b. Feb. 12, 1720, d. Sept. 9, 1771, aet. 51.

5. iv. Hannah Woolsey, b. about 1724, m. Samuel McCoun, Jr., of Oyster Bay, L. I.

6. v. Mary Woolsey, b. about 1726, m. Platt Smith, and for a 2d husband Dr. George Muirson.

7. vi. Abigail Woolsey, b. Oct. 31, 1730, m. Rev. Dr. Noah Welles of Stamford, Ct., d. Oct. 28, 1812, aet. 81.

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8. vii. Theodosia Woolsey, b. about 1733, d. Sept. 26, 1747.

2. i. Col. Melancthon Taylor Woolsey, b. June 8, 1717, m. Jan. 24, 1744, Rebecca Lloyd, b. Oct. 31, 1718 (dau. of Henry Lloyd and Rebecca Nelson, dau. of Capt. John Nelson of Boston and Catharine Tailer, dau. of Gov. Wm. Tailer). He d. Sept. 28, 1758, while engaged against the French at Crown Point, N. Y., and was buried at Dosoris, as were his three daughters also, Abigail, Elizabeth and Mary. She d. at New Haven, Ct., Sept. 13, 1797, aet. 79.

### Third Generation. Children :

9. i. Mary Woolsey, b. Feb. 18, 1745-6, d. Nov. 30, 1753.

10. ii. Theodosia Woolsey, b. Jan. 17, 1747-8, d. unmarried at New Haven, Oct. 5, 1830, aet. 83.

11. iii. Abigail Woolsey, b. April 22, 1750, d. Nov. 13, 1753.

12. iv. Elizabeth Woolsey, b. Jan. 9, 1753, d. Nov. 16, 1753.

13. v. Rebecca Woolsey, b. Aug. 22, 1755, m. Hon. James Hillhouse of New Haven, and d. Dec. 30, 1813, aet. 58.

14. vi. Genl. Melancthon Lloyd Woolsey, b. May 8, 1758, d. June 29, 1819, aet. 61.

13. v. Rebecca Woolsey, b. Aug. 22, 1755, m. Oct. 10, 1782, as his 2d wife, Hon. James Hillhouse of New Haven, Ct., b. Oct. 21, 1754 (son of Judge William Hillhouse of Montville, Ct., and Sarah Griswold, sister of the First Gov. Griswold of Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1773, member of the State Legislature, Treas. of Yale Coll. for 50 years (1782-1832), M.C. for 3 successive terms (1790-6), and for 14 years (1796-1810) U. S. Senator. It was he who planted the many venerable elms of New Haven. He d. Dec. 29, 1832, aet. 78; she d. Dec. 30, 1813. His first wife was Sarah Lloyd, b. July 2, 1753 (dau. of John Lloyd of Stamford, Ct., and Sarah Woolsey). [The father of Judge Wm. Hillhouse was Rev. James Hillhouse, b. in 1687, and grad. at the University of Glasgow, who came to this country in 1719, and became pastor at Montville, Ct., where he d. in 1740, aet. 53. His wife, Mary Fitch, was dau. of Daniel Fitch, and granddaughter of Rev. James Fitch of Saybrook, Ct., and Priscilla Mason, dau. of Capt. John Mason, the hero of the Pequod war in 1637.]

### Fourth Generation. Children :

15. i. Sarah Lloyd Hillhouse, b. July 17, 1783, d. unmarried June 26, 1833.

16. ii. Mary Lucas Hillhouse, b. Sept. 13, 1785—"the Hannah Moore of America"—d. unmarried at New Haven, aet. 85, March 22, 1871, venerable for her worth as well as her years.

17. iii. James Abraham Hillhouse, b. Sept. 26, 1789, grad. at Yale in 1808, m. Nov. 23, 1822, Cornelia Ann Lawrence, b. Sept. 14, 1802 (dau. of Isaac Lawrence of N. Y., and Cornelia Beach). He was a literateur and poet, residing at New Haven—the author of "Percy's Masque," "Hadad," "The Judgment," "Demetria," etc. He d. Jan. 6, 1841, aet. 51. Four children.

18. iv. Augustus Lucas Hillhouse, b. Dec. 9, 1791, grad. at Yale in 1810, was devoted to literary pursuits. He d. at Paris, France, unmarried, March 14, 1859, aet. 67.

19. v. Rebecca Woolsey Hillhouse, b. June 12, 1794, m. Sept. 26,



1816, Rev. Nathaniel Hewitt, D.D., b. Aug. 28, 1788 (son of Nathaniel Hewitt and Sarah Avery), grad. at Yale in 1808, a Presb. clergyman at Plattsburgh, N. Y., Fairfield, Ct., and Bridgeport, Ct., where he d. in 1867. She d. June 4, 1831, aet. 37, and he m. for a 2d wife Susan Eliot, dau. of Rev. Andrew Eliot and Mary Pynchon. He had by Rebecca Hillhouse 6 children.

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14. vi. Genl. Melancthon Lloyd Woolsey (son of Col. Melancthon Taylor Woolsey and Rebecca Lloyd), b. May 8, 1758, was Aid to his Excellency George Clinton. He m. March 23, 1779, Alida Livingston, b. May 5, 1758 (dau. of Henry Livingston of Poughkeepsie and Susan Conklin, dau. of John Conklin, and sister to Prest. John H. Livingston of Rutgers Coll., N. J.). He left the army of the Revolution in 1780, and was made Major Genl. of militia of the State of New York. He was collector of customs at Plattsburgh, N. Y. (1787- ), and clerk of Clinton Co. for many years. He d. at Trenton, N. Y., June 29, 1819. She d. at Oswego, N. Y., July 12, 1843, aet. 85.

Fourth Generation. Children:

20. i. Commodore Melancthon Taylor Woolsey, b. June 5, 1780, m. Nov. 3, 1817, Susan Cornelia Treadwell, b. Dec. 8, 1796 (dau. of James Treadwell of New York). He fought under Com. Decatur in the Tripolitan war, and in the war of 1812 under Com. Chauncey. He was afterwards in command of the W. I. Squadron at Pensacola, Fla., and of the Brazilian Squadron. He d. at Utica, N. Y., May 19, 1838, aet. 58: she d. at Stamford, Ct., March 13, 1863, aet. 66. Seven children.

21. ii. Henry Livingston Woolsey, b. April 13, 1782, m. Feb. 18, 1805, Eunice Hubbell, b. Aug. 9, 1782 (dau. of Wolcott Hubbell of Lanesboro, Mass., and Mary Curtis). She d. at Geneva, N. Y., April 2, 1830, aet. 47: he d. Oct. 1848, aet. 68. Eight children.

22. iii. Susan Catharine Woolsey, b. Oct. 27, 1785, m. Samuel Overing Auchmuty (son of Robert Auchmuty of Newport, R. I.), a merchant in New York, where he d. May 19, 1828. She m. for a 2d husband, Feb. 29, 1831, James Platt, b. Jan. 2, 1788 (son of Zephaniah Platt of Poughkeepsie and Mary Van Wyck), as his second wife. He was a banker in Oswego for many years, and where he d. May 8, 1870, aet. 82. She d. Oct. 13, 1852. No issue.

23. iv. James Lloyd Woolsey, b. at Plattsburgh, N. Y., Feb. 25, 1788, m. Roxana Ackerman of Brownville, N. Y., and had 10 children.

24. v. Catharine Amelia Woolsey, b. Aug. 3, 1796, d. March 9, 1815, aet. 18.

25. vi. Cornelia Caroline Woolsey, b. June 23, 1790, m. Hersey De Wolf of Guilford, Ct. She d. in 1865. Seven children.

26. vii. Charles Edward Woolsey, b. Nov. 17, 1799, d. Dec. 6, 1799.

27. viii. Rebecca Nelson Woolsey, b. March 18, 1793, m. John Borland of Boston, and d. Sept. 11, 1858. Five children.

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3. ii. Sarah Woolsey (dau. of Rev. Benjamin Woolsey and Abigail Taylor), b. April 17, 1719, m. Dec. 24, 1741, John Lloyd, b. Feb. 9, 1711-12 (son of Henry Lloyd of Lloyd's Neck, L. I., and Rebecca Nelson, and brother to Rebecca Lloyd, who m. Col. Melancthon T. Woolsey),



a gentleman farmer living at Lloyd's Manor. He was actively employed as commissary for the State of Connecticut in the revolutionary war. She d. Sept 3, 1760, aet. 41.

Third Generation. Children :

28. i. Henry Lloyd, b. July 22, 1743, at Stamford, Ct., d. unmarried at Lloyd's Neck, Jan. 14, 1825, aet. 41.

29. ii. John Lloyd, b. Feb. 22, 1745, d. Dec. 24, 1792.

30. iii. Rebecca Lloyd, b. Jan. 2, 1746, m. Lt. Gov. John Broome, a wealthy N. Y. merchant.

31. iv. Theodosia Lloyd, b. Jan. 10, 1748, d. July 20, 1749.

32. v. Abigail Lloyd, b. Feb. 13, 1750-1, m. Dr. James Cogswell of New York, and d. at Lloyd's Manor about 1830. Four children.

33. vi. Sarah Lloyd, b. July 2, 1753, m. Hon. James Hillhouse of New Haven, and d. Nov. 1779, without issue. See No. 13. v.

34. vii. Margaret Lloyd, b. Dec. 5, 1756, d. March 11, 1757.

29. ii. John Lloyd, Jr., b. Feb. 22, 1745 (son of John Lloyd and Sarah Woolsey), m. April 1783, Amelia White, b. in 1760 (dau. of Rev. Ebenezer White of Danbury, Ct.) He was a gentleman farmer at Lloyd's Neck, and was actively engaged as a commissary for the State of Connecticut. He d. Dec. 24, 1792; she d. Aug. 1818, aet. 58.

Fourth Generation. Children :

35. i. John Nelson Lloyd, b. Dec. 30, 1783, grad. at Yale in 1802, m. 1815, Phebe T. Coles (dau. of Genl. Nathaniel Coles of Dosoris). He managed with skill and earnestness the interests of his large manorial estate at Lloyd's Neck (1,239 acres), and was a man of industry and culture. He d. June 1, 1841, aet. 57.

36. ii. Angelina Lloyd, b. Sept. 12, 1785, m. July 8, 1809, George Washington Strong, b. Jan. 20, 1783 (son of Judge Selah Strong of Setauket, L. I., and Anna Smith, b. April 14, 1740, dau. of William Henry Smith [grandson of "Tangier" Smith of St. George's Manor, L. I., and Martha Tunstall]. See Hist. Strong Family by the author, vol. i. pp. 619-39). He was grad. at Yale in 1803 and was a lawyer of eminence in New York. She d. Sept. 20, 1814, aet. 29. He m. for a 2d wife Eliza C. Templeton. He d. June 27, 1855. They had 2 children :

1. Eloise Lloyd Strong, b. May 13, 1810, who m. Sept. 14, 1834, Elias Hasket Derby, b. Sept. 24, 1803 (son of Gen. Elias H. Derby, of Salem, Mass., and Lucy Brown), grad. at Harvard in 1824, a lawyer in Boston : 7 children.

2. Mary Anna Strong, b. Aug. 25, 1813, who resides unmarried in New York.

37. iii. Mary Amelia Lloyd (dau. of John Lloyd, Jr., and Amelia White), b. Feb. 19, 1791, d. Jan. 10, 1806. [A fuller view of the Lloyd family history here given may be seen in the N. Y. Genealogical Record prepared by the author, in vol. v. No. 1, pp. 17-19.]

Second Generation.

4. iii. Benjamin Woolsey, Jr. (son of Rev. Benjamin Woolsey of Dosoris and Abigail Taylor), b. Feb. 12, 1720, grad. at Yale in 1744, resided at Dosoris, "in the commission of the peace," on the paternal estate, until his death, Sept. 9, 1771, aet. 51. He m. about 1749,

Esther Isaacs, b. July 19, 1730 (dau. of Ralph Isaacs, a merchant of Norwalk, Ct., and a converted Jew, and Mary Rumsey, dau. of Benjamin Rumsey of Fairfield, Ct., whom he m. March 7, 1725-6). She d. March 29, 1756, aet. 25. He m. for a 2d wife, in 1757, Anne Muirson, b. Feb. 10, 1737 (dau. of Dr. George Muirson of Old Field, Setauket, L. I., and Anna Smith, b. Dec. 20, 1706, dau. of Judge Henry Smith, son of "Tangier" Smith of St. George's Manor, L. I.). She d. Aug. 14, 1807.

Third Generation. Children:

*By first wife:*

38. i. Sarah Woolsey, b. in 1750, m. Moses Rogers of New York, and d. July 24, 1816, aet. 66.

39. ii. Benjamin Woolsey, b. in 1752, d. Jan. 20, 1757.

40. iii. Mary Woolsey, b. April 11, 1754, m. Prest. Timothy Dwight, D.D., of Yale College, and d. Oct. 5, 1845, aet. 91.

*By second wife:*

41. iv. Major Benjamin Muirson Woolsey, b. Feb. 17, 1758, d. at Bridgeport, Ct., Jan. 17, 1813.

42. v. Esther Woolsey, b. Dec. 1, 1759, m. Capt. Palmer of the British army, and d. at Raphoe, Ireland, March 15, 1807, leaving 3 sons, John, Thomas and Benjamin.

43. vi. John Taylor Woolsey, b. Sept. 20, 1762, d. in the West Indies, Dec. 9, 1778, leaving a son and daughter.

44. vii. George Woolsey, b. in 1763, d. Dec. 2, 1770, aet. 7.

45. viii. William Walton Woolsey, b. Sept. 17, 1766, d. Aug. 18, 1839, aet. 73.

46. ix. Elizabeth Woolsey, b. Sept. 22, 1768, m. William Dunlap.

47. x. George Muirson Woolsey, b. April 14, 1772, d. Jan. 13, 1840.

38. i. Sarah Woolsey (dau. of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., and Esther Isaacs), b. in 1750, m. 1773, Moses Rogers b. in 1750-1 (son of whom —, the writer has searched much in vain to find). He was a large hardware merchant in New York, of the firms of "Moses, Rogers & Co." in Queen Street (1785-93), and of "Rogers & Woolsey" (1793-8). He was an active member of several leading benevolent societies, Governor of the New York Hospital (1792-9), Director of the U. S. Bank (1793- ), Treasurer of the City Dispensary (1797- ), Director of the Mutual Ins. Co. (1797-1807), and a vestryman of Trinity Ch. (1787-1811). He and his two brothers, Henry and Nehemiah Rogers, founded mercantile houses that lasted each of them for 40 years and more. He d. Nov. 30, 1825, aet. 75. She d. July 24, 1816, aet. 66. They had 5 children, one of whom, Hester, b. in 1778, d. in 1793, aet. 15.

[On no point in the whole Woolsey family-history has the writer bestowed more determined and ingenious efforts for the discovery of desired information than on that of the parentage of Moses Rogers, one of the first men of New York in his day, and but recently deceased. He has addressed the inquiry to at least a dozen of his descendants among the leading people of the land, and he finds no one that can tell him anything definite upon the subject. The probabilities seem to be that his father was Moses Rogers, Senior, and that he came from Huntington, L. I., and was private secretary for a time

to Gov. Thomas Fitch of Norwalk, Ct. His wife is believed to have been Elizabeth Fitch, but how she was related to the Governor is not clear. She was not his sister Elizabeth (for whose history see Hall's History of Norwalk). She could not be his daughter Elizabeth, said to have been born in Norwalk in 1738, as Moses Rogers of New York was born in 1750-1. She was probably a niece of Gov. Fitch. The brothers of Moses Rogers were Henry, Fitch and Nehemiah. He had a sister Esther, who m. Archibald Gracie of New York, and another, who m. David Lambert, also of New York. ]

Fourth Generation. Children :

48. i. Sarah Elizabeth Rogers, b. Feb. 1, 1774, m. Oct. 5, 1800, Hon. Samuel Miles Hopkins, LL.D., b. at (Salem) Waterbury, Ct., May 9, 1772 (son of Samuel Hopkins of Goshen, Ct., and Mary Miles of Salem, Ct.), grad. at Yale in 1791, a lawyer in New York (1800-9), who resided afterwards at Geneseo and Moscow, N. Y. (1810-22), at Albany, N. Y., 1822-32), and at Geneva, N. Y. (1832-7). He was a member of Congress (1812-14). He laid out the village of Moscow, N. Y., and was its founder. He was a man of high character and piety. He d. Oct. 8, 1837, aet. 65. She d. Dec. 17, 1866, aet. 92. They had seven children :

1. Mary Elizabeth Hopkins, b. April 13, 1802, m. Feb. 22, 1826, William Gordon Verplanck, Director and Supt. of the Bloomingdale Insane Asylum. She d. at Dubuque, Iowa, Feb. 28, 1859.

2. Prof. William Rogers Hopkins, b. Jan. 2, 1805, m. April 17, 1839, Mary Murray Gallagher of Geneva, N. Y. (dau. of George and Ann Jane Gallagher) : Prof. of Chemistry for some years in the U. S. Naval School in Annapolis, Md., but for several years past a resident of Geneva, N. Y. ; has had six children.

3. Julia Ann Hopkins, b. Feb. 22, 1807, m. Sept. 13, 1831, William Eaton Sill, b. at Utica, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1806 (son of Elisha Eaton Sill and Susan M. Hopkins, dau. of Samuel Hopkins of Goshen, Ct.), her cousin. He was grad. at Hamilton College, N. Y., in 1825, and is a lawyer at Geneva, N. Y. She d. March 5, 1849 ; had six children.

4. Hester Rogers Hopkins, b. Nov. 5, 1808, m. April 10, 1839, Charles Alexander Rose, b. at Geneva, N. Y., Jan. 5, 1807 (son of Robert Selden Rose and Jane Lawson), grad. at Ham. Coll., N. Y., in 1826 ; a farmer in Savannah, N. Y., since 1835. She d. at Geneva, N. Y., Oct. 8, 1845. Three children.

5. Prof. Samuel Miles Hopkins, D.D., b. at Moscow, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1813, grad. at Amherst Coll. in 1832, and at Auburn Theol. Sem. in 1836, m. May 15, 1839, Mary Jane Heacock of Buffalo, N. Y., b. Feb. 9, 1816 (dau. of Reuben B. Heacock and Abby Peabody Grosvenor). He was settled as a Presb. clergyman at Corning, N. Y., in 1840, and in Fredonia, N. Y., in 1844, and since 1847 has been Hyde Prof. of Ecclesiastical History in Auburn Theol. Sem. Has had seven children.

6. Woolsey Rogers Hopkins, b. July 14, 1816, grad. at Hobart Coll., Geneva, N. Y., m. Jan. 28, 1862, Mrs. Fanny Woolsey, *née* Sheldon, b. at Newport, N. C., April 9, 1832 (dau. of Israel Sheldon of Orange, N. J., and widow of Wm. Walton Woolsey, son of Wm. Cecil Woolsey and Catharine Bailey) : a civil engineer, residing at Alexandria, Va. Has one child, Woolsey Hopkins.



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7. Sarah Elizabeth Hopkins, b. at Moscow, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1818, m. May 15, 1839, John Melancthon Bradford, Jr., b. in 1813 (son of Rev. John M. Bradford of Albany and Mary Lush), grad. at Union College in 1838. He d. at Chicago, Ill., Feb. 18, 1860. She had for several years a Family School for young ladies at Geneva, N. Y. Has had six children.

49. ii. Benjamin Woolsey Rogers (son of Moses Rogers of New York and Sarah Woolsey), b. May 13, 1775, m. Dec. 10, 1807, Susan Bayard (dau. of William Bayard of New York and Elizabeth Cornell). She d. at sea Oct. 11, 1814, and he m. for 2d wife, in 1819, Catharine Cecilia Elwyn of Portsmouth, N. H., whose mother was a dau. of Gov. Langdon of N. H. She d. March 14, 1833. He d. Dec. 12, 1859, aet. 84. He was a large importer of hardware in New York. He was for 38 years a Governor of The New York Hospital, and one of the founders of "The Bloomingdale Asylum for the Insane," and a large landholder in W. New York (The Genesee District). He had five children; all but the last by his first wife:

1. William Bayard Rogers, b. Oct. 27, 1808, who resides unmarried in New York.

2. Sarah Rogers, b. Oct. 29, 1809, m. April 4, 1839, William Paterson Van Rensselaer, b. March 6, 1806 (son of Stephen Van Rensselaer of Albany, the patroon, and Cornelia Paterson, dau. of Judge William Paterson of Amboy, N. J.). He is a resident of New York: has had eight children.

3. Eliza Bayard Rogers, b. Aug. 17, 1811, d. March 20, 1835.

4. Benjamin Woolsey Rogers, b. Oct. 31, 1813, m. Helena Hoffman (dau. of Dr. Richard Kissam Hoffman, a celebrated surgeon in New York, who d. in 1861, and Jane Benson). He d. in 1852, aet. 34. Had one son, Hoffman Rogers, b. July 9, 1846, m. Dec. 1872, Lucy Dix Ferdon, b. April 23, 1852 (dau. of Hon. John Ferdon of Piermont, N. Y., and Harriet Strong).

5. Thomas Elwyn Rogers, b. in 1820, d. in 1837.

50. iii. Archibald Rogers (son of Moses Rogers and Sarah Woolsey), b. about 1782, m. in 1820, Anna Pendleton, dau. of Judge Nathaniel Pendleton of Hyde Park, N. Y. (the intimate friend of Alexander Hamilton, and his second in his duel with Aaron Burr), and Susan Bard, dau. of Dr. John Bard of New York. They had four children:

1. Nathl. Pendleton Rogers, b. in 1822, a lawyer.

2. Edmund Pendleton Rogers, b. in 1827, the proprietor of "The Quintard Iron Works," in New York.

3. Philip Clayton Rogers, b. in 1829.

4. Susan Bard Rogers, b. in 1835, m. Herman Livingston (son of John T. Livingston), the owner of a line of steamers that sail out from New York.

51. iv. Julia Ann Rogers (dau. of Moses Rogers and Sarah Woolsey), b. in 1788, m. Aug. 14, 1808, Francis Bayard Winthrop, Jr., b. March 20, 1787 (son of Francis B. Winthrop and Elsie Marston). She d. April 14, 1814, aet. 26. He m. for 2d wife her cousin, Elizabeth Woolsey, b. Oct. 6, 1794 (dau. of William Walton Woolsey and Elizabeth Dwight). She had three children:

1. Sarah Rogers Winthrop, b. Aug. 28, 1810, d. Feb. 12, 1812.

2. Rev. Edward Winthrop of Highgate, Vt., b. Dec. 19, 1811, d.



Oct. 31, 1865, aet. 54, grad. at Yale in 1831, m. Marian Penney, and for a 2d wife Elizabeth Andrus. He was Prof. of Sacred Literature in the Kentucky Episcopal Theol. Sem. at Lexington, Ky., and rector of St. Paul's Ch. at Cincinnati O., at Marietta, O., and Norwalk, O., and afterwards at Highgate, Vt., where he d.

3. Charles Archibald Winthrop, b. Jan. 25, 1813, resides in Cambridge, Mass.

#### Third Generation.

29. iii. Mary Woolsey, b. April 11, 1754 (dau. of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr. of Dosoris, L. I., and Esther Isaacs), m. March 3, 1777, at the house of Pierrepont Edwards, Esq., in New Haven, Ct., Prest. Timothy Dwight, D.D., of Yale College, b. at Northampton, Mass., May 14, 1752, (son of Major Timothy Dwight and Mary Edwards, dau. of Prest. Jonathan Edwards), President of Yale College for twenty-two years (1795-1817). He d. Jan. 11, 1817. She d. greatly revered for her wisdom and worth, Oct. 5, 1845, aet. 91. For full account of their descendants, see pp. 171-211.

#### Third Generation.

41. iv. Major Benjamin Muirson Woolsey (son of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., and Anne Muirson, his 2d wife), b. Feb. 17, 1758, m. about 1792 a Miss Prince (as is believed). He was (probably) a merchant in New York. During the revolutionary war he was an officer in the British service. He d. at Bridgeport, Ct., Jan. 17, 1813, aet. 54. He had 3 children.

#### Fourth Generation. Children :

52. i. Abraham Minthorne Woolsey, b. in 1794, d. Nov. 12, 1836, aet. 42. •

53. ii. Hester Ann Woolsey, b. about 1798, m. a Mr. Rockwell, and for a 2d husband a Mr. Napier, who d. soon afterwards. She d. in 1855. She had by her first marriage a dau. Emily Woolsey Rockwell, who m. a physician in Augusta Ga. (name not given).

54. iii. William Woolsey, b. about 1800, who d. at sea, unmarried, while on his way to Jamaica, W. I.

52. i. Abraham Minthorne Woolsey (son of Major Benjamin M. Woolsey), b. in 1794, m. Jan. 26, 1820, Emily Wingfield Sims, b. at Washington, Wilkes Co., Ga., Nov. 20, 1798 (dau. of John and Mildred Sims). He was a prosperous merchant in Augusta, Ga., but in the great financial crash of 1833 failed; under which trial his health gave way, and in 1835 he removed to Mobile, Ala., and there d. Nov. 12, 1836, aet. 42. His widow m. Dec. 1, 1854, for a 2d husband, Bishop James Osgood Andrew, b. in 1794, Bishop of the Meth. Ch. North (1832-46), and of the Meth. Ch. South (1846-71). They resided at Summerfield, Ala., where he d. March 1, 1871, aet. 77. She d. at Selma, Ala., Jan. 24, 1872, aet. 73. She was remarkable for her force of character and her personal beauty. She had by her first marriage 6 children :

1. William Sims Woolsey, b. Nov. 8, 1820, d. in Augusta, March 23, 1822.

2. Hon. Benjamin Minthorne Woolsey, b. Aug. 15, 1823.

3. John Frederic Woolsey, b. April 20, 1825, d. March 22, 1823.

4. Elizabeth Ann Woolsey, b. July 10, 1827, d. Nov. 27, 1831.

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5. Sarah Mildred Woolsey, b. Oct. 10, 1829, m. April 21, 1853, Dr. William S. Mixson, b. July 10, 1827 (son of John Mixson, a large planter in Ala., who d. aet. 90, in 1872), a planter in Dallas Co., Ala. She d. without issue Dec. 4, 1859.

6. Juliet Frances Woolsey, b. Dec. 17, 1832, m. at Summerfield, Ala. Dr. Lewis D. Sturdivant (son of Robert Sturdivant of Dallas Co., Ala.) She d. Feb. 2, 1859, leaving one child, Robert Minthorne Woolsey Sturdivant, living now (1874) with his uncle, Hon. Robt. D. Sturdivant, in Dallas Co., Ala.

2. Hon. Benjn. Minthorne Woolsey (son of Abm. M. Woolsey of Augusta, Ga.), b. Aug. 15, 1823, m. Sept. 16, 1847, Lucinda Caroline Swift, b. in 1829 (dau. of John and Susan Swift of Selma, Ala.). He was grad. at Emery Coll., Meth., at Oxford, Ga., in 1844, at the head of his class. He studied law, and practised it for a few years, but, on account of the failure of his health, he relinquished the profession and settled as a planter near Selma (1848-64). He was at different times (1851 and 2, and also 1855 and 6) a member of the Alabama legislature. In 1856 he received the nomination of the Union party with acclamation in the Mobile Dist. for Congress, but declined the honor. He opposed secession "as madness" when it was first proposed at the South, and was recognized everywhere among his Southern friends as "a strong Union-man" (in their weaker sense of the phrase than ours). He would neither enter the Confederate army nor act as a Federal spy upon his Southern friends and neighbors. Under Gov. Thomas H. Watts (1863-5), his personal friend, he became Commissioner of the entire saline region of the State, where a large force was employed by the Government, and much money expended in the manufacture of salt for the wives and children of deceased soldiers. He is now (1874) a cotton-factor, with his two sons, at Selma, Ala., and is himself an insurance agent also. He has had five children:

(1). Susan Emily Woolsey, b. March 31, 1850, m. April 27, 1870, Samuel William John, a lawyer in Selma (son of Chancellor Joseph R. John of Selma, and now in partnership with him). She d. without issue, March 7, 1873.

(2). St. George Lee Woolsey, b. Jan. 24, 1852, is a cotton factor at Selma, in company with his father (Woolsey & Sons).

(3). Minthorne Woolsey, b. Dec. 24, 1853, is a cotton factor (1874), with his father and brother, at Selma.

(4). William Swift Woolsey, b. Aug. 16, 1856.

(5). Frederic Woolsey, b. at Summerfield, Ala., Feb. 27, 1865, and d. there June 23, 1867.

Third Generation.

45. viii. William Walton Woolsey (son of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., and Ann Muirson, his 2d wife), b. Sept. 17, 1766, was a leading N. Y. merchant, and held various important offices and trusts. He d. Aug. 18, 1839. He m. Elizabeth Dwight, sister of Prest. Timothy Dwight. She d. Dec. 8, 1813, aet. 41. For full account of their descendants, see pp. 248-60.

46. ix. Elizabeth Woolsey (dau. of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., of Dorris, and Ann Muirson, his 2d wife, b. Sept. 22, 1768, m. about 1788, William Dunlap, b. at Perth Amboy, N. J., Feb. 19, 1766 (son of

Samuel Dunlap, from the north of Ireland), who was an artist and author of considerable note. He studied painting under the celebrated Benjamin West, and successfully adopted his style. He was originally devoted to military matters, and bore the colors of the 47th British Regiment, "Wolfe's Own," on "the plains of Abraham," and was carried off, wounded, from the field on which his commander died. He afterwards addicted himself variously, for some years, to painting, literary enterprises, and theatrical management (the Park Theatre, N. Y.), and miscellaneous undertakings; but in 1817, when 51 years old, became chiefly and permanently a painter. He was the author of several works, some of them of decided merit, as "A Biography of Charles Brockden Brown," "The Memoir of George Frederic Cooke," the English actor, "The History of the American Theatre" (1832), "The Arts of Design in the United States" (1834), "Thirty Years Ago" (a novel), in 1836, and "The History of the New Netherlands" (pub. in 1840). He d. Sept. 28, 1839, aet. 73. He had two children, Margaret and John Alexander Dunlap. Of their history the writer knows nothing.

47. x. George Muirson Woolsey (son of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr., of Dorris, and Ann Muirson), b. April 14, 1772, m. Sept. 27, 1797, Abby Howland, b. Aug. 27, 1776 (dau. of Joseph Howland of Norwich, Ct. and Lydia Coit, whom he m. May 27, 1772). He was a large shipping merchant in New York. He owned Green Hook, L. I., as his personal estate. She d. in London, Eng., March 4, 1833, aet. 56. He d. at his country-seat, Casina, in Newtown, L. I., July 15, 1851, aet. 79.

Fourth Generation. Children :

55. i. George Muirson Woolsey, b. about 1798, d. unmarried, in Liverpool, Eng., having been for twenty years and more a great invalid.

56. ii. Charles Alexis Woolsey, b. about 1799, d. in infancy.

57. iii. Edward Woolsey, b. about 1800, d. soon.

58. iv. Charles William Woolsey, b. March 4, 1802, m. June 28, 1827, Jane Eliza Newton, b. Nov. 9, 1801 (dau. of William Newton of Virginia, and Jane Stuart). He perished in the "Lexington," on L. I. Sound, Jan. 13, 1840, leaving behind him a young family of eight children, seven daughters and a son, the eldest but twelve years old. His widow still resides in New York. His children were :

1. Abby Howland Woolsey, who lives unmarried in New York.

2. Jane Stuart Woolsey, who resides there also, unmarried.

3. Mary Elizabeth Watts Woolsey, who m. June 16, 1853, Rev. Robert S. Howland, D.D., Episcopal, now of New York. She d. May 31, 1864, leaving behind her four daughters: Mary Woolsey, Abby Roberta, Una Felice (b. in Rome, Italy), and Georgiana.

4. Georgiana Muirson Woolsey, who m. Dr. Francis Bacon, b. Sept. 5, 1831 (son of Rev. Dr. Leonard Bacon of New Haven, Ct., and Lucy Johnson), Prof. of Surgery in the Yale Med. School since 1864. No children.

5. Eliza Newton Woolsey, who m. Joseph Howland, an amateur farmer at Matteawan, Dutchess Co., N. Y. No children.

6. Harriet Roosevelt Woolsey, who m. Jan. 7, 1869, Dr. Hugh Lenox Hodge, Jr., LL.D., of Philadelphia, grad. at Princeton in 1814, Prof. of Obstetrics in the University of Pennsylvania. They have one son.



7. Caroline Carson Woolsey, who m. Edward Mitchell, grad. at Columbia Coll. in 1861 (son of Judge William Mitchell of New York), a lawyer in New York. They have one child, Eliza, b. Oct. 26, 1868.

8. Col. Charles William Woolsey, b. April 18, 1840, who m. April 25, 1867, Arixene Southgate Smith, b. Nov. 2, 1843 (dau. of Prof. Henry B. Smith of Union Theol. Sem., N. Y., and Elizabeth Lee Allen). He is a gentleman farmer at Briar Cliff, near Sing Sing, N. Y. They have two children :

(1.) Charles Howland Woolsey, b. in Rome, Italy, Jan. 1868.

(2.) Mary Malleville Woolsey, b. at Briar Cliff, Feb. 22, 1872.

59. v. Edward John Woolsey (son of George Muirson Woolsey and Jane Abby Howland), b. Oct. 31, 1803, m. Emily Phillips Aspinwall of New York (sister of Wm. H. Aspinwall and John Lloyd Aspinwall, Esqrs., of New York). He d. at Astoria, L. I., where his widow still resides, June 30, 1873, aet. 71. He had four sons, one of whom is now living, Edward John Woolsey, Jr., of Astoria. To him, says a recent newspaper, "he gave by his will \$100,000 and his real estate in Newtown, L. I., with the furniture, books, pictures, wines, crops, and farm utensils and stock, and a farm and island adjoining, with other property; and to his wife all the rest of his real and personal estate, including a country-seat at Lenox, Mass.—one of the finest in the State." More exact information was sought from the best sources for procuring it, but without success. He m. Fanny M. Smythe, dau. of Henry Smythe, late Collector of the port of New York.

#### Second Generation.

5. iv. Hannah Woolsey (dau. of Rev. Benjamin Woolsey of Dosoris and Abigail Taylor of Oyster Bay, L. I.), b. about 1724, m. about 1741, Samuel McCoun, Jr., of Oyster Bay, b. in 1711 (son of Samuel McCoun, b. in 1674, and d. aet. 84, Dec. 9, 1758, and Martha Coles. Samuel McCoun was son of John McCoun, the settler, of Westerley, R. I.). Samuel McCoun, senior and junior, were, one or both of them, land-surveyors appointed by the town, and were, as the records show, large proprietors of land. He d. May 4, 1749, aet. 38. She m. for a 2d husband, Oct. 24, 1760, Daniel Youngs of Oyster Bay Cove, as his 2d wife, without issue. He d. Dec. 13, 1783, aet. 65. She d. at Nassau, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1792. He was a large farmer and a man of great respectability, and a lineal descendant of Rev. John Youngs, the first Episcopal minister of Southold, L. I. Some of the descendants of Daniel Youngs, by his first marriage, still occupy the old family mansion at Oyster Bay.

[John McCoun, the settler, came to Westerley, R. I., from Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in Cromwell's day. In 1660-1 he, with others, obtained, as the town records show, patents for lands which they had purchased of the Indians. In 1671 and '79 he and others were summoned before the Governor and Council, and took the oath of fidelity to Charles II. He had four sons, Samuel, Daniel, Joseph and William. Samuel settled at Oyster Bay, and m. Martha Coles, by whom he had several daughters and two sons, Samuel and John. William McCoun (brother to Samuel and son of John, the settler) followed him to Oyster Bay, where he m. Mary Townsend. They were the ancestors of Chancellor William T. McCoun of Oyster Bay, from whom much of the information here given has been obtained.]



## Third Generation. Children :

- 60. i. Martha McCoun, b. about 1742.
- 61. ii. John McCoun, b. Nov. 27, 1743, d. Feb. 16, 1812, aet. 68.
- 62. iii. Violetta McCoun, b. about 1744.
- 63. iv. Samuel McCoun, b. about 1746, m. a Miss Thorne, and was a farmer in Newburg, N. Y. He had two sons, Coles and Henry, who lived in Newburg, and two other children.
- 64. v. Annie McCoun, b. about 1748, who m. Daniel Noble.
- 65. vi. Phebe McCoun, b. about 1749, m. John Bininger of New York, who d. without issue, about 1839, in Belleville, Canada. She also d. there.

With many efforts made in vain to trace the history of the other children of Hannah (Woolsey) McCoun, the writer succeeded only in respect to one. The early records of most American families out of New England are found by investigators generally to be sadly incomplete. Wherever they can be found they should be secured at once with all diligence.

61. ii. John McCoun (son of Samuel McCoun, Jr., and Hannah Woolsey), b. Nov. 27, 1743, m. March 20, 1768, Elizabeth Townsend, of Oyster Bay (dau. of Henry Townsend, afterwards of Chester, N. Y., and Elizabeth Titus). He removed from Nassau, N. Y., to Troy, N. Y., where he was a merchant, and where he d. Feb. 16, 1812, aet. 68. She d. Jan. 6, 1815. "She was very charitable and hospitable."

## Fourth Generation. Children :

66. i. Townsend McCoun, b. Jan. 31, 1769, m. at Nassau, N. Y., Feb. 21, 1794, Sarah Vail, b. Oct. 2, 1775 (dau. of Moses Vail of Washington, N. Y., and Phebe Holmes. Aaron, father of Moses Vail, was a noted Quaker preacher in Dutchess Co., N. Y.) He was a merchant in Troy, where he lived for forty years (1794-1834), much respected for his good sense, integrity and benevolence, and for his enterprise and public spirit, and was one of the most prominent men of his day in Troy. He d. Sept. 21, 1834, aet. 65. His widow resided still in Troy, in 1869, aet. 93. They had four children.

67. ii. Hon. Samuel McCoun (son of John McCoun of Troy and Elizabeth Townsend), b. Sept. 18, 1772, and twin with John McCoun, Jr., m. Feb. 7, 1801, Margaret Snow, b. June 18, 1780 (dau. of Joseph Snow of Providence, R. I., and Sarah Badger). He was a merchant in New York at first, and afterwards at Troy, N. Y., and was Mayor of the city at the time of his death, March 25, 1830. "He was a man of culture and of extensive travel." She d. June 5, 1847. They had three children, two of whom d. early. The surviving one, John Townsend McCoun (son of Hon. Saml. McCoun and Margaret Snow), b. May 22, 1803, m. Sept. 9, 1828, Angelica Rachel Douw Lane, b. Jan. 5, 1809 (dau. of Derrick Lane, b. April 30, 1755, and Angeliae Van Rensselaer, b. at Claverack, N. Y., July 21, 1770). He was a merchant at Troy, and, in his later years, president of a bank there. He d. April 28, 1861. His widow has resided there since his death. He had seven children.

68. iii. John McCoun, Jr. (son of John McCoun and Elizabeth Townsend), b. Sept 18, 1772, twin with Hon Samuel McCoun, m. Maria Miller. He was a merchant at Troy, where he d. Aug. 5, 1812. His

widow m. afterwards John Schuyler, Jr., of Watervliet, N. Y. They had two children.

69. iv. Hannah McCoun (dau. of John McCoun of Troy and Elizabeth Townsend), b. Sept. 2, 1776, m. at Nassau, N. Y., Oct. 12, 1793, Joseph Card, b. at Newport, R. I., July 5, 1766 (son of Richard Card of that place, and Waite Tripp), a merchant at Troy, commonly called "Capt. Card," from his habit of going down the Hudson to New York in sloops belonging to his firm. He d. May 2, 1837, aet. 71. She d. Dec. 1, 1849, aet. 73. They had five children.

70. v. William McCoun (twin with Sarah McCoun), b. Nov. 19, 1782, d. Sept. 7, 1809.

71. vi. Sarah McCoun (twin with William McCoun), b. Nov. 19, 1782, m. Sept. 30, 1803, Elisha Tibbits, b. at Cheshire, Mass., March 28, 1780 (son of John Tibbits and Waite Brown. He was b. at Warwick, R. I., in 1737, and d. at Lisbon, N. Y. aet. 80, Jan. 27, 1817. She d. March 10, 1809.), a merchant, shipowner and importer at New York; Prest. for several years of the U. S. Trust Co., and of the Merchants' Exchange, of which he was one of the active originators. He was one of the commissioners for building the New York Custom House. He was a leading Democratic politician, and was on his way to Albany, to get a railroad bill through the Legislature, when he met his death by the upsetting of a stage-coach near Newburg, N. Y. He d. Feb. 15, 1835: she d. July 25, 1835. They had six children.

#### Second Generation.

6. v. Mary Woolsey (dau. of Rev. Benjamin Woolsey of Dosoris and Abigail Taylor), b. about 1726, m. Platt Smith (son of Jonathan Smith and Elizabeth Platt). So Mr. Theodore S. Woolsey of New Haven (son of Prest. Woolsey), states the case, as the result of his researches, *instead of Daniel Smith*, as Thompson (Hist. of L. I.) has it, from whom the writer obtained the statement, as in the previous article, p. 145, vol. iv. of The Record. After Mr. Smith's decease, she m. for a 2d husband, and as his 2d wife, Dr. George Muirson of Setauket, L. I. (son of Rev. George Muirson of Hempstead, L. I., and Gloriana Smith, dau. of Col. William Smith). He had to leave town, because of his Toryism, in 1784. He d. in 1786.

Third Generation. Children:

#### *By first marriage:*

72. i. Elizabeth Smith, who m. Rev. Jeffreys Smith, who accidentally shot himself. They had one child, Elihu Smith, a merchant in New York, who d. of yellow fever previously to his expected marriage to a Miss Havens.

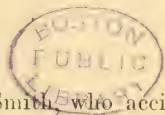
73. ii. Abigail Smith, who m. a Mr. Babcock, "both remarkably handsome." They resided at New Haven, Ct. At their house Prest. Dwight first formed the acquaintance of his future wife, Mary Woolsey. They had two children:

1. Joseph Babcock, who d. young.

2. Rev. William Babcock, a Baptist minister in Maine.

#### *By second marriage:*

74. iii. Mary Heathcote Muirson, whose mere name is all that the writer knows of her.



Rev. George Muirson, b. in Scotland in 1675, was "a zealous, devoted and sound churchman, of winning manners and great natural eloquence." He came to this country in 1703, as a schoolmaster of "The Gospel Propagation Society." In 1705 he returned to England and received ordination from the Bishop of London, and in July 1705 became rector at Rye, N. Y., and Mamaroneck and Bedford. He m. about 1706 Gloriana Smith, b. at Brookhaven, L. I., June 21, 1690 (dau. of Hon. William Smith of St. George's Manor, L. I., Chief Justice of the Council of New York, known as "Tangier Smith," b. in 1655, who d. in 1705. His wife was Martha Tunstall, whom he m. Nov. 6, 1675). Rev. George Muirson d. at New Haven, Oct. 12, 1708. Dr. George Muirson, Jr., his son, had a large landed property at Brookhaven before the Revolution, which was then all confiscated. He m. for his first wife, his cousin, Anna Smith (dau. of Col. Henry Smith, son of "Tangier Smith"), b. Dec. 20, 1706. They had three children: Anna, Catharine and Heathcote. Anna, b. Feb. 10, 1737, was the second wife of Benjamin Woolsey, Jr.—see No. 3, ii., pp. 148-9, vol. iv. of Record. Their dau. Catharine Muirson, b. at Brookhaven, June 8, 1742, m. Cyrus Punderson, M.D. (son of Rev. Ebenezer Punderson of Rye, N. Y.), b. at North Groton, Ct., April 17, 1737, and grad. at Yale in 1755. They had six children. Heathcote Muirson, b. about 1745, grad. at Yale in 1776, d. in 1781 from wounds received in the attack made by the British upon Lloyd's Neck.

Dr. George Muirson, m. after the death of Mary Woolsey, his 2d wife (the date of which has not been found), Mary Longbotham for a 3d wife, who d. at Setauket, in 1799.

#### Second Generation.

7. vi. Abigail Woolsey (dau. of Rev. Benjamin Woolsey of Dosoris and Abigail Taylor of Oyster Bay), b. Oct. 31, 1730, m. Sept. 17, 1751, Rev. Dr. Noah Welles, b. Sept. 25, 1718 (son of Noah Welles, a farmer in Colchester, Ct., and Sarah Wyatt, whom he m. April 15, 1716), grad. at Yale in 1741, and tutor there in 1745. He was settled at Stamford, Ct., for thirty years (1746-76). "He was a man of vigorous intellect, poetic imagination, extensive learning, dignified bearing and great religious and ministerial excellence." He did a chaplain's duties in the revolutionary army, while also pastor, and "took the jail-fever from the prisoners" in town, and d. Dec. 31, 1776; she d. Oct. 28, 1811, aet. 81. See notices of Dr. Noah Welles in "Dwight's Travels in New England," vol. iii. p. 499; "Allen's Biographical Dictionary"; and Dr. W. B. Sprague's "Annals Am. Pulpit," vol. i. pp. 461-2. A list of his publications is given by Allen, to which may be added an "Election Sermon," delivered at Hartford, Ct. (New London, 1764), entitled "Patriotism Described and Recommended." He also was the reputed author of an ironical pamphlet, published anonymously in 1762 (47 pp. 8vo), entitled "The Real Advantages which Ministers and People may Enjoy, especially in the Colonies, by Conforming to the Church of England, faithfully Considered and impartially Represented, in a Letter to a Young Gentleman."

#### Third Generation. Children:

75. i. Sarah Welles, b. Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1752, m. Henry Livingston of Poughkeepsie, and d. Sept. 1, 1783, aet. 30.

76. ii. Mary Sylvester Welles, b. Thursday, Oct. 17, 1754, m. John Davenport of Stamford, Ct., and d. June 25, 1847, aet. 92.

77. iii. Benjamin Welles, M.D., b. Monday, Nov. 22, 1756, d. April 13, 1813, aet. 56.

78. iv. Theodosia Welles, b. Monday, Oct. 16, 1758, d. unmarried, at Poughkeepsie, July 27, 1776.

79. v. Abigail Welles, b. Thursday, Oct. 9, 1760, d. unmarried July 9, 1788.

80. vi. Noah Welles, M.D., b. Sunday, Oct. 3, 1762, d. Nov. 18, 1838, aet. 76.

81. vii. Betsey Welles, b. Saturday, Feb. 23, 1765, d. July 28, 1780, aet. 14.

82. viii. Rebecca Welles, b. Wednesday, July 1, 1767, m. John William Holly of Stamford, Ct., d. March 13, 1859, aet. 91.

83. ix. Capt. William Wells, b. Sunday, Jan. 22, 1769, d. at London, Eng., July 31, 1805, aet. 36. He was captain of a merchant's vessel.

84. x. Melancthon Woolsey Welles, b. Thursday, Dec. 6, 1770, d. Feb. 7, 1857, aet. 86.

85. xi. Apollos Welles, b. Sunday, Oct. 10, 1773, d. Sept. 12, 1784, aet. 11.

86. xii. John Welles (twin with James Wells), b. Wednesday, April 3, 1776, d. May 22, 1855, aet. 79.

87. xiii. James Welles (twin with John Welles), b. Wednesday, April 3, 1776, d. Aug. 3, 1777, aet. 1 year.

For full account of the Woolsey-Welles Family and other facts of Woolsey history, see a series of articles by the writer, on *The History of the Woolsey Family*, in "*The N. Y. Biog. and Geneal. Record*" of New York, vols. iv. and v. 1873-4.

## VIII.

### A BRIEF SKETCH OF SHERMAN GENEALOGY.

I. Capt. John Sherman came to this country from Dedham, England, in 1634, with two of his first cousins, Samuel (from whom Gen. W. T. Sherman and Senator Sherman of Ohio are descended), and Rev. John Sherman. He was made a freeman in Watertown, Mass., May 17, 1637, and m. Martha, dau. of William Palmer, who settled there in 1636. He was selectman and town-clerk for many years, and three times a deputy to the General Court. He d. Jan. 25, 1691, aet. 76. She d. Feb. 7, 1701. Seven children: 1. John, b. Nov. 2, 1638, killed in a battle with the Indians, Dec. 19, 1675. 2. Martha, b. Feb. 21, 1641, who m. Francis Bowman of Watertown, and had 9 children. 3. Mary, b. March 25, 1643, who m. Timothy Hawkins, Jan. 18, 1667, and had one child. She d. Nov. 6, 1667. 4. Sarah, b. Jan. 17, 1648, d. unmarried 1667. 5. Elizabeth, b. March 16, 1649, who m. July 20, 1681, Samuel Gascoyne of Charlestown, Mass., and afterwards, probably, of New Haven, Conn. 6. Joseph. 7. Grace, b. Dec. 20, 1653.

II. Joseph Sherman, 6th child of Capt. John Sherman, b. May 14, 1650, d. Jan. 20, 1731. He m. Nov. 18, 1673, Elizabeth, b. April 15, 1652, dau. of Edward Winship of Cambridge, Mass. He was a blacksmith in Watertown, Mass., and was once a member of the General Court. 11 children: 1. John, b. Jan. 11, 1675, d. Oct. 31, 1756, m.



Mary Bullen, and had 7 children. 2. Edward, b. Sept. 2, 1677, m. Sarah Parkhurst, and had 6 children. 3. Joseph, b. Feb. 8, 1680. 4. Samuel, b. Nov. 28, 1681. 5. Jonathan, b. Feb. 24, 1684. 6. Ephraim, b. March 16, 1685, d. in infancy. 7. Ephraim, b. Sept. 20, 1686. 8. Elizabeth, b. July 15, 1687. 9. William. 10. Sarah, b. June 2, 1694. 11. Nathaniel, b. Sept. 19, 1696, d. Jan. 20, 1731.

III. William Sherman, 9th child of Joseph and Elizabeth Sherman, b. July 28, 1692, was a shoemaker at Newton, Mass. He m. Rebecca Cutler, dau. of Timothy Cutler and Elizabeth Hilton of Charlestown, b. Feb. 16, 1690, and had one child, who d. in infancy. He m. for 2d wife Mehitable Wellington, dau. of Benjamin Wellington of Watertown. He had by her 6 children: 1. William, b. March 20, 1717, m. Sarah Terrill of New Milford, Conn., and lived there. He had no children. 2. Mary, m. John Brattle of Dedham, Mass., and had 5 children. 3. Roger. 4. Elizabeth, m. James Breck of New Milford, and had 8 children. 5. Rev. Nathaniel, of Bedford, Mass., and Mt. Carmel, Conn. 6. Rev. Josiah, grad. at Princeton 1754, a minister of much ability, settled in Woburn, Mass., and in Milford and Goshen, Conn. He m. Jan. 24, 1757, Martha, b. Feb. 1, 1738, youngest dau. of Hon. James Minot of Concord, Mass., and had 6 children. His eldest child was Hon. Roger Minot Sherman, LL.D., b. May 22, 1773, d. Dec. 30, 1844. He grad. at Yale 1792, lived at Fairfield, Conn., was one of the most distinguished lawyers in New England, Judge of the Supreme Court of Conn., and was elected a member of the U. S. Senate, but declined the office. He m. Elizabeth, sister of Judge James Gould of Litchfield.

IV. Hon. Roger Sherman, second son of William and Mehitable Sherman, was b. April 19, 1721, at Newton, Mass. He was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and was among the framers of the U. S. Constitution. He was a shoemaker in Stoughton, Mass., but removed (aet. 22) to New Milford, Conn., where he kept a store, devoting his leisure time to study. Before he was 30 years old he prepared himself for admission to the bar. In 1761 he removed to New Haven, and immediately became one of the most honored citizens of that place. He was Treasurer of Yale (1765-76), for 23 years Judge of the County, Superior and Supreme Courts of Conn., a member of the Continental Congress, and U. S. Senator 1789-93. In 1776 he was associated with Jefferson, Franklin, Adams and Livingston on the committee that drafted the Declaration of Independence, and was one of the foremost patriots of the Revolution. To him, more than almost any other person, is to be ascribed the establishment of the new nation as a Federal Republic rather than a consolidated and centralized State. He d. July 23, 1793. He m. Elizabeth, dau. of Joseph Hartwell of Stoughton, Mass., and had 6 children: 1. John, who m. Rebecca Austin of New Haven, and had seven children. 2. William, who m. Betsey (?) Law of Milford, Conn., and had one child. 3. Isaac, who m. but d. without issue. 4. Chloe. 5. Two, who d. in early life. She d. Oct. 19, 1760, aet. 34, and he m. May 12, 1763, as 2d wife, Rebecca, dau. of Benjamin Prescott, Jr. (son of Rev. Benjamin Prescott of Salem, Mass.), and Rebecca, eldest dau. of Hon. James Minot of Concord. By his 2d wife he had seven children: 1. Rebecca, m. Hon. Simeon Baldwin of New Haven. 2. Elizabeth, m. as 2d wife,

Hon. Simeon Baldwin, and had five children: Simeon, who was a merchant in New York City and d. in 1873, Elizabeth, Charles, and two others who d. in infancy. 3. Mehitable, m. Daniel Barnes, and afterwards Jeremiah Evarts of Boston, Secretary of A. B. C. F. M. She had, by 1st husband, one child, Daniel, and by 2d husband, five children: Mary, who m. Rev. David Greene, Secretary of A. B. C. F. M., John, Sarah, Martha, who m. Rev. E. C. Tracy of Windsor, Vt., and William Maxwell Evarts, the distinguished lawyer of New York, who was Attorney General of the U. S. during the latter part of the administration of President Johnson. 4. Roger, who m. Susanna, dau. of Rev. John Staples of Canterbury, Conn., and sister of Hon. Seth P. Staples of New York. He had eleven children: Martha, who m. Henry White, Esq., of New Haven, Conn., and had seven children, John Staples, Sophia, who m. Robert L. Taylor of New York City, Frederic, Edward, George, Benjamin Prescott, Elizabeth Baldwin, who m. Prof. Thomas A. Thatcher of Yale College, as 2d wife, and has four children, and three others who d. young. 5. Sarah, who m. Hon. Samuel Hoar of Concord, Mass., and had six children: Elizabeth, Sarah, Samuel, Edward, George Frisbie and Ebenezer Rockwood—the last mentioned two being the well known members of Congress from Massachusetts, and the last having been Attorney General of the U. S. 6. Martha, who m. Rev. Jeremiah Day, D.D., Prest. of Yale College from 1817 to 1846. She had one child, Sherman, now living in California. 7. Oliver.

V. Chloe Sherman, dau. of Hon Roger Sherman and his 1st wife, Elizabeth Hartwell, m. Dr. John Skinner of New Haven, Conn., descended from Dea. Joseph Skinner of Windsor, Conn. She was b. in 1757, and d. Dec. 6, 1840, aet. 83. He was b. in 1765, and d. June 25, 1850, aet. 85. They had three children: 1. Roger Sherman. 2. Elizabeth Chloe, b. 1795, d. Sept. 20, 1806. 3. John Winthrop, b. 1798, d. Aug. 22, 1799. Dr. John Skinner was a man of integrity, of determined purpose, and of a high sense of duty, and an energetic supporter of order and of good morals. He was of a tall figure and a striking presence. He was greatly interested in the histories of New England towns and families. He was one of the founders and constant supporters of "The Conn. State Hospital."

VI. Roger Sherman Skinner (son of Dr. John Skinner and Chloe Sherman), b. in 1794, grad. at Yale in 1813, was a lawyer in New Haven and New York. He was a gentleman of refined ideas, and fond of study and literary pursuits, and of a generous disposition and a warm heart. He m. Sept. 27, 1817, Mary Lockwood De Forest, b. Feb. 17, 1797 (dau. of Lockwood De Forest of New York and Mehitable Wheeler). He d. at Peru, Ill., Dec. 6, 1838: 6 children. 1. John, b. Nov. 30, 1820, m. Catharine T. Perry, d. Dec. 22, 1873, and has had five children. 2. Eliza De Forest, b. Aug. 27, 1823, d. Sept. 9, 1849. 3. Mary Sherman, b. Jan. 2, 1826, who m. Aug. 25, 1847, Rev. Samuel D. Marsh, a missionary in South Africa, who d. in 1853. She m. afterwards, in 1856, John W. Fitch (a nephew of Rev. Dr. Eleazer T. Fitch of Yale Coll.), Prest. of the Mechanics Bank in New Haven, Conn. He d. Sept. 1861. She has one daughter, Helen Eliza Marsh, b. March 11, 1851, who m. Nov. 25, 1873, Edward G. Coy of Andover, Mass., grad. at Yale 1869. 4. Leonard Wales, b.

Nov. 12, 1827, d. in California, June 9, 1859. 5. William Wheeler, b. Jan. 15, 1830. 6. Jane Wakeman, b. April 3, 1832, who m. Prof. T. Dwight of Yale College, see page 202.

V. REBECCA SHERMAN, dau. of Hon. Roger Sherman and his 2d wife, Rebecca Prescott, m. Hon. Simeon Baldwin of New Haven, Conn., who was one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Connecticut, and was also for several years a representative in Congress. He grad. at Yale in 1781. He d. May 26, 1851, aet. 90. They had four children: 1. Rebecca, b. May 30, 1788, d. Aug. 9, 1861. She was unmarried. 2. Ebenezer, b. May 20, 1790, grad. at Yale, 1808, d. Jan. 26, 1837. 3. Gov. Roger Sherman Baldwin. 4. Simeon, b. 1794, d. 1795.

VI. GOV. ROGER SHERMAN BALDWIN (son of Simeon Baldwin and Rebecca Sherman), b. Jan. 4, 1793, grad. at Yale in 1811, an eminent lawyer in New Haven, and at one time Gov. of Conn. (1844-5), and U. S. Senator (1848-51). He m. Emily, b. Jan. 1, 1796, dau. of Enoch Perkins and Hannah Pitkin of Hartford, Conn. They had nine children: 1. Edward Law, b. Oct. 1, 1822, grad. at Yale in 1842, d. July 6, 1848. 2. Elizabeth Wooster, b. Aug. 8, 1824, m. Aug. 1856, Prof. William Dwight Whitney of Yale College, and has had six children, see page 836. 3. Roger Sherman, b. July 4, 1826, grad. at Yale in 1847, d. in California, Nov. 12, 1856. 4. Ebenezer Simeon, b. March 4, 1828, d. April 28, 1836. 5. Henrietta Perkins, b. April 2, 1830, m. Aug. 1850, Hon. Dwight Foster of Boston, grad. at Yale in 1848, who was for four years one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Mass. She has had eight children, see page 656. 6. George William, b. April 24, 1832, grad. at Yale in 1853, and now a lawyer in Boston. 7. Emily Frances, b. Dec. 13, 1834, d. April 27, 1836. 8. Ebenezer Charles, b. Sept. 17, 1837, d. Dec. 1837. 9. Simeon Eben, b. Feb. 5, 1840, grad. at Yale in 1861, m. Oct. 19, 1865, Susan, dau. of Edmund and Harriet Winchester of Boston, and has had three children. He is now Professor in the Law Department of Yale College.

## IX.

### BREED GENEALOGY.

#### First Generation.

Allen Breed (formerly, also, Bread and Brede), b. in 1601, came with Gov. Winthrop to Salem, Mass., in 1630, and settled at Lynn, Mass. In the division of lands in the town, 200 acres were assigned to him. Some 250 of his descendants, bearing the name of Breed, were to be found in that place, it is said, a few years since. The part of the town where he lived (its northern portion), is still called Breed's End. In 1639 he went with about 40 heads of families to Long Island, and settled the town of Southampton. They entered into a church covenant before they set out for their new home, and took their minister with them, Rev. Abraham Pierson, whose son, of the same name, was the first President of Yale College. Allen Breed, however, soon returned to Lynn again, and there spent the remainder of his life.

Breed's Hill, in Charlestown, Mass., where the battle of Bunker Hill was fought, was named, it is believed, from one of his descendants. He



d. March 17, 1692, aet. 91. He had 4 children: I. *Allen, Jr.*, b. in England in 1626. II. Timothy, b. there in 1628, who m. Sarah, dau. of John Newhall and Elizabeth Payton, March 3, 1680; and had one child by her, Joseph, b. April 18, 1681. III. Joseph, b. in 1632, who had child Mary, b. July 4, 1684. IV. John, b. in 1634, who m. Dec. 28, 1663, Sarah, dau. of John Hathorne of Lynn, b. June 2, 1644, and had 4 children: 1. Sarah, b. Dec. 28, 1667. 2. William, b. May 18, 1671. 3. Ephraim, b. Dec. 16, 1672. 4. Ebenezer, b. April 15, 1676.

His wife d. Nov. 22, 1676, and he m. for 2d wife, March 4, 1678, Sarah Hart. He d. June 28, 1678.

#### Second Generation.

*Allen Breed, Jr.*, b. in England in 1626, had a wife Mary who d. Nov. 30, 1671. He also lived at Lynn. He had 6 children: 1. Joseph, b. Feb. 12, 1658. 2. Allen, 3d, b. Aug. 30, 1660. 3. John, b. Jan. 18, 1663. 4. Mary, b. Aug. 24, 1665. 5. Elizabeth, b. Nov. 1, 1667. 6. Samuel, b. Sept. 25, 1669.

#### Third Generation.

*John Breed*, son of Allen, Jr., b. Jan. 18, 1663, a shoemaker, removed about 1687 to Stonington, Ct., where he m. June 8, 1690, Mercy, dau. of Gershom Palmer of that place and Ann Denison. [He was son of Walter Palmer, made freeman in Charlestown, Mass., in 1631, and Rebecca Short, his 2d wife. He was one of the founders of Rehoboth, Mass., and represented it (1646-7) in the Genl. Court. In 1653 he removed to Stonington. His wife, Ann Denison, was dau. of Capt. Geo. Denison of Stonington, and his 2d wife, Ann, dau. of John Borrodill (or Borrowdale), Cork, Ireland. William, father of Capt. Geo. Denison, came in 1631, with Rev. John Eliot, to this country, and settled in Roxbury, with George and two other sons. Bridget Thompson, 1st wife of George, d. in 1643, and he went back afterwards to England, and served in the army of Parliament. In two years' time he returned to his new home, and brought with him his 2d wife, Ann, a woman of strong mind, well-cultured, and of polished manners and much dignity, and called commonly "Lady Ann." Capt. Geo. Denison removed in 1651 to New London. Says Miss Caulkins in her *Hist. New London*: "Our early history presents to view no bolder and more active spirit than Capt. Denison. He reminds us of the border men of Scotland." He was honored with various public offices and trusts, and was a man of property and great public spirit. He d. Oct. 23, 1694, aet. 76. She d. Sept. 26, 1712, aet. 97].

John Breed had, by his wife Mercy Palmer, 10 children: 1. Ann, b. May 8, 1693. 2. Mary, b. Jan. 8, 1697. 3. John, b. Jan. 26, 1700. 4. Eliza, b. Jan. 28, 1702. 5. Sarah, b. Feb. 1, 1704. 6. Zeruiah, b. Aug. 27, 1706. 7. Joseph, b. Oct. 4, 1708. 8. Bethslyah, b. Dec. 30, 1710. 9. Allen, b. Aug. 29, 1714. 10. Gershom, b. Nov. 15, 1715. John Breed d. in 1751, aet. 88. She d. in 1752, aet. 83.

#### Fourth Generation.

*Gershom Breed* (son of John Breed and Mercy Palmer), b. Nov. 15, 1715, at first a saddler, removed to Norwich about 1750, where he became a merchant and an importer. The store which he built in Nor-



wich, in 1764, is still standing, as is his house built in 1758. These buildings are the oldest in the city, and are still owned by the descendants of his oldest son. He m. May 10, 1747, Dorothy (only child of Patrick McLaren of Middletown, Ct., and Dorothy Otis), b. Sept. 25, 1728. He d. Jan. 5, 1777: she d. Sept. 3, 1776, aet. 48, at Branford, Ct., on her return from a visit to her sick son at New Haven. They had 10 children, all but the first two b. in Norwich, as follows:

1. John McLaren, b. April 28, 1748, in Stonington.
2. Susanna, b. there Nov. 19, 1749, d. April 13, 1832, who m. Rev. Danl. Brewer of Guilford, Ct., and afterwards Taunton, Mass., and had 6 children.
3. Gershom, b. Oct. 2, 1751, d. July 1, 1753.
4. Gershom, 2d, b. Sept. 5, 1753, d. Aug. 20, 1755.
5. David, b. June 6, 1755, d. Dec. 7, 1783, who m. Elizabeth, dau. of Jeremiah Clement of Windham, Ct., and had 3 children.
6. Allen, b. Sept. 6, 1757, d. June 29, 1758.
7. Shubael, b. April 20, 1759, grad. at Yale in 1778, d. in Norwich, where he lived, aet. 81, Feb. 24, 1840. He m. Lydia (dau. of Jabez Perkins of Norwich and Anna Lathrop), who d. April 15, 1861, aet. 93. They had 8 children.
8. Jesse, b. May 21, 1761, m. Cynthia Rogers Burr, and d. in Norwich, where he lived, Nov. 12, 1831: she d. July 30, 1855.
9. Simeon, b. July 17, 1763, grad. at Yale in 1781, a merchant, with his brother Jesse, in Norwich, where he d. unmarried Aug. 22, 1822.
10. Anna, b. May 14, 1767, m. Rev. Salmon Cone of Colchester, Ct., d. Jan. 10, 1847.

Patrick McLaren (father of Mrs. Gershom Breed), son of Rev. John McLaren of Edinburgh, Scotland (1711-34), was a merchant in Middletown, Ct., and d. Dec. 9, 1731. He m. his wife, Dorothy Otis (dau. of Judge Joseph Otis of Montville Ct., and Dorothy Thomas), Nov. 8, 1727. Judge Joseph Otis was the grandson of John Otis of Hingham, the settler there in 1635. Dorothy Thomas, his wife, was dau. of Judge Nathaniel Thomas of Marshfield, Mass. (whose estate there was afterwards that of Daniel Webster), and Deborah Jacob.

#### Fifth Generation.

*Hon. John McLaren Breed* (son of Gershom Breed and Dorothy McLaren), b. in Stonington, April 28, 1748, grad. at Yale in 1768, was a merchant at Norwich, and at one time mayor of the city. He was a man of thorough integrity and honor, and of dignified bearing and a kindly disposition, while also abounding in enterprise, benevolence and public spirit. He d. aet. 50, May 31, 1798. He m. Nov. 14, 1771, Mary, dau. of Rev. Ebenezer Devotion of Windham, Ct., and had 5 children by her, who all d. early. She d. Dec. 3, 1779, aet. 32, and he m. for 2d wife, Feb. 13, 1781, Rebecca (dau. of Hon. Robert Walker, grad. at Yale in 1730, and judge of the Superior Court of Conn., residing at Stratford, Ct., and Rebecca Lewis). She d. June 27, 1824, aet. 71. They had 6 children:

1. Rebecca Breed, b. Sept. 10, 1781, d. July 24, 1782.
2. Rebecca Breed, 2d, b. at Norwich, Sept. 12, 1783, d. unmarried Aug. 13, 1848, aet. 65.
3. Susan Breed, b. Dec. 17, 1785, who m. James Dwight, Esq., and d. Aug. 29, 1851, aet. 65.
4. Sarah Johnson Breed, b. Jan. 11, 1789, m. Dec. 2, 1831, as his 2d wife, Pres. William Allen, D.D., of Bowdoin Coll., Me., without issue. For his children by his previous marriage, see *Hist. of Strong Family* by the author, pp. 970-2. She

d. Feb. 25, 1848, aet. 59. 5. Hon. John Breed, b. March 12, 1791, m. Nov. 23, 1820, Amie Fitch Larrabee, b. April 9, 1789 (only child of Lebbeus Larrabee of Windham, Ct., and Lucy Fitch, a descendant of Rev. James Fitch of Norwich and Priscilla Mason, dau. of the celebrated Capt. John Mason). He was a merchant at Norwich (1830-65), and at one time mayor of the city. He was a man of great originality and independence, and positive in his convictions and positions. He d. without issue Dec. 3, 1865, aet. 75: she d. March 10, 1871. 6. Joseph Breed, b. Aug. 16, 1793, d. unmarried Oct. 8, 1847, a merchant, associated with his bro. John. He was a man of strong mind, much wit, great generosity, and of a most kindly disposition.

Although all the children of John McLaren Breed (with the exception of one who died in infancy) lived to advanced age, none of them, except Mrs. James Dwight, had any children; and the Breed name, which is borne by large numbers in other branches of the Breed family, has, in this particular branch, ceased altogether and passed into that of Dwight—the sole survivors in the seventh generation, at the present time, being James M. B. Dwight, Esq., and Prof. Timothy Dwight.

## X.

### A BRIEF SKETCH OF TALLMADGE LINEAGE.

Major Charles Benjamin Tallmadge, U. S. A., b. in Warren, Ct., May 25, 1792, d. aet. 40, in New York, Dec. 31, 1832. He m. in 1830 Margaret Kennedy, b. Oct. 3, 1800, widow of Col. Saml. B. Archer, Inspector Genl. U. S. A., whom she m. in 1823, and who d. in 1825. She m. for a 3d husband, in 1835, Genl. Reubell (French), Gov. Genl., under Louis Philippe, of Algiers. She d. at Bishop's Teignton, Eng. Dec. 7, 1862, aet. 62. Major Tallmadge's children were two: 1. *Julia*, b. Feb. 19, 1831, who m. Rev. William Ogle of Bishop's Teignton, Devonshire, Eng., and d. Dec. 12, 1862, aet. 31, leaving 3 children: (1.) Ponsonby. (2.) Pelham. (3.) William. 2. *Cora*, b. Oct. 17, 1833, who m. James M. B. Dwight, Esq.

His lineage is as follows:

I. Robert Tallmadge, the settler, came to New Haven about 1640-5. He m. in 1648 Sarah, dau. of Thomas Nash of New Haven, and had 6 children: 1. Abigail, b. in 1649. 2. Thomas, b. Oct. 17, 1650. 3. Sarah, b. Sept. 1652. 4. John, b. Sept. 11, 1654. 5. Enoch b. Oct. 4, 1656. 6. Mary, b. Sept. 2, 1659. He d. in 1662.

II. John Tallmadge, b. Sept. 11, 1654, m. in 1686 Abigail Bishop, and d. in 1690.

III. James Tallmadge (son of John and Abigail Tallmadge) b. in 1689, m. in 1713 Hannah Harrison, and lived in New Haven.

IV. Rev. Benjamin Tallmadge (son of James and Hannah Tallmadge), b. Jan. 1, 1725, grad. at Yale in 1747, was a Presb. clergyman at Brookhaven, L. I. (1753-), and was long also devoted to classical instruction—a man of superior ability and scholarship. He m. about 1751 Susanna, dau. of Rev. John Smith of White Plains, N. Y., and had 4 children: 1. *William*, b. June 9, 1752, who was taken prisoner by the British in the battle on Long Island, and d. in prison in 1776. 2. *Col. Benjamin*, b. Feb. 25, 1754, grad. at Yale in 1773, was a brave and active revolutionary officer. Into his hands Major

André fell after his interview with Arnold. He recd. the thanks of Washington and of Congress for his gallant conduct on several occasions. He was M. C. for many years (1800–16), and d. at Litchfield, Ct., where he resided, March 7, 1835, highly esteemed for his great public services. He m. Mary, dau. of Gen. William Floyd of Mastic, L. I. See Hist. of Strong Family by the author, pp. 605–6. One of his 7 children, Hon. Frederic Augustus Tallmadge, b. Aug. 29, 1792, grad. at Yale in 1811, was a lawyer in New York, State Senator, Recorder of the city, M. C. (1847–8), and Clerk of the Court of Appeals. He d. in 1869. 3. *Samuel*, b. Nov. 23, 1755, d. April 1, 1825. 4. *John*, b. Sept. 19, 1757.

Mrs. Susanna Tallmadge, d. April 21, 1768, and Rev. Benjn. Tallmadge m. as his 2d wife, Zipporah, dau. of Thomas Strong of Brookhaven, L. I., without issue. See Hist. Strong Family, p. 609. She d. in 1836: he d. Feb. 5, 1786, aet. 61.

V. Hon. John Tallmadge (son of Rev. Benjamin), b. Sept. 19, 1757, m. Jan. 8, 1788, Phebe (dau. of Quartus Pomeroy of Northampton, Mass., and Phebe Sheldon), b. Feb. 9, 1766. See of her pedigree and kindred a full view in Strong Hist., pp. 1126–9, etc. He resided at Warren, Ct. He was for 14 sessions a member of the Conn. Legislature, and a member of the State Convention in 1818. He d. at Warren, Feb. 24, 1823, aet. 65: she d. Dec. 13, 1842, aet. 77. They had 6 children: 1. *Laura*, b. Nov. 15, 1788, m. James Tallmadge of New York, and d. aet. 48, Feb. 21, 1836. 2. *Phebe Sheldon*, b. April 7, 1790, m. Rev. Stephen Mason, and d. at Marshall, Mich., Sept. 28, 1839, aet. 49. 3. *Major Charles Benjamin*, b. May 25, 1792, and d. Dec. 31, 1832, aet. 40. 4. *Frances Fowler*, b. May 5, 1795, m. Rev. John Marsh, D.D., of Brooklyn, N. Y., Sec. Am. Temp. Union, Oct. 5, 1824, and d. Dec. 27, 1852, aet. 57. 5. *John Smith*, b. July 30, 1798, m. Ann Eliza Smith of Albany, N. Y., and d. at Lyons, N. Y., Oct. 17, 1825, aet. 27. 6. *George Pomeroy*, b. June 15, 1802, m. Clarissa Bassett of Cornwall, Conn., and d. at Warren, Ct., May 1, 1861, aet. 59.

## XI.

### A BRIEF SKETCH OF DE FOREST LINEAGE.

The De Forest Family (Fr., De La Forêt) is of Huguenot extraction. Those who bore the name to this country went from France to Holland, and thence to New Amsterdam (now New York).

I. Isaac De Forest settled there about 1645, and d. in 1721.

II. His son, David, settled in Stratford, Ct. He had 6 children: 1. David, b. in 1702. 2. *Samuel*, b. in 1704. 3. Isaac, b. in 1706. 4. Edward, b. in 1708. 5. Henry, b. in 1710. 6. Benjamin, b. in 1716.

III. Samuel (son of David), b. in 1704, had 5 sons: 1. Joseph, b. in 1731. 2. Samuel, b. in 1739. 3. *Nehemiah*, b. in 1743. 4. David, b. in 1745. 5. Josiah, b. in 1748.

IV. Nehemiah, b. in 1743, was a farmer in Huntington, Ct. He m. Mary, dau. of Peter Lockwood of Norwalk, Ct., and had 5 sons: 1. William, b. in 1773. 2. *Lockwood*, b. in 1775. 3. Philo, b. in 1779. 4. Delawzun. 5. Charles.

V. Lockwood De Forest, b. March 5, 1775, was a merchant at New



Haven, Bridgeport and New York. He m. July 12, 1793, Mehitable, dau. of Nathaniel Wheeler of Huntington, Ct., b. Sept. 9, 1777. She d. in New York, Jan. 23, 1864. He d. there Nov. 28, 1848, aet. 73. They had 14 children: 1. William Wheeler, b. Dec. 24, 1794, a man of great resources in himself, and was a most successful merchant, and left a large estate at his death. He d. unmarried, Jan. 1865. 2. *Mary*, b. Feb. 17, 1797, m. Roger Sherman Skinner, and now (1874) resides in New Haven. 3. Susan, b. June 3, 1799, m. Daniel Lord, Esq., grad. at Yale in 1814, a lawyer in New York of great eminence and a Presb. elder (Dr. Gardiner Spring's Ch.). 4. Eliza, m. Samuel Downer, a merchant in New York, who d. in 1844. 5. Jane, m. Burr Wakeman, merchant in New York. 6. George Beach, b. Dec. 27, 1806, a N. Y. merchant, m. Margaret Eliza, dau. of Benjn. De Forest of N. Y. He d. in 1863. 7. Ann Mehitable, m. Simeon Baldwin, a N. Y. merchant, who d. in 1872. 8. Sarah, m. Walter (son of Jonathan Walter) Edwards, a lawyer in New York. 9. Alfred Henry, b. Aug. 20, 1813, d. Dec. 31, 1816. 10. Frederic Lockwood, b. Aug. 8, 1816, d. Sept. 8, 1817. 11. Louisa, m. Samuel Woodruff, a N. Y. merchant, lost in "The Arctic," Sept. 1854, and for a 2d husband, in 1865, Dr. Thomas F. Cock of New York. 12. Henry Grant, b. Aug. 3, 1820, grad. at Amherst in 1839, m. Julia Mary Weeks (dau. of Robert Doughty Weeks and Julia Hall Brasher). He is a lawyer in N. Y. 13. James Goodrich, b. Oct. 13, 1822, a N. Y. merchant, m. Julia Hallett. 14. Frederic Lockwood, b. Dec. 2, 1825, grad. at Amherst in 1845, m. Julia Desha, and lives in Paris, France.

VI. Mary Lockwood De Forest (dau. of Lockwood De Forest of New York and Mehitable Wheeler), b. Feb. 17, 1797, m. Roger Sherman Skinner. See Sherman lineage in Appendix for other genealogical facts.



## SUPPLEMENTARY FACTS.

THERE is by necessity a considerable reserve of facts, of a like valuable kind, in themselves, with those which are here stated, that the author has not been hitherto able to gather. As this book comes under the eye of any one, who knows of any important additions that can be made to the details of family-history that it furnishes, let him communicate them carefully to the writer. Any desirable corrections of dates wrongly given, or misprinted, in its pages, are especially solicited. While the writer has no thought whatever of preparing at any future time another edition of this work, he would be willing, and even glad, to issue a small volume of further facts of an interesting kind, if they can be obtained, which would serve to make the presentation here made more complete; and especially if he or others should be able in future years to ascertain any facts of interest concerning the original English history of the family.



## ODDS AND ENDS;

OR,

## LAST ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS.

## I.

It will be at once apparent to any one who considers the style and dimensions of this family-history, that the descendants of John Dwight of Dedham, here presented to view, are in reality only those also of his son Capt. Timothy Dwight of Dedham. A complete account of all those of Dwight extraction that have lived and died in this country since its first settlement would include likewise the representatives, in full succession, of the three families, Whiting, Phillips and Reynolds, which in the second generation became united to them. These inter-marriages, occurring at but one remove from the first settlement of the family in Massachusetts Bay, would entail, each of them, upon any one seeking to trace their historical results, the preparation of so many separate family histories like, for volume, if thoroughly wrought out, the one here furnished. Those threefold genealogical undertakings the writer would affectionately remit to such as may arise with spontaneous energy, sooner or later, in each of the families named, to assume them. May they cherish in their hearts and in their records, with all fondness, their own living, and bury there with all honor their own dead. If any one should essay blindly the great and thankless task of worthily commemorating their lives and virtues, it will not be because he has been left uninformed, in these pages, of the vast aggregate of demands that will be made upon his time and strength, and his patience, purse and will, in such an endeavor.

## II.

As the descendants of Capt. Timothy Dwight of Dedham are, by Anna Flint, his wife, all as truly Flints as Dwights, it will naturally be of as much interest to them, however slight, to learn what was the Flint coat-of-arms, as the Dwight. It was, two eagles turned back to back, with expanded wings.

## III.

There is a serial publication, not soon to be closed, of great genealogical value, now going forwards in "The N. Y. Genealogical and

Biographical Record," No. 64 Madison avenue, N. Y., of both "The Records of the Ref. Dutch Ch. of N. Y.," and those of "The First Presb. Ch. of N. Y.," through the generous aid of a public-spirited contributor of the quite considerable funds needed for the purpose. From those records, as thus published, some valuable facts and dates have been gleaned, up to the very hour of going to press, concerning the Loockermanns, Woolseys and Dwights. Of the Loockermanns especially some interesting statements may be found on pages 69-70, vol. v. (April, 1874), additional to those found on pages 207-8 of this work. From these records, as they shall appear in continuance unto the end; and from "Original Lists of Emigrants to the American Plantations," by John C. Hotten, Eng., promised soon to subscribers by J. W. Bouton, 706 Broadway, N. Y., further light on various details of historical interest may naturally be expected to be found by those who wish to do so, and know how to improve their facilities for the purpose.

## IV.

In concluding his account of the Strong Family, the author stopped with the feeling that, if he had been willing to have kept a year longer at work upon the yet undeveloped facts of their history, and at his own charges, he could have added at least five thousand more names to the almost thirty thousand which he actually compassed in his researches. It is with no such feeling that he closes his long and wide survey of the Dwights. He knows of no branch of the family, excluding from view the three families that became, as already mentioned, connected with it in the second generation, where there is any considerable unworked opportunity left for obtaining new historical treasures.

## V.

Quite a number of persons, fifteen or more, have kept sending facts and dates (or rather have put off sending them), up to the very last hours of the final printing of this book. All such facts have luckily come to hand in time to be introduced into their proper places in these pages, except the very few which are here added.

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1. To the record of the descendants of Pliny Dwight of Vershire, Vt., on p. 926, may be added the following facts:—

i. Josiah Coburn (No. 6517. i.) was b. at Fairlee, Vt., May 10, 1804, and d. at Thetford, Vt. (Post Mills), Dec. 16, 1870. He had a son, Henry Arthur Coburn, b. there Sept. 13, 1842, who m. Anna Caroline Coburn, b. July 27, 1849, in Boston, Mass.

ii. Mary Ann Dwight (No. 6519. ii.), d. at Chelsea, Mass., Oct 11, 1868.

iii. Henry Cutler Dwight (No. 6521. iv.) was for several years engaged in the boot and shoe trade in Boston, Mass. He d. Oct. 15, 1872. His first wife, Eunice Colton (dau. of Solomon Colton of Ver-shire, Vt., and Eunice Titus), was b. Aug. 16, 1822. Mrs. Fanny M. Dwight, his widow, resides now (1874) at Cambridgeport.

iv. Albert Sands Southworth (No. 6520. iii.) is an examiner, an analyzer, and illustrator of questioned handwritings and signatures.

v. Silas Briggs Hahn resides now (1874) in Central City, Colorado.

2. Timothy Dwight of Medfield, Mass. (No. 31. 2. p. 90), b. Sept. 7, 1750, was grad. at Harvard in 1774, m. a dau. of a Dr. Fuller of Medfield. He d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., by, or before, 1797.

3. Henry Dwight (No. 6393. i. p. 915), having taken a part of the College course at Yale, went to Harvard in Nov. 1814, and was grad. there in 1815. He d. at W. Springfield, Mass., May 1848, aet. 51: was a merchant.

4. While the publication of this book has been in progress, the writer has seen announced as just appearing from the press a collection of poems, in one volume, entitled "Poems of Twenty Years," by Mrs. Laura Winthrop Johnson of Staten Island, N. Y. (No. 395. iv. p. 253).

5. Hon. David A. Wells, No. 6143, ii. (see pp. 871-2) has just been chosen a foreign associate of The Institute of France, to fill the vacancy made by the death of John Stuart Mill of England. He is the fifth American who has received such an honor from "The Institute." The four preceding him were Franklin, Prof. Bache, Count Rumford and Prof. S. F. B. Morse. He has acquired within but a brief time a world-wide reputation as an authority in financial statistics pertaining to wise governmental and social policy.

## VI.

Sixteen additional subscriptions have been received since the list of subscribers on pp. 48-52 was put into print. They are as follows:—

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Who, if any, of this considerable number of subscribers will prove faithless to his subscription-pledge, whether large or small, does not yet appear. Genealogists are not unfamiliar with such experiences. Early in February last the author issued the following circular to subscribers :—

#### CIRCULAR.

The History of The Dwight Family is now ready for the press, and satisfactory terms have been made with the publisher. The sum required for publication amounts to several thousand dollars, which neither party, author or publisher, can himself advance. The publisher requires at the outset a thousand dollars, in order to cover in part at least his own outlay for paper; and the rest of the amount due must be paid shortly afterwards, that he may run no risks and meet with as little delay as possible in return for his own large expenditures.

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Direct, at once, to the subscriber,

BENJAMIN W. DWIGHT,  
*Clinton, Oneida, Co., N. Y.*

CLINTON, Feb., 1874.

To this circular, issued full four months ago, about one-fifth of the subscribers have made no reply. Time and fate alike necessitate the writer's prompt response to the printers' just and pressing claims according to the terms of the contract made with them. What but each one's own individual conscience is to bring to the author's aid any parallel promptness of action by subscribers to their obligations to him! And who does not know what a weak motor-force conscience is often found to be in money-matters.

Some have already shown quite unmistakably a disposition to let the writer meet as he may any and all risks, however great or cumulative one upon the other, rather than perform with a little generous zeal their small share of duty to the cause, yes! *the good cause.* A genealogist



must always look on smilingly, if he can, or quietly at any rate, and see those standing around him in his work, as his natural friends and allies in it, show, not a few of them, though belonging nominally to the higher walks of life, that they value far more the fine appearance of their garments than they do the moral demonstration that they make of themselves to all eyes but their own.

What branches of the family, and what individuals belonging to them have shown at any cost to themselves the most interest in the greatest possible success of this historical endeavor by their contributions of facts, subscriptions and pictures, any one who desires to know can readily ascertain. Some who made no response whatever to repeated letters of inquiry, or answered them only after three, four, or five years, and then most meagrely, will easily discover if they choose to do so, how many points of interest those were able to gather together for permanent preservation who were thoroughly awake to the opportunity here offered them for a worthy and lasting commemoration of their kindred. An historian cannot make his facts, but only give to the facts which he procures their proper form and features, or their true relative scope and combined significance and expression.

Every fact of any real general interest which the writer has ascertained of any and every one of the large procession of persons whose names have passed in continuous review before all eyes in these pages, he has carefully treasured in this family-record, on the principle of showing "honor to whom honor is due." The lives of farmers, merchants and mechanics are so uniform in the types of their experience that they furnish by necessity but very little material for historical record. While many such in our family have been the honor and the joy of the communities that they have graced with their presence, the even tenor of their life has presented but few salient points on which any one could fix his thoughts with special strength of admiration. The more genuine the form and style of one's daily life, the more in many circumstances and occupations will it be rounded into smooth unobservedness in respect to any special demonstrations of novelty or wonder.

The writer has now said in these many pages all that he has at any time desired concerning the history of the Dwight family, since he first took it into hand, having turned every face and angle of it to the reader's eye that has at any time attracted his own. And he has surely paid in time, toil and money, a sufficiently large price for the privilege. What not to say has been frequently a much harder question to determine as a matter of judgment or of taste than what to say.

With this work will end forever all thought of any further genealogical researches by the author.

## VII.

## ERRATA.

This dreaded page must at last be reached! And here, if anywhere, the spectres of forlorn mistakes of a typical sort must be "laid," by having had the annihilating outcry, "Avaunt" shouted out in form after them. Else, how will they stalk forever before some reader's vision, as if really entitled to a whole or at least a half life of their own, where they appear. Fortunately for the author's present comfort he does not know at this writing of any serious blunder, or of any misprint that any ordinarily intelligent reader would not at once correct for himself. Scarcely any form of literary composition can be named that is more aboundingly full of liabilities to mistakes of many varied kinds in the mode and manner of its final rendering. The misprints which have been hitherto discovered are but few.

One irrelevant preposition found in a line on page 2 necessitated the feeling that the entire first two pages of "The Introduction" must be reprinted again after the whole edition had been stricken off. On page 25 the word *judgment*, in the 10th line from the bottom, should be in the plural. On page 29, *philanthrophy* exhibits one *h* too much. On page 57, in the 16th line from the top, the date 1837 should be 1637. On page 146, in the 11th line from the top, *in* his little manse should be *on*, etc. On page 193, in 6th line from the bottom, *Geo. Thomas Hinckley* should be *Gov.*, etc. In 6th line from the top of p. 253, *Frances B. Winthrop* should be *Francis*, etc. Nos. 903-7, on pp. 305-6, are repeated. On p. 396, under 1843, No. \*\*\* iii. should have been expunged by the printer in the press-form. Beside being placed where it should be, after what is now No. iv., it was also left where it should not be, as No. iii. On p. 426, children Nos. 3 and 4 under 2168 were carelessly entered as *Kents*, instead of *Smiths*—their names having been received with those of various others of the Kent family of Richmond, as an addition to its record, when already prepared for publication.

On p. 436, *Beckly* should be *Beckley*. Williams College is misprinted as *William's*, etc. on p. 456. On p. 573, *Ann Whitting*, No. 3604, has one *t* too many in it. On p. 610, *Col. Seldon*, No. 4070, should be *Selden*. On p. 619, No. 4231 v. should be 4131. On p. 672, *temperence* looks unsightly with its third *e*. On p. 889, *good-by* lacks a terminal *e*. On pages 894 and 901 the number of the reference page for the two genealogical numbers 6096 vii. and 6097 viii. is not given. It should be in each case 865.

In a few instances some changes should be made in punctuation-marks and a few missing parts of brackets and parentheses should be supplied—but a few among many hundreds of them in all parts of the work.

It is pleasant to find as yet, at any rate, only such few and trifling specimens of mistakes in the general make-up of the 1200 closely printed pages here furnished among 500 thousand words, containing some three millions of letters, arithmetical numbers, and varied punctuation-marks, every one of them presenting an open opportunity for some slip of the hand and eye. The fixed and earnest purpose was ever present and powerful not to allow one orthographical, grammatical, or typical error to creep into the book and find anywhere a hiding-place there; and such is the approximation made in the final result to the intended achievement.

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